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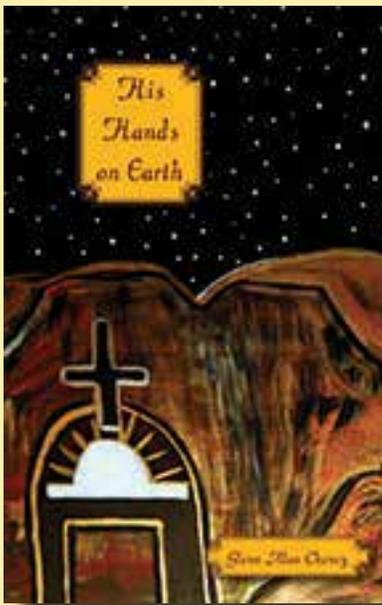
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All of the titles are accessible to high school students. Indeed, every Catholic high school library should have these books on their shelves. They are as inspirational as they are educational.

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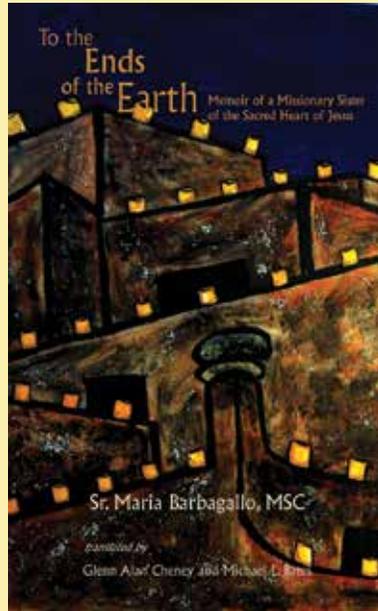


His Hands on Earth: Courage, Compassion, Charism, and the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
by Glenn Alan Cheney
cloth, paperback, digital

His Hands on Earth looks into the lives and work of Cabrini Sisters in some of the most difficult and desperate places in the world. Some have confronted the AIDS epidemic in Swaziland. Others labor in the slums of Argentina and the outback of Brazil. Others have lived among the poor in Nicaragua during the revolution. Others serve the poorest of the poor in gang-controlled districts of Guatemala City. Others shelter desperate migrants at a desert safehouse in northern Mexico.

These stories of compassion, courage, dedication, and faith portray the quietest heroes in the world. As Glenn Alan Cheney explores their lives, he sheds light on situations in places too often overlooked. Their stories are history in the making, depictions of a world still struggling for decency, dignity, justice, and goodwill.

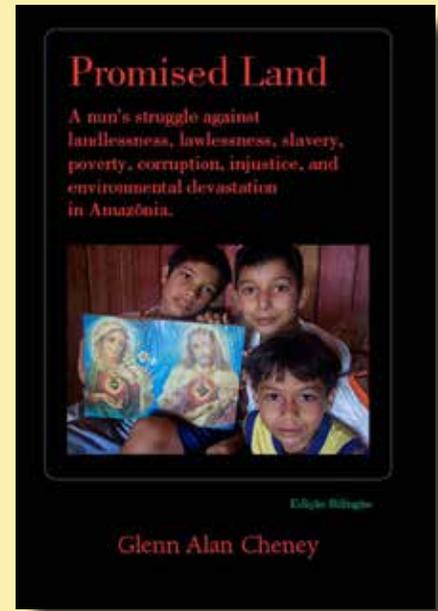
This title is also available in Spanish, Portuguese and Italian.



To the Ends of the Earth: Memoir of a Missionary Sister of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
by Sr. Maria Barbagallo
cloth, paperback, digital

Sr. Maria Barbagallo spent the 1970s in Central America, a time of religious, political and tectonic upheaval. The Medellin Conference shifted Catholic work toward helping the poor and downtrodden. Earthquakes destroyed Guatemala City and Managua. Revolutions and dictatorships were tearing apart Nicaragua, Guatemala, and El Salvador. Clerics helping the poor were seen as communist sympathizers and were often arrested or murdered. When the Sandinistas overthrew the government of Nicaragua, the MSCs found themselves in a conflict between the Sandinistas, the Contra counter-revolutionaries and the virulently anti-communist papacy of John Paul II.

