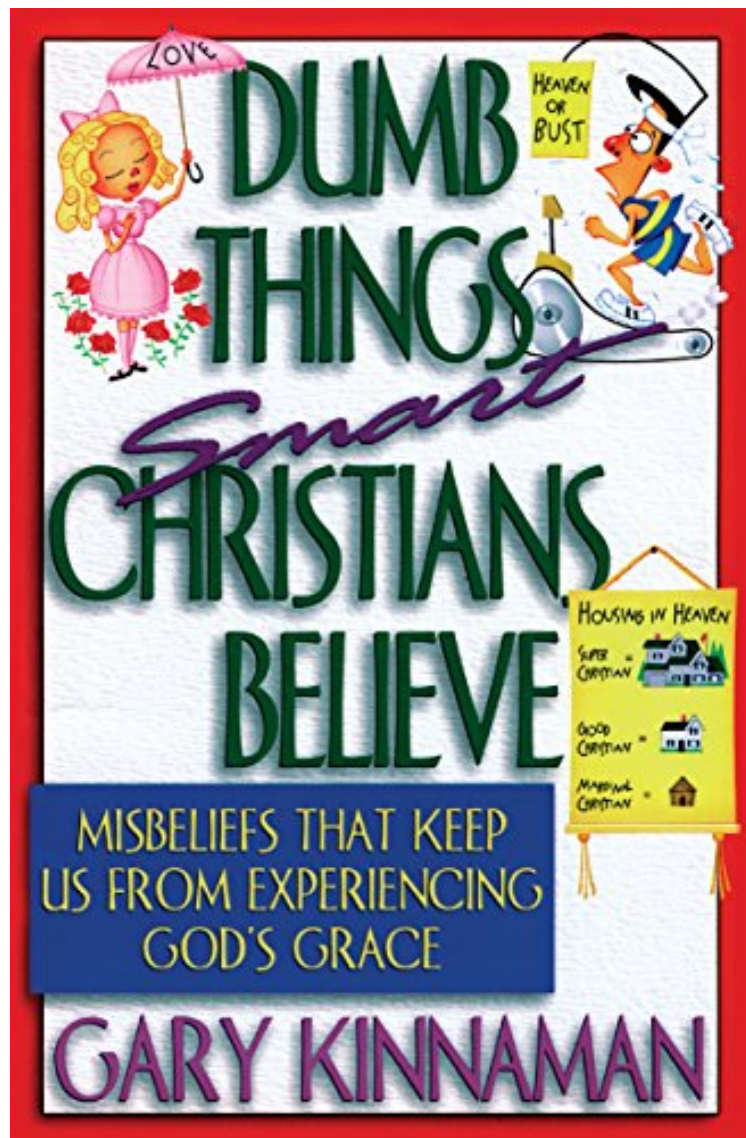


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reminder of Jesus plus nothing! Von Ein Kunde I couldn't put it down. I quickly raced through this book in 2 sittings. I must confess that I attend Word of Grace so was able to relate to many of the stories and comments Gary shared. But of course the most impressive thing for me was the truth that is there from Jesus, and how we as Christians forget that truth. Gary's book brings that reality back to me over and over again in each chapter of his book. He speaks of his personal downfalls, letting the reader note that even men of God are not always perfect people. Showing that we are all human, but are also by grace forgiven for all our shortcomings...no matter what they are. As Gary always teaches "Jesus plus Nothing" The book lets the reader understand that God's love is unconditional and gives examples that each and everyone of us can relate too. Even the Christian that we all know who is a wonderful example can examine himself through this book and see his life through different eyes. A wonderful book to bring you closer to our God, as you realize you are special to Him, no matter what your shortcomings. I would recommend this to all.....and have already passed it on!!!! Thanks Gary!! 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A MUST READ! Von Rick Turnbull An absolute must read for anyone. It is the most thought provoking book next to the Bible I have read in years. It ranks along side PILGRIMS PROGRESS. Pastor Kinnaman gets to the heart of cultural spiritual myths addressing them in a clear biblical based way. I picked this book up while browsing @ a local book store. It clearly was not by chance. As a member of the Canadian Pentecostal Assemblies I needed to read reflect on this book's contents facing my own biases and confront my own myths. I pray you take the time to read this book. It is a very easy read which you will hopefully find challenging and rewarding in your personal life and that of your churches. I would love sometime to meet the author or better yet sit under his Pastorate. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Makes you think about what you're thinking about! Von Customer It was just the book that I've been looking for. Honest and insightful, full of revelation. I love how Mr. Kinnaman talks so candidly about depression and the stigma that goes along with this and other related illnesses right in our Christian communities. Mr. Kinnaman just jumps right in there and tells it like it is, I love and respect that. It has been a God send for me and I hope that others find it as wonderful a book as I have.

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