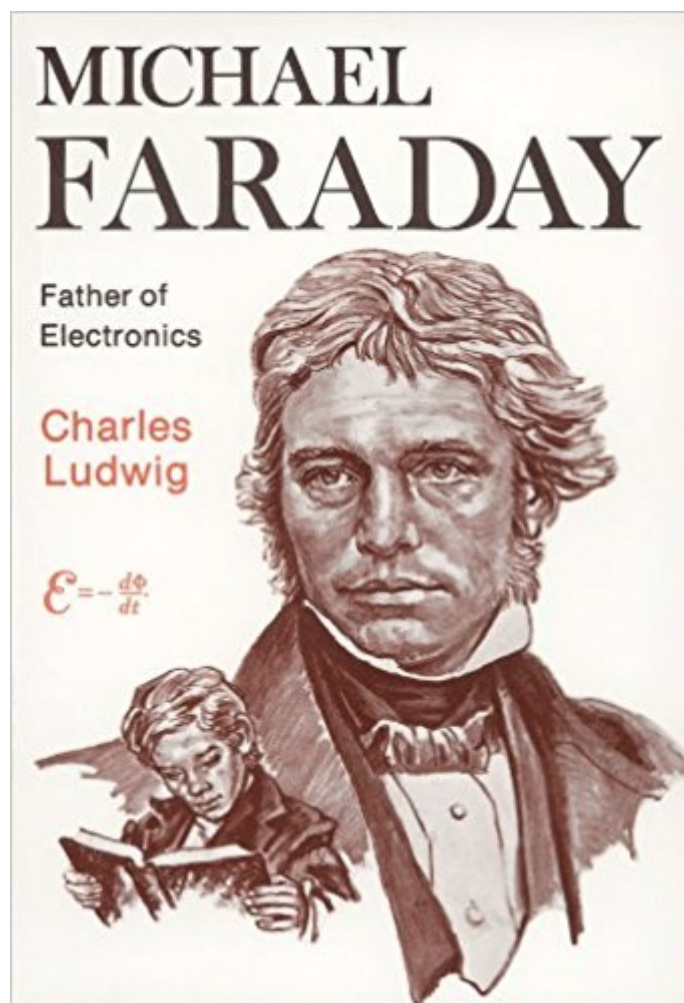


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Michael Faraday: Father Of Electronics



Synopsis

Charles Ludwig retells Michael Faraday's remarkable life story in fictionalized form. Here is the father of the electric motor, the dynamo, the transformer, the generator. Few persons are aware of the brilliant man's deep Christian convictions and his determination to live by the Sermon on the Mount. For ages 12 to 15.

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Been looking for a book like this for a long time. Inspiring, interesting, and uplifting don't begin to describe this book. The author is a first-rate writer and connector of ideas who I suspect would be capable of turning the most mundane subject into a thoroughly enjoyable read. I will look out for other works by this author.

This is a good book and deserves all the 5 star ratings. Faraday life and accomplishments are among the most impressive of any scientist of any time. However, if you are buying this for science facts and an explanation of Faraday's discoveries you are going to be sadly disappointed.

A remarkable and memorable book! An A+. A 10. I ran across a copy at the Santa Barbara library's donated books for sale shelves and liked the "look" of the book. The size and the "heft", too. I bought it with other books mostly to support the library selling it, :-) but when I got home, I started to

read it. It is an amazing read. Mr. Ludwig's style is surprising, different and intriguing. Mr. Ludwig's outlook on Michael Faraday's life and how and why he accomplished what he did, combined in that style, made the unprepossessing book quite a read! I read the whole thing right then and there and found it an amazing reading experience. The envisioning and portraying by Mr. Ludwig of Michael Faraday and Faraday's life, world, era, and beliefs is very, very, special. The overall "portrait" is unforgettable. I do not see this as just a child's or student's book. I see it as an inspiration. I plan to give copies to thoughtful friends and family. Read it. Judge for yourself and pass it on. Highly recommended.

I was captivated. This is well written. For me, the book was written so I felt as if I knew Faraday as a friend. His daily life, while interesting scientifically, was rather simple, yet the book is written in such a way that you find the amazing excitement that Faraday felt as he made his many discoveries. What an amazing man, from basically uneducated to having a fundamental physical and parameter carry your name. Wow!

Adults and children alike will find this book fascinating as it pulls you into the life of Michael Faraday and his family. The obstacles he had to overcome keeps one wanting to read on as you wonder how we will prevail. My one wish was that I could read more. My children and I have all found this book to be an easy read regardless of our ages (39, 11, 9). I was never bored and we all finished the book in record time.

My 13 year old son loves the subject of electromagnetism and asked me to purchase a book for him about this man. It was small enough for him to read through without getting bored. Great homeschool material!

An easy and compelling read for middle school age children to adults. Michael was a man who loved "thinking God's thoughts after him" as he pursued scientific truth for the benefit of humanity.

This is a good overview of the life of Michael Faraday, the man Einstein said was the greatest scientist of all time. It is written for the junior reader, but it is better than other biographies of Michael Faraday that I've seen.

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