This is Sr. Maria's story, in her own words. It's a story of world history, personal discovery, and faith, a story that could be told by none other than this remarkable woman.

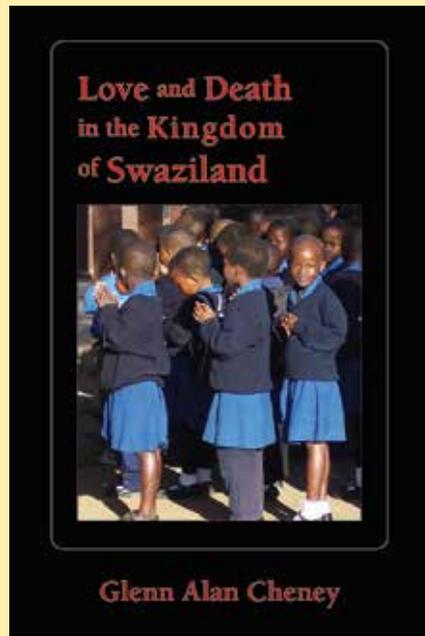
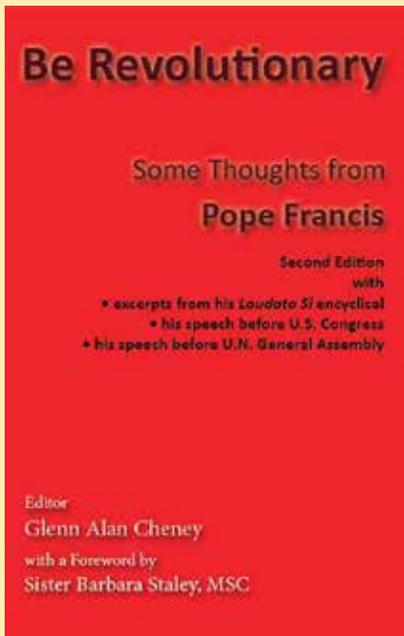


Promised Land: A Nun's Struggle against Landlessness, Lawlessness, Slavery, Poverty, Corruption, Injustice, and Environmental Devastation in Amazonia.
by Glenn Alan Cheney
paperback

Sister Leonora Brunetto lives and works in the Amazon region. With Brazil's federal government all but nonexistent there, the "Law of the .38" rules. Wealthy squatters use violence to defend their illegal holdings. Slavery is common. Distant forest fires turn the sky pink, and local brush fires threaten towns and encampments. Courts are unreliable, and police are often pistoleiros available for hire.

Sr. Leonora receives daily death threats, and pistoleiros have hounded her, broken into her home, and murdered people she works with. She does not believe God will stop the bullets when they come for her. God has given us a perfect world, she says, and that's all he's going to do for anybody. It's up to us to take care of the world he gave us.

Catholic Values, Ethics, and Activism



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Be Revolutionary: Some Thoughts from Pope Francis

by Pope Francis
with an Introduction by Sr. Barbara Staley, MSC
cloth, paperback, digital

This remarkable compilation of papal thoughts touches on more than 120 of the crucial issues of our times. Slavery, the war industry, climate change, Islamophobia, disposable people, the role of the elderly, possession of land, care for the poor, capitalism, the wealth gap, thme preservationm of species, and so much more.

Published with the permission of the Vatican, this book also includes the Hly Fther's Laudato Si encyclical on the environment, his speech before the U.S. Congress, and his speech before the United Nations.

More than a mere collection of thoughts, this book is a lesson in history, sociology, economics, current events, ethics, religion, enviromental sciences, and geography.

Love and Death in the Kingdom of Swaziland

by Glenn Alan Cheney
paperback, digital

When Sisters Diane DalleMolle and Barbara Staley arrived in Swaziland, a third of the population had AIDS, tuberculosis was endemic, and ten percent of the Swazi people were orphans. Children were raising children as the adults around them wasted away.

The sisters worked with little help from the outside world. Dealing with drought, heat, illiteracy, disease, corruption, rape, black magic, witch doctors, and lethal snakes, they fed, housed, and educated over a hundred orphans. They established an HIV/ TB clinic. They installed a municipal-scale water system. They introduced the Swazi culture to a new idea: the notion of loving thy neighbor.

programs were a model for other non-governmental organizations.

This short book portrays a desperate and mysterious world where two women used love and guts to make a difference