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The Sacred Thread : The Development of Personality according to Hindu Traditions and Jungian Psychology / Rudolf Hogger
Kathmandu: Vajra Books, 2014
ix, 200p.
9789937623209
\$ 50.00 / PB
674gm.

The Sacred Thread is an ancient symbol of the invisible tie that links all living beings among each other as well as with their transcendental source of origin (sutratman). In the Eastern Tradition, women and men are considered to be mature personalities only if they not only fulfill their practical everyday duties but also orient their lives towards a cosmic spiritual reality.

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Kathmandu: Himal Books, Himal Kitab Pvt Ltd. 2014

156p.

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\$ 45.00 / PB

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Making Business Count for Peace : Reflections from Tourism Sector
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Kathmandu : South Asia Office of the Swiss National Centre for
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University and Nepal Center for Contemporary Research, 2013

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Food Security in Post Conflict Nepal : Challenges and Opportunities /
(Ed) Bishnu Raj Upreti, Sagar Raj Sharma and Suman Babu Paudel
Kathmandu : Nepal Centre for Contemporary Research (NCCR) and
Department of Development Studies, School of Arts, Kathmandu
University, 2014

162p.

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Contested Development in Nepal : Experiences and Reflections /
(Ed) Sagar Raj Sharma (et. al.)
Kathmandu : School of Arts, Kathmandu University and Nepal Centre
for Contemporary Research (NCCR), 2014
ix. 122p.
9789937888301
\$ 20.00 / HB
352gm.
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Mountain Tourism in Nepal / Tak Raj Gurung
Kathmandu: Pratima Gurung, 2007
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This book is an attempt to study and analyse the mountain tourism in
Nepal, with special reference to trekking and mountaineering. It has
laid a special focus on the salient features of mountain tourism.
<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=170028>

Sustainable Mountain Development : Getting the Facts Right / Jack
D. Ives
Lalitpur, Nepal : Himalayan Association for the Advancement of
Science (HimAAS), 2013
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\$ 90.00 / HB
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History

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Lalitpur, Nepal : Shirish Singh, 2014

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Voyage to Nepal / Gustav Le Bon; Translated by Niloufar Maoven,
Cecilia Leslie

2nd Ed.

Kathmandu : Himal Books, 2014

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First Published in French In 1886

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Kathmandu: Himal Books, Himal Kitab Pvt Ltd., 2014

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1410gm.

This book portrays the changes seen in Dolakha District in eastern Nepal over the past 40 years. The Photographs in colour and Black & White take us back to vanishing traditions, costumes, knowledge, and the struggles of the hill people on their way to a better future.

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Novel

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Representative Anthology of Contemporary Nepali Poetry / Govinda Raj Bhattarai (Tr)
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Kathmandu : Central Bureau Statistics. December, 2013
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14th Ed.

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Guru Yoga Having the Seal of the Essence / Jigme Lingpa

<http://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=170039>

Golden Faces of Dipankara Buddha : Samyak Mahadana Festival of Nepal : Excellence in Newari Arts & Crafts / Chandra B Shakya
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Distinguishing the Views : Moon Rays Illuminating the Crucial Points of the Excellent Vehicle / Gorampa Sonam Senge; Translated by Khenpo Jamyang Tenzin, Pauline Westwood
Kathmandu: Vajra Books, 2014

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210gm.

This text is one of his main works on the Madhyamaka school of thought. Gorampa starts by refuting two views of reality he holds to be mistaken, namely those taught by Dolbuba Sherab Gyaltzen, often regarded as the founder of the Jonang School and by Tsongkhapa Lobsang Dragpa, founder of the Gelug Tradition. He then presents the Middle Way according to his school, emphasizing its adherence to the original intention of the Indian Tradition.

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Cultivating a Heart of Wisdom : Oral Instructions on the Mind Training in Seven Points / Khenchen Appey Rinpoche
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Kathmandu: EBHR in association with Social Science Baha, 2014
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158gm.

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Contributions to Nepalese Studies : Volume 40, Number 2, July 2013 / (Ed) Naniram Khatri

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281p.
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