



## Philosophy's Own Religion (Paperback)

By Don Cupitt

SCM PRESS, United Kingdom, 2012. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book. In this book Don Cupitt presents his systematic philosophy of religion. He begins by showing what is wrong with the way the subject is usually taught: scraps from various philosophies of the past are selected for use in the service of an agenda controlled by theology. Inevitably, the result is something closer to religious apologetics than to genuine philosophy. Cupitt sets out his alternative approach in two parts. The first is a democratic metaphysics . Cupitt describes popular systematic philosophy as being today the most urgently needed, and yet the most neglected, kind of philosophy. He describes his own position as combining nihilism with radical humanism, and as a language-mediated radical religious humanism . From this, Cupitt then derives philosophy's own religion : It is without dogma. It is a religion of life in which we learn to say Yes to, transience, to practise expressive or solar living, and to be humanitarians in social ethics. r Philosophy's own religion is the religious outlook we would come to if we were to make a new beginning, and to be strictly rational. It is not wholly novel: versions of...



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