

## Pastor Jeff's Favorite Books

### [\*Mere Christianity\* by C.S. Lewis](#) (1952)

A classic of Christian apologetics based on the transcripts of radio broadcasts in England during World War II

### [\*The Screwtape Letters\* by C.S. Lewis](#) (1942)

A satire in the form of a series of letters from a senior devil to a junior devil about how to tempt humans

### [\*The Great Divorce\* by C.S. Lewis](#) (1945)

A fantasy based on a person's dream about people getting to a vacation from hell to visit heaven

### [\*The Abolition of Man\* by C.S. Lewis](#) (1943)

A series of lectures where the author attacks the modern idea that there are no moral absolutes

### [\*Gilead\* by Marilynne Robinson](#) (2004)

A novel that comprises the fictional autobiography of the Reverend John Ames, a pastor in a small town, who knows that he is dying of a heart condition

### [\*The Pursuit of God: The Human Thirst for the Divine\* by A.W. Tozer](#) (1948)

A modern classic about pursuing an intimate relationship with God

### [\*The Complete Stories\* by Flannery O'Connor](#) (1971)

A collection of fictional short stories by one of the most famous southern authors

### [\*My Utmost for His Highest\* by Oswald Chambers](#) (1927)

A daily devotional that is considered one of the most popular religious books ever written

### [\*Orthodoxy\* by G.K. Chesterton](#) (1908)

A classic defense of Christianity that explains how the author came to believe

### [\*Nicomachean Ethics\*](#) by Aristotle (about 340 BC)

A basic text of Western Civilization about how people should best live

### [\*Cruciformity: Paul's Narrative Spirituality of the Cross\*](#) by Michael J. Gorman (2001)

An introduction to the thought of St. Paul

### [\*The Divine Conspiracy: Rediscovering Our Hidden Life in God\*](#) by Dallas Willard (1998)

A modern classic about the true meaning of Christian discipleship

[\*A Prayer for Owen Meany\*](#) by John Irving (1989)

A novel that tells the story of an adult who is barely five feet tall and weighs less than one hundred pounds but who nonetheless believes he is an instrument of God

[\*Godric\*](#) by Frederick Buechner (1980)

A novel set in the Middle Ages about a Christian saint, Godric of Finchale

[\*Saint Maybe\*](#) by Anne Tyler (1991)

A novel about how an ordinary family reacts to disastrous events in their lives