



## The Presidents Their Faith From George Washington to Barack Obama

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Elevate: Faith. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 272 pages. Dimensions: 9.0in. x 6.0in. x 0.7in. The old adage, never discuss religion and politics, is roundly rejected in this incisive exploration of presidential history and religious faith. The Presidents and Their Faith is a fascinating and informative look at how every U. S. president exercised their personal faith, exerted presidential power, and led a religiously diverse nation. Has there ever been a stranger prayer than Trumans, offered upon Americas successful development of the atom bomb: We pray that He may guide us to use it in His ways and for His purposes At the nations founding, Northeast Presbyterians demanded explicit mention of Jesus in the Constitution. George Washington refuted them, saying that religious piety was a matter best left between an individual and his God; religious instruction was the responsibility of religious societies, not the civil state. What drove Washington to make that argument, and what if he had lost Who wouldnt feel like the exasperated FDR when he said, I can do almost everything in the Goldfish Bowl of the Presidents life, but Ill be hanged if I can say my prayers in it. It bothers me to feel like something...



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