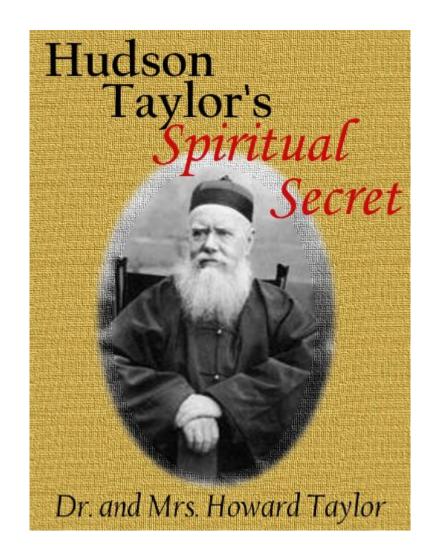


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# **Hudson Taylor's Spiritual Secret**





## Synopsis

This is the classic biography of Hudson Taylor, the missionary to China and the founder of the China Inland Mission. This is a must read for anyone considering missions or already engaged in it and encouragement to any Christian.

## **Book Information**

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We see the struggles, parks, and victories Hudson Taylor experienced in his missionary journey. What lessons, what character, what encouragement! As a missionary, I'm encouraged by his work. Because I'm reading this biography, I'm mailing it a goal to eat at least 2 more biographies of the great missionary leaders.

Still in the process of reading but it is a great book of Hudson Taylor's spiritual journey. I had never heard of him until last year. He is one of the great saints of our faith.

I've heard various parts of Hudson Taylor's story over the years. However, this account, written by

his daughter-in-law, gave me a new perspective on the founder of the China Inland Mission (now OMF). This book details the development of Hudson Taylor's faith from his teenage conversion to his last day on earth. One of the highlights for me involved reading about how Taylor grew to understand faith in everyday decisions, such as even doing without butter and milk, before God could guide him to the next step. Another involved learning how Hudson Taylor had to experience his own time in a "cave" (see 1 Samuel 22:1-2) before emerging as the great missions leader we celebrate today. Perhaps most inspiring for me was the record of Taylor's paralysis experience in 1874-1875, when he maintained his focus and determinedly kept up with his mounting correspondence through dictating to others. This book is not as neatly written as I would have liked. Also, I must agree with what has previously been written about the Kindle edition. However, this work did succeed in inspiring me to grow in my prayer life and seek the life of faith and perseverance that Hudson Taylor demonstrated in the most trying of circumstances.

I recommend this book to any who are counting the cost of following Christ and obeying his command to preach the gospel to every creature! Though some of Taylor's choices are difficult to swallow, it is hard to argue with God's provision in his life in response to his faith and prayers

This book, along with the Autobiography of George  $M\tilde{A}f\tilde{A}$  Iler $\tilde{A}$   $\tilde{A}$  The Autobiography of George  $M\tilde{A}f\tilde{A}$  Iler, are two great testimonies to men and women of faith who were called by God to works much bigger than themselves. Their stories of simple obedience and trust are both inspiring and convicting.

The first few chapters were pretty rough to get through in the old style of writing and not very interesting but once the story gets moving, I was blessed by the example this great man left us. Get through the first few chapters like digging for buried treasure. You will not be disappointed.

His life was a life consecrated to God with the single focus of bringing the gospel to China. This is an inspiring read and highly recommended.

A wonderful testimony of God's grace power and love. A strong call onward to greater trust, faith, and perseverance in Christ Jesus and His power and ways. May we ever seek Him for a greater move of His Holy Spirit to save souls and bring us to greater levels of holiness in Himself! He is worthy and He is ever faithful! May we follow Him in the ways He chooses for us! Not my will but

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