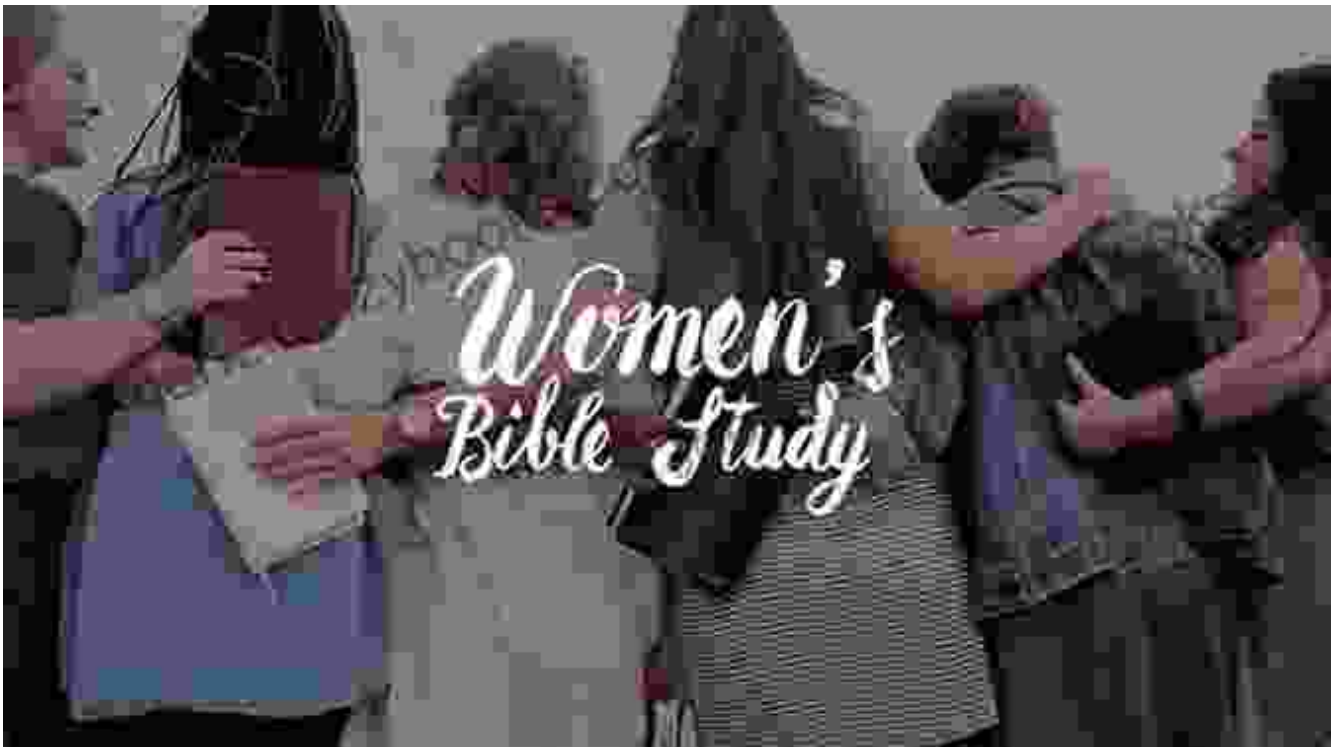


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Canadian Women Shaping Diasporic Religious Identities: Studies in Women and Religion delves into the rich tapestries of women's lived experiences, exploring how they navigate and shape their religious identities within diasporic communities.

This thought-provoking volume brings together a distinguished group of scholars who examine the complex interweaving of gender, religion, and ethnicity through the lens of women's experiences as daughters, mothers, wives, activists, and religious leaders.

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Meet the Contributors:

This esteemed volume features contributions from leading experts in their respective fields, including:

- **Dr. Tracy Trothen**, Professor of Sociology at the University of Western Ontario
- **Dr. Anila Baig**, Associate Professor of Islamic Studies at the University of Toronto
- **Dr. Aparna Rao**, Associate Professor of Sociology at the University of Alberta
- **Dr. Stephanie Krebs**, Assistant Professor of Religious Studies at the University of Chicago
- **Dr. Lori Beaman**, Professor of Anthropology at the University of Saskatchewan

Together, these scholars have crafted a compelling work that sheds new light on the complex dynamics of diasporic religious identity formation among Canadian women.

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- **"Negotiating Boundaries: Muslim Women's Identity Formation in the Canadian Diaspora"** examines the ways Muslim women navigate religious and cultural expectations within their diasporic communities.

- **"Becoming Buddhist while Remaining Chinese: The Case of Chinese Diasporic Buddhist Women"** explores the negotiation of religious and ethnic identities among Chinese women who practice Buddhism.
- **"Gender, Religion, and Activism: Sikh Women Shaping Sikh Identity in the Diaspora"** highlights the agency of Sikh women in shaping Sikh identity through community activism and interfaith dialogue.
- **"The Mother Daughter Relationship as a Site of Religious Transmission: The Case of Jewish and Muslim Diasporic Families"** examines the role of mothers in transmitting religious values and practices to their daughters.

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"This volume is a groundbreaking contribution to the study of diasporic religious identities. The authors provide nuanced and insightful analyses of the ways Canadian women from diverse backgrounds navigate and shape their religious selves. Essential reading for anyone interested in gender, religion, and migration."

- Dr. Evelyn Alsultany, Professor of Religious Studies, University of Southern California

"A timely and important book that sheds light on the complex experiences of women grappling with their religious identities in today's globalized world. The chapters offer a wealth of empirical data and theoretical insights, making this a valuable resource for scholars and policymakers alike."

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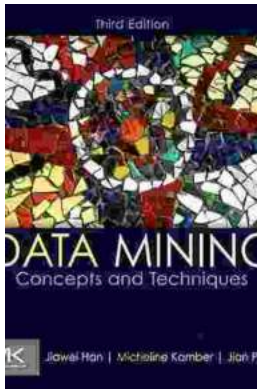
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