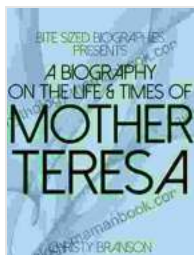


Mother Teresa: A Bite-Sized Biography of the Saint of the Gutters

Mother Teresa, also known as Saint Teresa of Calcutta, was a Catholic nun who dedicated her life to serving the poor and sick in Calcutta, India. She founded the Missionaries of Charity, a religious order that continues her work today.

Mother Teresa was born Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu on August 26, 1910, in Skopje, Macedonia. Her parents were devout Catholics, and she was raised in a loving and supportive home. From a young age, Agnes felt called to religious life, and she entered a convent at the age of 18.



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In 1929, Agnes was sent to Calcutta to teach at a school for girls. It was there that she first encountered the extreme poverty and suffering of the city's slums. She was deeply moved by the plight of the poor, and she

began to spend her free time visiting them and helping them in any way she could.

In 1946, Agnes received a call from God to leave the convent and to dedicate her life to serving the poor. She took the name Teresa and began to live among the poorest of the poor in Calcutta. She founded the Missionaries of Charity in 1950, and the order quickly grew, establishing homes for the dying, the destitute, and the abandoned.

Mother Teresa's work was recognized around the world, and she received numerous awards, including the Nobel Peace Prize in 1979. She continued to work tirelessly until her death in 1997. She was canonized by the Catholic Church in 2016.

Mother Teresa's Legacy

Mother Teresa's legacy is one of compassion, service, and love. She dedicated her life to helping the poorest of the poor, and she showed the world that even the smallest acts of kindness can make a difference.

Mother Teresa's work continues today through the Missionaries of Charity. The order has over 4,500 sisters in 133 countries, and they continue to provide care for the sick, the dying, and the abandoned. Mother Teresa's example of love and service continues to inspire people around the world.

Timeline of Mother Teresa's Life

* **1910:** Agnes Gonxha Bojaxhiu is born in Skopje, Macedonia. *

1928: Agnes enters a convent in Ireland. * **1929:** Agnes is sent to

Calcutta to teach at a school for girls. * **1946:** Agnes receives a call from God to leave the convent and to dedicate her life to serving the poor. *

1948: Agnes founds the Missionaries of Charity. * **1950:** The Missionaries of Charity open their first home for the dying in Calcutta. * **1962:** Mother Teresa opens her first home for children in Calcutta. * **1973:** Mother Teresa is awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. * **1975:** Mother Teresa is created a Citizen of India. * **1994:** Mother Teresa steps down as Superior General of the Missionaries of Charity. * **1997:** Mother Teresa dies in Calcutta. * **2016:** Mother Teresa is canonized by the Catholic Church.

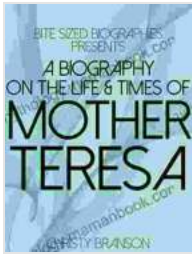
Mother Teresa's Impact on the World

Mother Teresa's work has had a profound impact on the world. She has inspired countless people to dedicate their lives to serving others. She has also raised awareness of the plight of the poor and the sick, and she has helped to change the way that we think about poverty and suffering.

Mother Teresa was a true saint, and her legacy will continue to inspire people for generations to come.

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Mother Teresa is a shining example of what is possible when we open our hearts to the needs of others. She showed us that even the smallest acts of kindness can make a difference. Let us all be inspired by her example and strive to make the world a better place.



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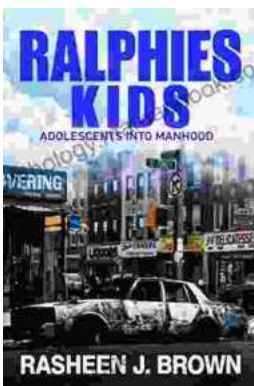
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