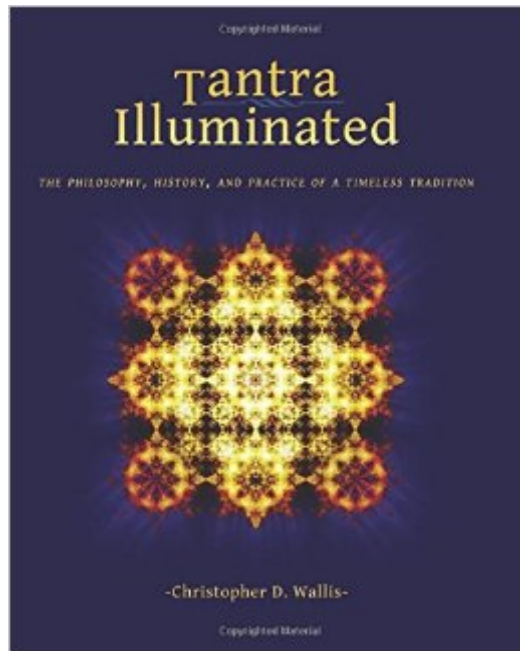


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The great American zen master Philip Kapleau once said that the very best books are those that make you want to practice. This is definitely such a book. It is a profoundly well-written book, an impressive book, that is fun and exciting to read. Not only that, this book clearly transmits shaktipat to anyone with a heart that resonates with what it is saying. I have been a yogi for about 50 years now and have had the incredible good fortune to spend time with the Siddha Guru Baba Muktananda and train with him at his New York ashram, so I am somewhat familiar with what this author calls Nondual Shaiva Tantra (NST). But I am not a scholar, pundit or intellectual. None-the-less, reading this book is a profound spiritual experience along with an in-depth education in the most life positive spiritual system known to humankind. Although it can take you to incredible intellectual and philosophical heights, the real treasure is that NST provides you with the means to realize its truth for yourself. It is a yoga. It is not something you have to believe or accept. It is

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