

No matter who you are, no matter where you are on your spiritual journey, you are welcome here.

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Christian Fundamentalism stresses that “miracles” are to be taken literally.

How magic and miracles got introduced into humanly constructed religions.

Cultures can develop just like humans.

How miracles got introduced into the Jewish tradition.

One of my goals is to free
both Jesus and the Bible from
the “confines of
conservatism.”

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To follow Jesus is to have a
commitment to truth,
compassion, inclusion and justice.

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Martin

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Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
forgive our foolish ways;
re clothe us in our rightful mind,
in purer lives thy service find,
in deeper reverence, praise.

Breathe through the heats of our desire
thy coolness and thy balm;
let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;
speak through the earthquake, wind,
and fire,
O still, small voice of calm.



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After the stories of Elijah and Elisha, the stories of miracles disappear for 800 years!

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Nature miracles

Raising from the dead
miracles

Healing miracles



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AMUSING OURSELVES TO DEATH

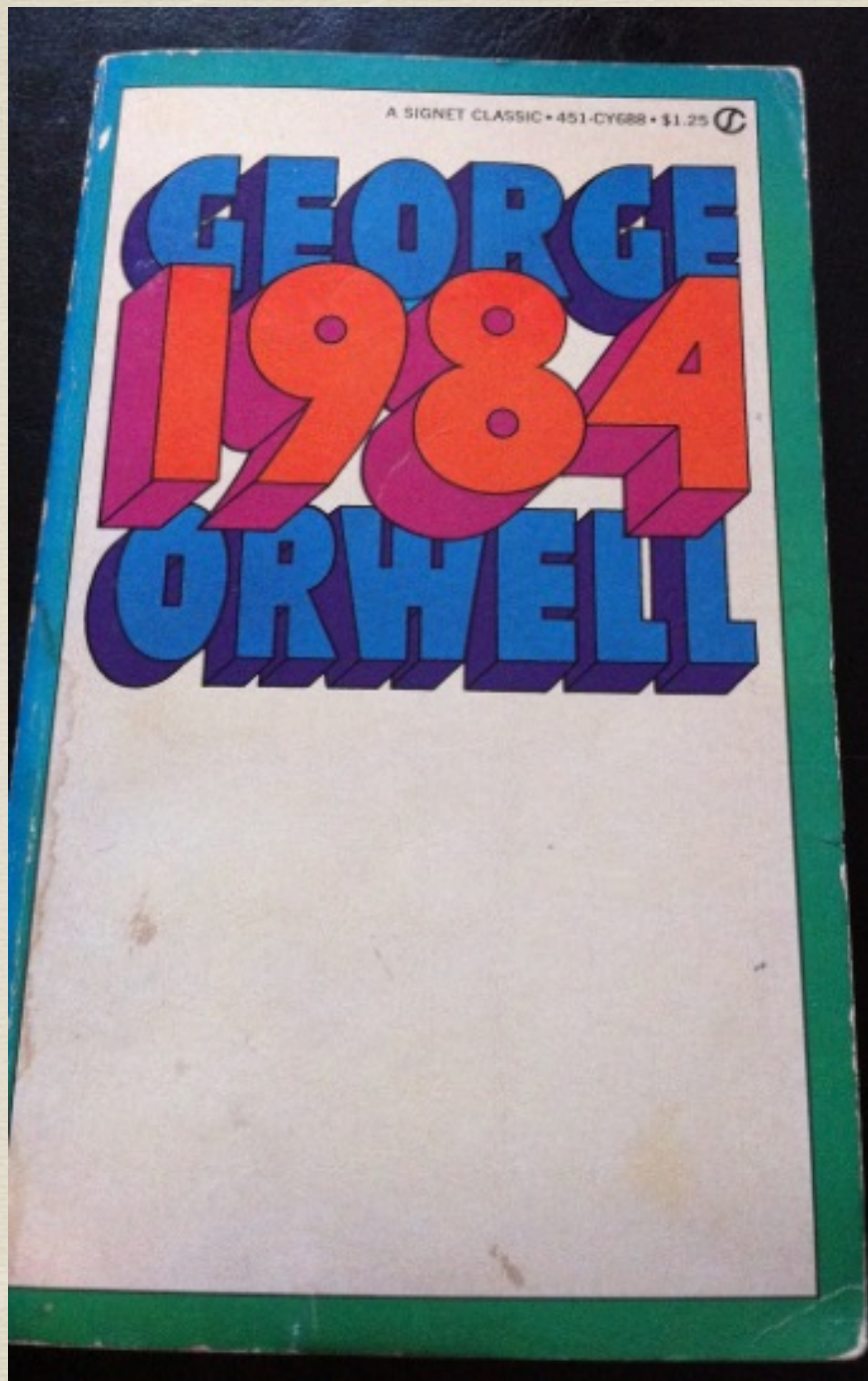
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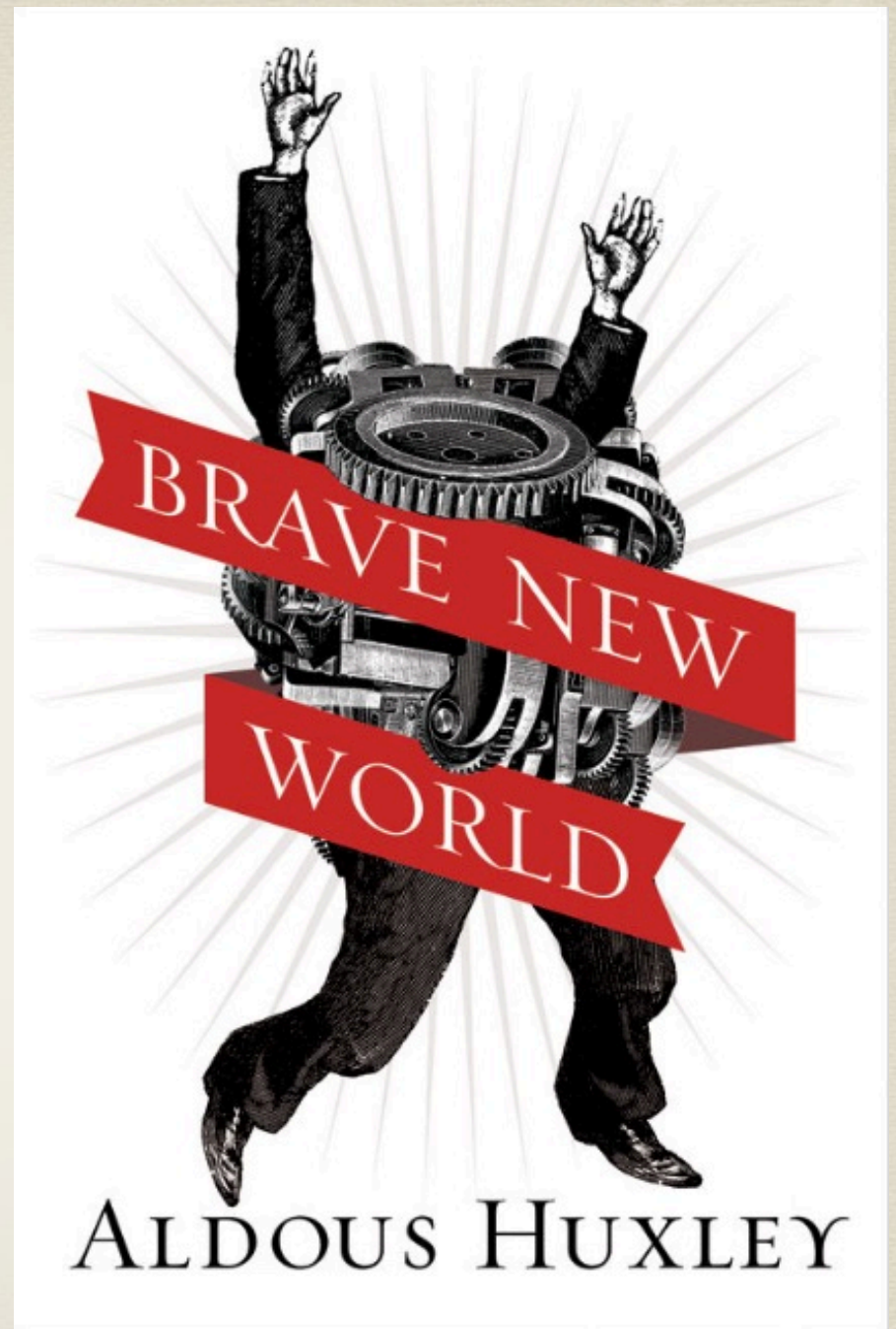
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New Introduction by Andrew Postman

