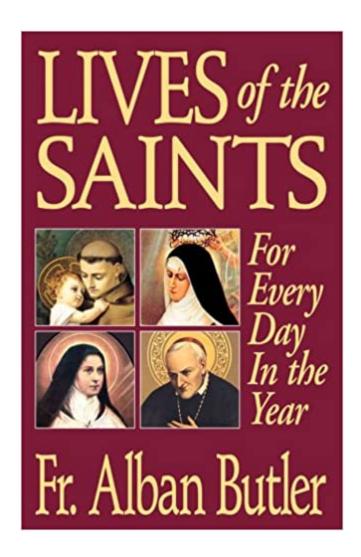


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Beautiful little book...rich in religious history. Easy read. Well written.

This book was given as a gift. Since it was an unexpected gift with no special occasion attached to it, it was received with delight. Nevertheless, the book is found to be most satisfactory with the helpful suggestions for daily meditations. Since I did not see the book (the gift was to an address

some distance from me), I can only go by the words of gratitude from the person to whom I gave it.

I bought this book back in 2011 and have read it every day for the last couple of years. This book has brought me closer to God through the Saints. This is the real book. The earliest copyright is 1878. This is a wonderful book written indeed by Father Alban Butler. The reflections alone are worth reading. Only the Saints on pages 393-422 were not written by Father Butler because they became Saints after his death. I really loved reading this book and I highly recommend it. Don't buy the updated version this is the only one you need!

Not as detailed as I thought it would be but still very interesting to read about Saints that are not to well known. The daily inspirations at the end of each bio are really nice.

Great resource.

What a wonderful book. Easy way to read the Saint of the day. You get about a page on each Saint.

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continue to use it everyday...very interesting....was not aware of all these saints

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