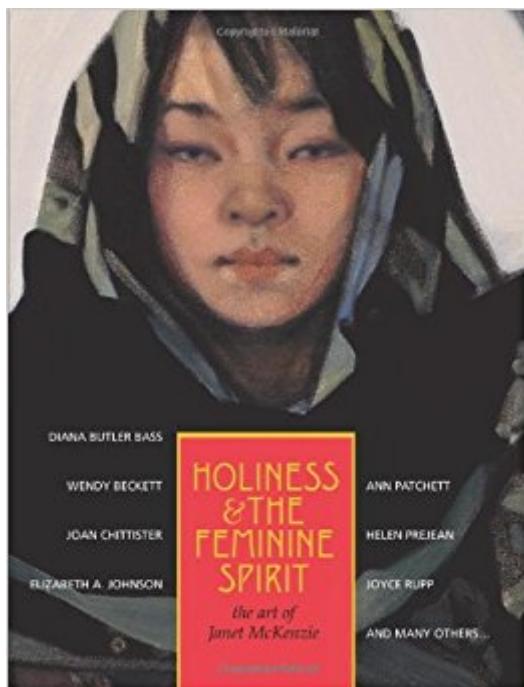


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# Holiness And The Feminine Spirit: The Art Of Janet McKenzie



## **Synopsis**

This work explores how holiness can empower women and how empowered women work to bring about the reign of God. The paintings of Janet McKenzie and the accompanying reflections follow the life of Jesus through the women who gave him birth and carried his message to the world.

## **Book Information**

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## **Customer Reviews**

I have always been somewhat moved by, and have carried in my mind the image of Ms. McKenzie's "Jesus of the People" which won the NCR millennium Jesus art contest. I purchased copies of this new book to give as Christmas gifts to friends and am very pleased with it. This artwork evokes more of an emotional faith reaction that expands or focuses faith in boundaries not usually felt by the viewer. Yes, it is a feminist perspective, but it does not shut out male eyes...and perhaps gives a man a new prism in acknowledging and honoring womanhood. I was particularly thrilled to read the comments for each picture by women spiritual writers...but I'd argue that McKenzie's works speak more to personal interpretations and emotions that do not easily lend themselves to description. (or a book review!) Janet McKenzie is to be recognized as an artist with a vision and emotive sense that can say something to the viewer...but expressing the reaction in words may seem inadequate. And I am sure my Christmas gift of this book will truly touch the faith of the recipients.

beautiful paintings along with beautiful words!! Janet is both so talented, creative, spiritual, and loving..her traits come through in her works and other people's words about her..Seeing her talent from high school days up until present time has been a treat for me!! It is always so special when an

individual can truly follow their dreams!!

Great condition and a wonderful book of reflections and thought provoking art.

Happy with the purchase.

This is a magnificent collection, not only of truly inspirational reproductions of Janet McKenzie's painting, but also of thoughtful and meaningful essays and other reflections that accompany them. I liked this book so much that I ordered an additional copy to send to one of my granddaughters who is a budding artist herself.

The Paintings of Janet McKenzie are wonderful testaments to the quiet power of women everywhere and the essays compliment the paintings in a total affirmation of the feminine experience. I recommend this book for spiritual people of all religious backgrounds not just Christians.

This book is beautiful and meaningful... Jan's artwork is exciting. It opens your eyes. The meditations on each painting are well done and invite the reader into a deeper understanding of the feminine spirit.

Beautiful artwork by Janet McKenzie and beautiful prose to accompany each from women who exemplify the feminine spirit.

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