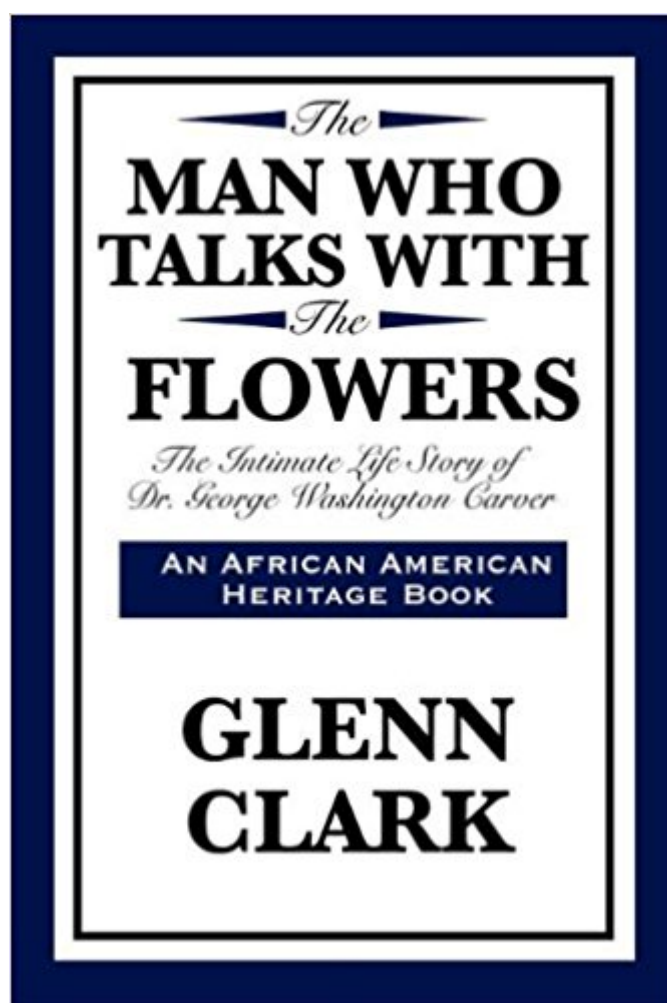


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The Man Who Talks With The Flowers: The Intimate Life Story Of Dr. George Washington Carver (African American Heritage Book)



Synopsis

During his life time George Washington Carver was referred to as the black Leonardo da Vinci. His research into alternative crops to replace cotton, such as peanuts, soybeans and sweet potatoes revolutionized Southern farming. Carver was born into slavery, once slavery was abolished Carver traveled expensively to study and educate himself. He was the first head of the Agricultural Department at the famous Tuskegee Institute. This book is a recollection of Glenn Clark on his close relationship with Carver.

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Customer Reviews

We read this and discussed in our book club. So much admiration for Carver; what he accomplished, as well as what he overcame. His fortitude, and his relationship with the Creator. The idea of waking up each day at four o'clock in the morning, going outside, into the woods and gathering specimens while asking God to direct the activities of the day, sounds so wonderful but I doubt I'd do it once, much less on a regular basis! A short read, that will leave lasting impressions and is both uplifting and highly motivating. I love Carver, from the day I first heard his biography. What an incredible man.

As much as I love history, I am embarrassed to admit that I knew very little about George Washington Carver but after hearing about his many accomplishments from a friend, I decided to

pick up this book which gives an excellent overview not only of Carver's accomplishments but of the man himself.

This book reminds me why GWC is one of my favorite figures in history. I enjoyed the way it told beyond the facts of an average history lesson. It rendered the details of what made this man monumental. This book is for anyone who is interested in the story of a great man, as well as the power of purpose, persistence, and the presence of God.

This is one of the most intimate and deeply spiritual books that I have ever read. The insight on George Washington Carver's success and creativity is truly enlightening. I suggest this book for anyone who is seeking their God given purpose in life. You will be truly changed for the better after reading this book.

This is a powerful book about the life of Dr. George Washington Carver. His life calling and those He served with the gifts that God poured out through Him. A must read for those who understand that each of us has been given a divine purpose and when we seek God, He will answer.

This book has added such depth to my spiritual journey that I find it challenging to choose words that adequately describe it. I better understand why I have been intuitively guided to reach out and touch the palm trees and roses in my garden to listen to what they have to say. I write it down even when it seems to have little relevance. This book is wonderfully refreshing and gives me even more of a sense of wonder and awe about the magic of life. I look forward to implementing Dr. Carver's early morning talk with God in my own garden.

George Washington Carver, as presented by one of "his boys." Very loving, very enthusiastic little book. This isn't a biography, more of an account of a visit to Carver by some admirers. As quoted by Clark, Carver goes into his faith, his science, and his art (because Carver was originally an art major) in a way that makes the connection between his different interests gel together.

I have respected the work of George Washington Carver who was born a slave and blessed the world with his discoveries of the many uses of peanuts. But **THE MAN WHO TALKS WITH FLOWERS** documents his near death at infancy, the "sale" of his mother, and the "owner's" stipulation that he be kept in the house and given free range to continue his fascination with planting

seeds and watching plants grow--hence "talking with the flowers."I now am in AWE of the way he was permitted to crack the wisdom of the natural/Creation forms of life and bless all the world with his discoveries.DMJ

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