

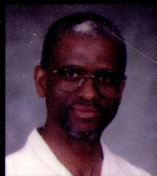
"*Afro-Caribbean Religions* is an excellent book—richly informative, well researched, and well organized. Murrell explains complex religions in accessible language and successfully informs the reader about the content and history of the religions that are so respectfully presented here. It is truly an enjoyable read, in which one learns something new on virtually every page. I expect *Afro-Caribbean Religions* to receive an enthusiastic reception among students and professors alike for many years to come."

—**Dr. Terry Rey**, Associate Professor and Chair of Religion,  
Temple University

"Murrell has produced a very useful and long overdue introduction to African Caribbean religious traditions. His synthesis of a wide-range of scholarship on African Brazilian traditions, Haitian Vodou, and Rastafari is especially impressive. The categorization of topics is well executed, and the presentation of traditions is carefully laid out in a structure that is thematically cohesive and allows readers to connect the content and arguments across each chapter. I expect that Murrell's book will commend itself as a classic over time in the field, especially given the dearth of comprehensive publications on African Caribbean religions."

—**Dianne Stewart Diakité**, Associate Professor of Religion,  
Emory University

In *Afro-Caribbean Religions*, Nathaniel Samuel Murrell provides a comprehensive study that respectfully traces the social, historical, and political contexts of these religions. This accessibly written introduction examines the cultural traditions and transformations of every African-derived religion of the Caribbean, along with its cosmology, beliefs, cultic structures, and ritual practices. Ideal for classroom use, *Afro-Caribbean Religions* includes a glossary that defines key terms and identifies key figures.



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