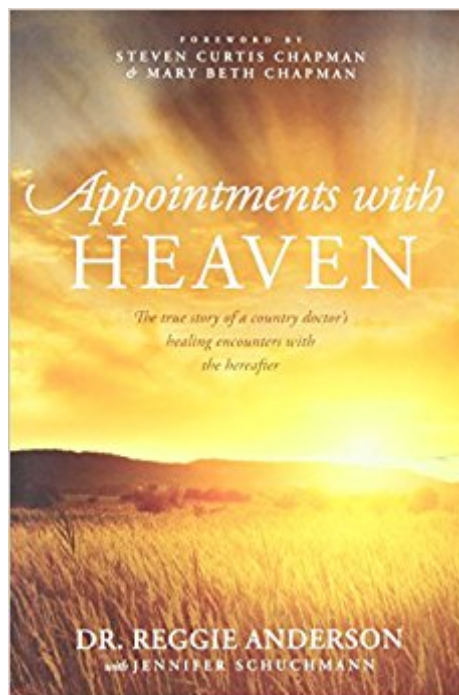




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# Appointments With Heaven: The True Story Of A Country Doctor's Healing Encounters With The Hereafter



## Synopsis

When Dr. Reggie Anderson is present at the bedside of a dying patient, something miraculous happens. Sometimes as he sits vigil and holds the patient's hand . . . he can experience what they feel and see as they cross over. Because of these God-given glimpses of the afterlife •his appointments with heaven • Reggie knows beyond a doubt that we are closer to the next world than we think. Join him as he shares remarkable stories from his life and practice, including the tragedy that nearly drove him away from faith forever. He reveals how what he's seen, heard, and experienced has shaped what he believes about living and dying; how we can face the passing of our loved ones with the courage and confidence that we will see them again; and how we can each prepare for our own appointment with heaven. • Soul-stirring and hope-filled, Appointments with Heaven is a powerful journey into the questions at the very core of your being: Is there more to life than this? What is heaven like? And, most important: Do I believe it enough to let it change me?

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## Customer Reviews

Dr. Reggie Anderson has practiced family medicine for over 25 years and was recently awarded the Frist Humanitarian Award by the Centennial Medical Center in Nashville. A graduate of the University of Alabama Medical School, Reggie is a physician with the Frist Clinic. He also serves as Chief of Staff of TriStar Ashland City Medical Center, as well as medical director of three nursing homes. Reggie and his wife Karen have four adult children and reside on a farm in Kingston

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I picked up *Appointments With Heaven* By Reggie Anderson the last day that Jacob was on this earth. I was struggling along with his pain that day so sat on the couch by him and read. I needed something spiritual to help me get through it. I've read several books about Heaven before. I don't doubt that some people are able to get a glimpse of Heaven while here on earth. It's just hard to know which books are honest and which are not (because some I've read seem so far fetched that you really have to question them). Written by a doctor who not only had his own glimpse of Heaven but also has had some with patients as they cross over. It's a subtle glimpse at Heaven. Reggie Anderson tells us how he lost his faith for some time and how he gained it back. How caring for the living and the dying has helped him see parts of not only Heaven, but also hell. The book kept me interested the whole way through and helped strengthen my own faith, especially in a time when I needed it.

Good read. Its good to see what Heaven may be through someone else eyes. This book is encouraging and uplifting. You may be ready to go to Heaven but you best get busy because He has work for you to do right now. Linda W

I thoroughly enjoyed reading *Appointments With Heaven* .This has been such a blessing to me. I too have experienced tragic loss in my life. I have wondered as well, the why's, as all of us do. I've also considered if not for having the promise through Christ that is offered to all of us the terrible fate that we would have. The gift of life is truly precious and our Heavenly Father has given us this gift to begin with. He created us in his image and his likeness. We have the same emotions he has, when Christ was on earth, he grieved with Martha and many others. I think of when Jesus - Yesuha our Saviour was dying of the cross how the Father allowed his sufferings . It was even foretold in the writing in the Holy profits. In the book of Isaiah 53: 10-12 But it was the Lord's good plan to crush him and fill him with grief. Yet when his life is made an offering for sin, he will have a multitude of children, many heirs. He will enjoy a long life and the Lord's plan will prosper in his hands. When that is accomplished by his aguish he will be satisfied. And because of what he has experienced, my righteous servant will make possible for many to be counted righteous. For he will bear all their sins. I will give him the honors of one who is mighty and great, because he exposed himself to death. He was counted among those who were sinners. He bore the sins of many and interceded for sinners. I had a revelation while reading this book , how could we possibly know the

overwhelming grief and anguish Christ suffered on our behalf to give us the gift of life forever in his presence ? And the precious gift of Heaven had we not had our own hearts broken from grief we might have missed the significance of it all. The magnitude of this profound love God has for us. Romans 8: 18-30 says Yet what we suffer now is nothing compared to the glory he will give us later. For all creation is waiting eagerly for that future day when God will reveal who his children really are. Against its will, everything on earth was subjected to God's curse. All creation anticipates the day when it will join God's children in glorious freedom from death and decay. For we know that all creation has been groaning as in the pains of childbirth right up to the present time. And even though we as Christians, although we have the Holy Spirit within us as a foretaste of future glory, also groan to be released from pain and suffering. We, too, wait anxiously for that day when God will give us full rights as his children, including the new bodies he has promised us. Now that we are saved, we eagerly look forward to this freedom. For if you already have something, you don't need to hope for it. But if we look forward to something we don't have yet, we must wait patiently and confidently. This book has given me a glimpse of Heaven and we need to constantly remind ourselves and others of this future reality that is ours.

I converted to Christianity some time in my young teenage life after being raised by Atheists. I had to keep this conversion a secret to avoid repercussion. I believe that my past has resulted in my extraordinary interest in the subject of near death experiences & stories related to experiencing heaven. I have read many of these books & this is my favorite so far. It is so inspiring and I highly recommend it.

It is an interesting and exciting book unlike any other - especially on this delicate subject. Well written and organized; Doctor Anderson adds his humorous views when it is appropriate. It reveals so much we don't yet know about heaven. My husband recently passed over, and this book is very comforting and welcome at this time.

Doctor Anderson's personal story is a fascinating read, because it candidly deals with human responses to tragedy and God's involvement in death and near-death experiences. Through his description of his personal struggle with tragedy at age 10, turning against God, then his life-changing encounter with God years later, the reader can identify with his reactions. All of his early experiences seemed to prepare him for a life of witnessing his patients' spiritual transitions from life to death. This and his own heavenly encounters gave him insight that helped

him deal with the trauma of losing loved ones. As a human-interest story and for gaining insight to the reality of the spiritual realm, I highly recommend this book.

This is a wonderful book! I have ordered it for a friend for her birthday. I loaned it to another friend and she loved it so much that she ordered it for her daughter and mother-in-law. The book starts in the author's childhood and follows his service as a country doctor and his awesome experiences observing the passing of many of his patients. Inspiring, reassuring, touching

I loved this book and have given it as a gift to a Doctor that I worked with. He cared for his patients much as this doctor did. I wish more doctor's would read and treat their patients with the love and non-judgmentalness as this doctor did. Of course they may have to be sick and die themselves first. It was an excellent read and testimony. Would definitely recommend to anyone in the medical field.

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