

## PUBLICATIONS BY AND ABOUT THOMAS MERTON

We continue with this issue of *The Merton Seasonal* to provide a "running bibliography" of publications by and about Thomas Merton which have been recently published and/or acquired by the Thomas Merton Studies Center. For a fuller listing of previous publications, the reader is referred to Marquita E. Breit and Robert E. Daggy, *Thomas Merton: A Comprehensive Bibliography* (New York & London: Garland Publishing Company, 1986). Copies of Volume 11, Numbers 2, 3 and 4 of *The Merton Seasonal* for 1986 are available.

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1. *Cables to the Ace*; paper edition reissue (Greensboro, North Carolina: Unicorn Press, 1986): 60p. [\$6.00]
2. "Faulkner meditations: *The Wild Palms*." *Epiphany* 7 (Fall 1986): no. 1, pp. 52-67.
3. *Mystics and Zen Masters*; 2nd printing/ paperback (New York: Farrar, Straus & Giroux, 1986): x, 303p. [\$8.95]
4. *Sacred Heart/ Six Songs for Soprano, Clarinet and Piano on Poems of Thomas Merton/ Music by Brent Weaver* (Monmouth, Oregon: Western Oregon State College, 1985): 25p.  
Includes I. Song for nobody; II. The winter's night; III. Wisdom; IV. Song: In the shadows of the round ox; V. Litany; VI. Sacred heart.
5. *Seeds of Contemplation*; facsimile ed. (New York: New Directions, 1986): 201p. [\$18.95]
6. [Spiritual direction and meditation & What is contemplation? - Spanish] *Direccion y contemplacion: Direccion espiritual y meditacion y? Que es contemplacion?*; tr. into Spanish by Maria Luisa Lezcano (Madrid: Sociedad de Educacion Atenas, 1986): 147p.
7. "Symphony for a sea bird." Excerpt *The Way of Chuang Tzu*. In *Three Grey Geese/ Modern Writings in Honor of Animals*; ed. Margery Cornwell-Robinson (New York: The Joyce Mertz-Gilmore Foundation, 1985): p. 18-19.

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2. Ballantine, Beverley. "Daggy, Breit author Merton bibliography." Comment on *Thomas Merton: A Comprehensive Bibliography*; ed. Marquita E. Breit and Robert E. Daggy. *The Concord* 37 (1 December 1986): no. 13, p. 5.
3. Baumstein, Paschal, O.S.B. "Thomas Merton and Bob Dylan." Comment on "Ace of Songs -- ace of freedoms: Thomas Merton and Bob Dylan," by Brother John Albert, O.C.S.O. *Cistercian Studies* 21 (1986): no. 4, article no. 93, pp. 86-87.
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Includes several sections on Thomas Merton: "Merton's youthful conversion" (pp. 159-177); "Merton's conversion: a developmental analysis" (pp. 177-184); "Theological interpretations and Merton" (pp. 200-203); "Merton at Gethsemani" (pp. 228-268).
5. Cooper, David D. "A new comprehensive Merton bibliography." Comment on *Thomas Merton: A Comprehensive Bibliography*; ed. Marquita E. Breit and Robert E. Daggy. *Cistercian Studies* 21 (1986) no. 4, article no. 92, pp. 85-86.
6. Crews, Clyde F. "[Review of] *The Legacy of Thomas Merton*"; ed. Brother Patrick Hart." *Courier-Journal* (Louisville) (28 September 1986): p. 111.
7. Cunningham, Lawrence S. "The black painting in the Hermit Hatch: a note on Thomas Merton and Ad Reinhardt." *Merton Seasonal* 11 (Autumn 1986): no. 4, pp. 10-12.
8. Daggy, Robert Edward. "Cistercian scholarship computerized." Comment on *Guide to Cistercian scholarship*; ed. Rozanne Elder and Benoit Chauvin. *Cistercian Studies* 21 (1986): no. 3, article no. 82, p. 76
9. Frederickson, James. "Are religious orders obsolete?"/ With responses by Norbert F. Gaughan, Theodore Hesburgh, Kay Ashe, James Hitchcock, Marty Kirk, Sally Cunneen and Brother Patrick Hart. *The Critic* (Winter 1986): pp. 3-23.

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Includes a drawing of Thomas Merton by Fritz Eichenberg.
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12. Graves, George. "Merton course at Bellarmine College has elderly pupils waiting in line." *Louisville Times* (1 November 1986): p. A4.
13. Harris, Sydney J. "The whole point of growth." *The Cincinnati Enquirer* (15 October 1986): p. 5.
14. Hart, Patrick, O.C.S.O. "Sixteenth Conference on Cistercian Studies, Kalamazoo/ May 8-11, 1986." *Cistercian Studies* 21 (1986): no. 4, pp. 374-378. Includes "A Thomas Merton Conference: Sessions I-VII."
15. Hart, Patrick, O.C.S.O. *Thomas Merton: First and Last Memories/* Text by Brother Patrick Hart; Illustrations by Jim Cantrell (Bardstown, Kentucky: Necessity Press, 1986): unpagged [22p.]. \$30.00  
Limited edition of 250 copies.
16. Heiser, William Charles, S.J. "[Comment on] *Merton, By Those Who Knew Him Best*;" ed. Paul Wilkes." *Theology Digest* 33 (Summer 1986): no. 2, p. 279.
17. Imperato, Robert. "Thomas Merton on compunction and on nothing." *Cistercian Studies* 21 (1986): no. 3, pp. 259-271.
18. Inman, Will. "Reachers and bringers." Poem *Merton Seasonal* 11 (Autumn 1986): no. 4, p. 13.
19. Justice, Cornelius, O.C.S.O. "The vocation of Thomas Merton." Comment on "La vocation du Pere Thomas Merton," by Charles Dumont, O.C.S.O. *Cistercian Studies* 21 (1986): no. 3, article no. 62, pp. 57-58.
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