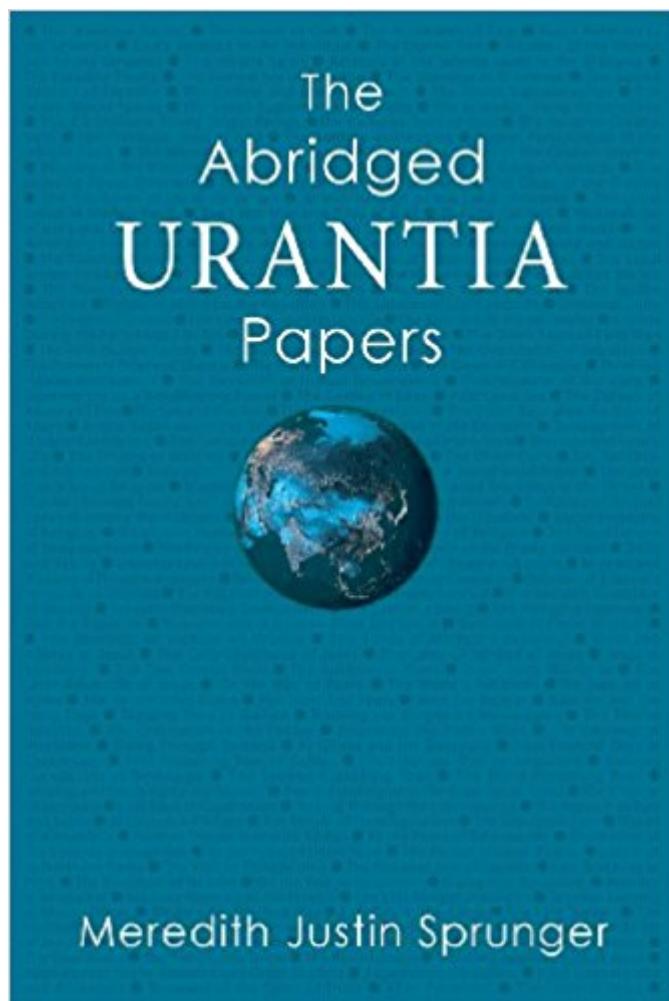


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I have been a reader of the Urantia Book for 44 years. Quoting a friend of mine: "I believe the Urantia Book compiles the most accurate facts (truth) ever presented about God and Creation in 1935, a snapshot if you will." I would add that the UB effectively marries Science and religion in a most harmonious and effective way. This particular version is but an abbreviated version of a very

large book. A great resource for those who have read and reread the main text over the years.

Great spiritual wisdom

Clearly a labor of love for the late Meredith Sprunger. The original is highly recommended, but a challenging read. This book makes it easier for the neophyte to enter into the ideas.

This is a great way to get an idea of The Urantia Book but the beautiful language of the "Big Book," itself is lacking. True, The Urantia Book is a "language in and of itself," but it's worth it. Want to know the answers to more questions than you can even think to ask? Then give this a try...either the Abridged Papers or the whole 2000 + pages in The Urantia Book.

This book is a step in the right direction in "translating" the technical language that overwhelms the reader in the first half of the unabridged original. However, some of the most technical language is still used. But, overall, Sprunger's abridgment is helpful for the neophyte who is reading the original for the first time.

The Abridged Urantia Papers is a very practical and very effective way to read the massive volume (2097 pages) of the Urantia Book. It is a very informative, but concise way to get a necessary overview of the Urantia Book material while at the same time it whets the appetite to read the original volume. It will be a very useful companion to have on hand for times to come.

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