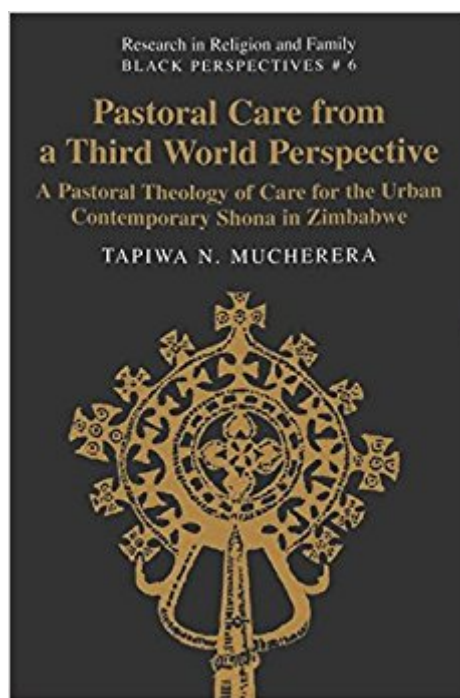




The book was found

Pastoral Care From A Third World Perspective: A Pastoral Theology Of Care For The Urban Contemporary Shona In Zimbabwe (Research In Religion And Family)



Synopsis

The advent and approach of colonization and Christianity condemned the African traditional religion and culture as paganistic and backward. This created issues of bi-culturalism and bi-religiousness in personal and religious identity that the church needs to address. For those living in most post-colonial countries, there is the existence of deep psychological and spiritual scars that need healing. The Western Christian rituals in use in most African mainline churches exclude any traditional religious rituals. A new pastoral theology of care and psychodynamic understanding of integrative consciousness is needed in these contexts. A pastoral care-giver with integrative consciousness (possessing an awareness of both the traditional and Western worldview and/or integration thereof) is required to address the psychological and religious identity conflict existing in post-colonial contexts such as Zimbabwe.

Book Information

Series: Research in Religion and Family (Book 6)

Paperback: 197 pages

Publisher: Peter Lang Inc., International Academic Publishers; 2nd ed. edition (September 29, 2005)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0820481343

ISBN-13: 978-0820481340

Product Dimensions: 0.2 x 6 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 1.0 out of 5 stars 1 customer review

Best Sellers Rank: #3,205,657 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #241 in [Books > History > Africa > Zimbabwe](#) #2433 in [Books > Religion & Spirituality > Other Religions, Practices & Sacred Texts > Tribal & Ethnic](#) #3106 in [Books > Christian Books & Bibles > Ministry & Evangelism > Preaching](#)

Customer Reviews

«Tapiwa N. Mucherera breaks new ground in narrating Shona religion and culture and specifying the impact of Christianity and Western culture on the indigenous methodology and cosmology. Because his work moves from the particular to the universal, it is easy for outsiders to see parallels with their own situation. His work on post-colonial literature is one of the best I have seen. «Pastoral Care from a Third World Perspective» is without parallel.»
(Noel Leo Erskine, Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Atlanta, GA)

The Author: Tapiwa N. Mucherera is Assistant Professor of Pastoral Counseling at Asbury Theological Seminary in Wilmore, Kentucky. He received his Ph.D. in religion and theological studies from the joint Ph.D. program at the University of Denver and Iliff School of Theology. An ordained United Methodist pastor, he served several churches in Zimbabwe, Iowa, and Denver. Mucherera worked with several counseling centers in Denver and was involved in debriefing with friends and family survivors following the tragic Columbine high school shootings in 1999.

I tried to return this item and received nothing but a run around.

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

Pastoral Care from a Third World Perspective: A Pastoral Theology of Care for the Urban Contemporary Shona in Zimbabwe (Research in Religion and Family) The Soul of Mbira: Music and Traditions of the Shona People of Zimbabwe Draw in Perspective: Step by Step, Learn Easily How to Draw in Perspective (Drawing in Perspective, Perspective Drawing, How to Draw 3D, Drawing 3D, Learn to Draw 3D, Learn to Draw in Perspective) A Beginner's Urban Survival Prepping Guide: Basic Urban Self Defense Guide And Survival Tips in the Prepping Urban Environment(The Prepper's Urban survival ... A Beginner's Urban Survival Prepping Urban Homesteading: Become a Self Sustainable Urban Homesteader to Get off the Grid, Grow Food, and Free Yourself (Urban Homesteading: A Complete Guide ... a Self Sustainable Urban Homesteader) The Urban Sketching Handbook: Understanding Perspective: Easy Techniques for Mastering Perspective Drawing on Location (Urban Sketching Handbooks) WOMAN BATTERING (Creative Pastoral Care and Counseling) (Creative Pastoral Care & Counseling) Crisis Counseling (Creative Pastoral Care and Counseling) (Creative Pastoral Care & Counseling) Becoming a Healthier Pastor (Creative Pastoral Care and Counseling) (Creative Pastoral Care & Counseling) Third Eye: Third Eye Activation Mastery, Easy And Simple Guide To Activating Your Third Eye Within 24 Hours (Third Eye Awakening, Pineal Gland Activation, Opening the Third Eye) CAT CARE: BEGINNERS GUIDE TO KITTEN CARE AND TRAINING TIPS (Cat care, cat care books, cat care manual, cat care products, cat care kit, cat care supplies) Baby, You are My Religion: Women, Gay Bars, and Theology Before Stonewall (Gender, Theology and Spirituality) Theology and Down Syndrome: Reimagining Disability in Late Modernity (Studies In Religion, Theology, and Disability) An Introduction to Theology in Global Perspective (Theology in Global Perspectives) Zimbabwe & Malawi Handbook: With Botswana, Mozambique and Zambia (Zimbabwe and Malawi Handbook) The Zimbabwe Fact and Picture Book: Fun Facts for Kids About Zimbabwe (Turn and Learn)

Zimbabwe Country Studies: A brief, comprehensive study of Zimbabwe Zimbabwe (Bradt Travel Guide Zimbabwe) Zimbabwe Handbook: Travel Guide to Zimbabwe (Footprint - Handbooks) In Living Color: An Intercultural Approach to Pastoral Care and Counseling Second Edition (Practical Theology)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)