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We are living in a culture that is
addicted to the finite,
with the illusion that it is enough
for us.

What is “getting us through the
day,” is destroying us.

There are over 42 million American adults, 20 percent of whom hold high school diplomas, who cannot read.

This number is growing by two million people a year.

Eighty percent of the families in the United States last year did not buy a book.

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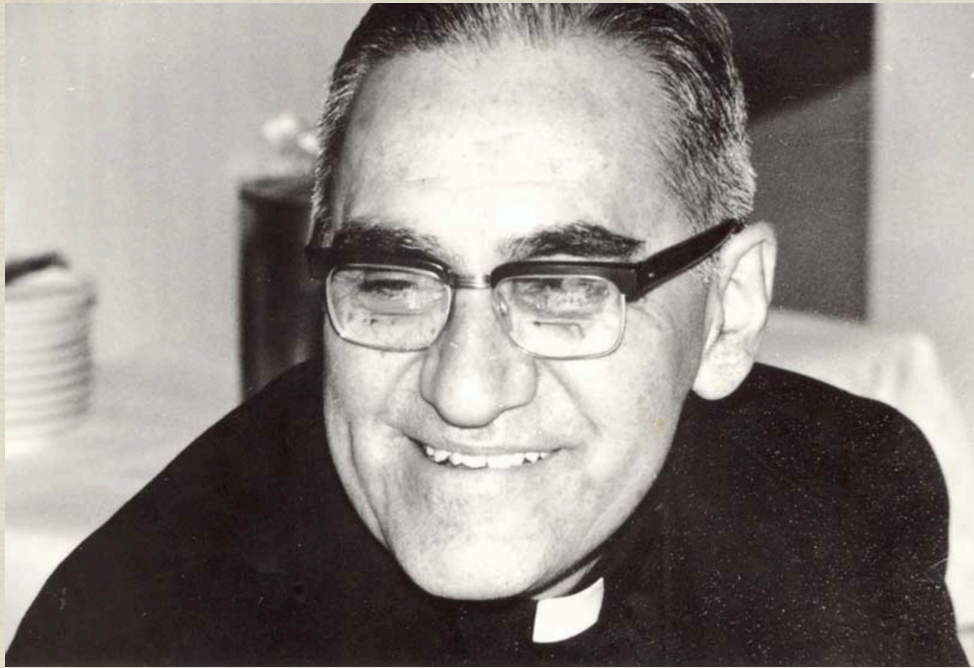
“Ignorant people do not seek after wisdom. For herein lies the evil of their ignorance, that those who are neither good nor wise are nevertheless satisfied with themselves; they have no desire of which they feel no want.”

- Plato



Christ the Teacher

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When I feed
the poor, they
call me a saint.

When I ask why
they are poor,
they call me a
communist.

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“Unfortunately, brothers and sisters, we are the product of a spiritualized, individualistic education. We were taught: Try to save your soul and don’t worry about the rest. We told the suffering: Be patient, heaven will follow, hang on. No, that’s not right, that’s not salvation! The salvation that Christ brings is salvation from every bondage that oppresses human beings.”

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We are called to make the
paradigm shift to a new
cosmology where every single
second is a miracle.

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