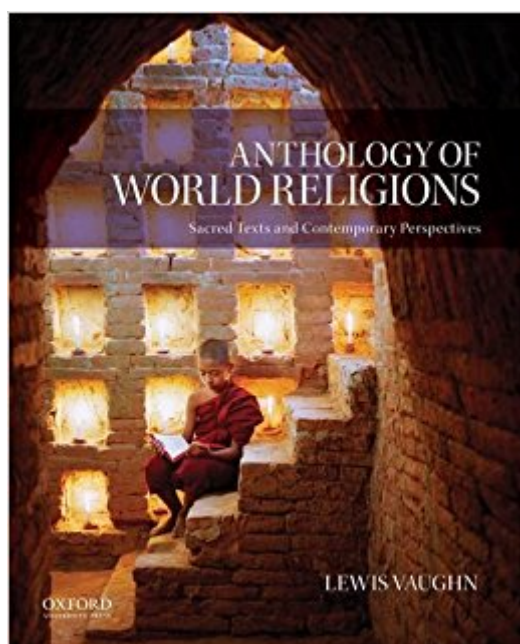


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# Anthology Of World Religions: Sacred Texts And Contemporary Perspectives



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