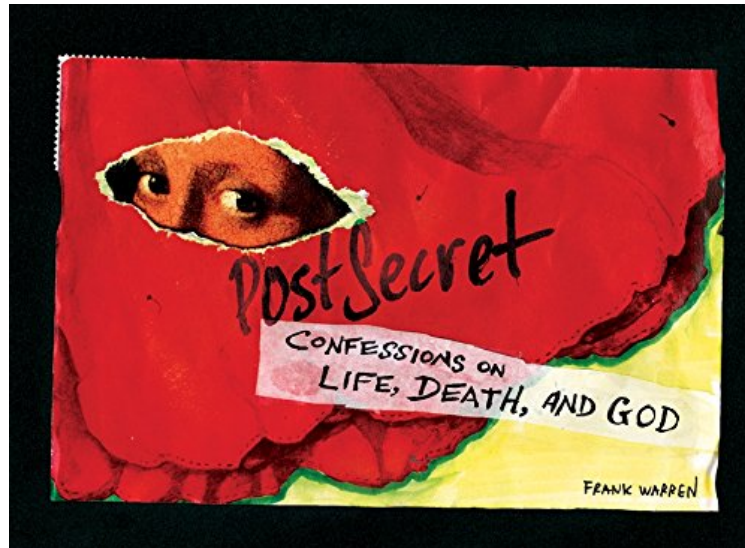


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God is the fifth book in the PostSecret series. Best described in Warren's own words, "This book was inspired by a collection of more than three hundred postcards that were part of an exhibition at the American Visionary Museum called "All Faiths Beautiful. The never-before-seen secrets between these pages were chosen to expose the common landscape of our private lives - from our embarrassing desires to our hidden acts of kindness; from the private prayers of atheists to the voiceless doubt of believers." Each genre-bending tome is too beautiful to hide on a bookshelf and too intense to leave alongside the toilet. The bedrock of PostSecret and the series of books are the hauntingly exquisite anonymous postcards. Messages tear at the reader's gut and tears tumble freely. Only apathetic stoics escape the searing pain of the sender. Cathartic for the writer and the reader, affixing a stamp or hitting send frees one from the agony and rage so often the tipping point into self-destructive behavior. The startling messages and images are in many languages, across ethnicities, religions, and borders. Geography, age, sex, and sexual orientation are at once divergent and deeply unifying. A gray and white rendering of a map depicting two people on different continents bears the French phrase, "Nous Allons trouver une solution," which translates to "We'll find a solution." A page of death notices is the background of a card reading "I check the obituaries everyday hoping my ex-boyfriend is dead." And the terrifying message "If it said yes. I was going to kill myself" emblazoned over the image of a pregnancy test wand. These are a few of the extraordinary emotions and fears raging on the pages of Confessions on Life, Death, and God. On the horizon is the PostSecret App where users will connect with like-minded people, read and share anonymous secrets and access the ominous images and text. Frank Warren began PostSecret as a community art project in 2004. To date more than half-million secrets have landed in Warren's real life mailbox and a quarter-billion people have visited the organization's website. Confessions on Life, Death, and God Frank Warren 2009 Designed by Joy O'Meara ISBN 978-0-06-185933-5

#1 New York Times Bestseller The PostSecret phenomenon lives on! Frank Warren, the most trusted stranger in America, offers the fifth book in his New York Times bestselling series. PostSecret: Confessions on Life, Death, and God born from Warren's collaboration with the American Visionary Art Museums All Faiths Beautiful exhibition is another provocative collection of never-before seen, artistically created postcards from around the world revealing the shocking, soulful or laugh-out-loud funny thoughts and feelings we all share about life's most profound questions. The original PostSecret was selected by the Los Angeles Times as a Favorite Book of the Year. The postsecret.com website has won numerous Weblog Bloggie Awards including Weblog of the Year and Best American Weblog. Webby and a Peoples Voice Award and receives more than six million visitors a month, proof positive that we live in a PostSecret world!

#1 New York Times Bestseller (New York Times) From the Back Cover For the past four years, Frank Warren, known as "the most trusted stranger in America," has invited people all over the world to send him creatively decorated postcards bearing secrets they have never before revealed. He has shared these PostSecrets on his blog, in an internationally traveling art exhibit, and in four electrifying and bestselling books: PostSecret, My Secret, The Secret Lives of Men and Women, and A Lifetime of Secrets. Warren's fifth book presents a never-before-seen collection of the most personal PostSecrets he's ever received those dealing with life, death, and issues of faith and belief. The book lays bare the confessions of people at every stage of life, from every major faith (or from no faith). Warren's latest collection of secrets is his most profoundly moving yet. About the Author Frank Warren started PostSecret as a community art project where he invited total strangers to anonymously mail in their secrets on a homemade postcard. This simple act sparked a global phenomenon. Frank has received over 1 million secrets in his mailbox with more arriving every day but Sunday. PostSecret.com has won seven Webby Awards and is the most visited advertisement-free blog in the world. The postcards have been curated for five New York Times bestselling books and have been exhibited at the Museum of Modern Art and the American Visionary Art Museum. Frank has traveled the world sharing secrets and stories from Australia to the White House. There is a PostSecret album, a PostSecret TED Talk and a PostSecret Play on tour. In 2011 Frank was awarded the HopeLine Lifetime Achievement Award for his work on suicide prevention and was invited to the White House to work on issues of mental wellness. Frank lives in Germantown, Maryland, with his wife and daughter.