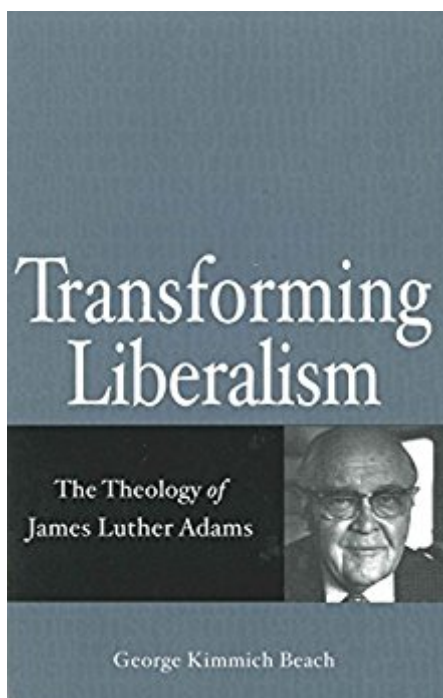


The book was found

# Transforming Liberalism: The Theology Of James Luther Adams



## Synopsis

"James Luther Adams, one of the most beloved teachers, raconteurs, scholars and editors of the 20th century, wrote in small units rather than full-length books. No one has mastered this vast body of material or grasped its inner coherence better than Beach, who not only edited several earlier volumes of Adams's works but has now compiled the main themes into this compelling, coherent, readable and delightfully integrated whole. It is a magnificent achievement, done with nuance, art and accuracy. I would not be surprised to see this volume trigger a resurgence of liberalism in theology and social thought." • Max L. Stackhouse, DeVries Professor of Theology and Public Life and Director of Kuyper Center for Public Theology, Princeton Theological Seminary "Adams was the most transforming figure in 20th-century Unitarian Universalism. Having previously edited Adams's essays, Beach masterfully gives us the master himself" • the smiling prophet of liberal religion. • John A. Buehrens, co-author of *A Chosen Faith* "Beach leads the reader on a discursive, personal journey through the mind and faith of James Luther Adams. Rich in parable and paradox, Adams's thought remains vivid, his cautions instructive and his spiritual and ethical commitment worthy of abiding emulation." • Forrest Church, author of *Freedom from Fear* "Until now, we have glimpsed James Luther Adams's vision through his parables and short writings. Here is the book that many have sought in his life-work" • a systematic yet nuanced and entirely readable theology for a new religious liberalism. George Kimmich Beach is the editor of three volumes of essays by James Luther Adams: *The Prophethood of All Believers* (Beacon Press, 1986), *An Examined Faith: Social Context and Religious Commitment* (Beacon Press, 1991) and *The Essential James Luther Adams: Selected Essays and Addresses* (Skinner House Books, 1998). Beach has published essays on Adams in *The American Journal of Theology and Philosophy*, *Faith and Freedom* (Great Britain) and *The Unitarian Universalist Christian*. His video, "JLA at Home," features Adams discussing his life and work with laypersons from Arlington, Virginia, in 1988.

## Book Information

File Size: 1672 KB

Print Length: 378 pages

Simultaneous Device Usage: Unlimited

Publisher: Skinner House Books (February 2, 2017)

Publication Date: February 2, 2017

Language: English

ASIN: B01N7ZLNX8

Text-to-Speech: Enabled

X-Ray: Not Enabled

Word Wise: Enabled

Lending: Not Enabled

Screen Reader: Supported

Enhanced Typesetting: Enabled

Best Sellers Rank: #369,897 Paid in Kindle Store (See Top 100 Paid in Kindle Store) #29

in Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > Religion & Spirituality > Other Religions, Practices & Sacred Texts > Unitarian Universalism #69 in Books > Religion & Spirituality > Other Religions, Practices & Sacred Texts > Unitarian Universalism #393 in Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > Religion & Spirituality > Religious Studies & Reference > Theology

## Customer Reviews

Beach offers a thorough look at J.L. Adams' work spanning the boundaries between analysis, reminiscence and apology. The prose is wonderfully rich and the portrait of Adams emerging from the pages depicts a man committed to social justice and honesty with amazing religious depth. If I had been aware of Adams in religiously formative years, I might have a substantially different world view today!

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Transforming Liberalism: The Theology of James Luther Adams James Harden: The Inspirational Story of Basketball Superstar James Harden (James Harden Unauthorized Biography, Houston Rockets, Oklahoma City Thunder, Arizona State University, NBA Books) Ansel Adams: The Camera (The Ansel Adams Photography Series 1) The Adams-Jefferson Letters: The Complete Correspondence Between Thomas Jefferson and Abigail and John Adams Luther: The Life and Longing of Luther Vandross Luther: The Life and Longing of Luther Vandross: (Updated and Expanded) Martin Luther King: The Essential Box Set: The Landmark Speeches and Sermons of Martin Luther King, Jr. The Annotated Luther, Volume 5: Christian Life in the World (Annotated Luther) Faith in Luther: Martin Luther and the Origin of Anthropocentric Religion The Annotated Luther, Volume 4: Pastoral Writings (The Annotated Luther) The Annotated Luther, Volume 3: Church and Sacraments (The Annotated Luther) Luther's Small Catechism: With Explanation and Luther's Preface DDT and the American Century: Global Health, Environmental Politics, and the Pesticide That Changed the World (The Luther H. Hodges Jr. and Luther H. ... Entrepreneurship,

and Public Policy) DDT and the American Century: Global Health, Environmental Politics, and the Pesticide That Changed the World (The Luther H. Hodges Jr. and Luther H. Hodges ... Entrepreneurship, and Public Policy) A Prescription for Change: The Looming Crisis in Drug Development (The Luther H. Hodges Jr. and Luther H. Hodges Sr. Series on Business, Entrepreneurship, and Public Policy) FOUNDING FATHERS â “ The Men Behind the Revolution: Complete Biographies, Articles, Historical & Political Documents: John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Alexander ... James Madison and George Washington Martin Luther’s Theology of Beauty: A Reappraisal Martin Luther’s Theology: A Contemporary Interpretation On Being a Theologian of the Cross: Reflections on Luther’s Heidelberg Disputation, 1518 (Theology) Martin Luther’s Theology: Its Historical and Systematic Development

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)