

The Roy Hession Book Trust

The Charity is all about the Lord Jesus Christ - and sharing HIS message to the entire world



ROY HESSION
BOOK TRUST

Winter 2022 Newsletter

Dear Praying Partners in the work of the Hession Trust,

On behalf of the Trustees, thank you so much for standing with us as we continue to print and distribute the book titles of both George Verwer and Roy Hession.

We pray regularly that our small database of supporters will begin to grow so if you know of any family or friends who would be willing to receive our quarterly newsletter, we would love to hear from you – please contact eddieolliffe@gmail.com

To check out the full book list please look up the newly updated website at www.royhessionbooktrust.org

As we slowly and carefully emerge from the latest lockdown it is wonderful to see that Christian book sales are growing substantially around the world – please join with us in praying that titles like e.g. **'The Calvary Road'** by Roy Hession and **'Messiology'** written by George Verwer can be funded and translated into ever more languages.

Distribution of George's newest book **'Confessions of a Toxic Perfectionist'** continues to be an enormous blessing to millions of Christians, and those still seeking Jesus.

Every day we receive emails from around the world from folk sharing how the book has helped them in their personal walk and how they recognise that we are all broken.

The book is making a real impact in 'how' we all need to be more tolerant in our church relationships.

If you would consider leaving a legacy for the further growth of the Hession Trust, we would love to talk with you.

Thank you again for walking with us as 'followers of Jesus' as we reach out to more of the 7.5 billion people who have not yet heard the Good News of Jesus.

David Ost

Chair, Roy Hession Book Trust

George Verwer writes:

We want to thank you for your involvement with us.

It is *60 years ago* next month that Drena and I arrived here in the UK from Spain, and we met Roy Hession and others affected by the recent East Africa Revival.

Please celebrate with us those 60 years with us.

Thanks to CLC USA, we were already started reading and distributing Roy Hession's book *'Calvary Road'* - one of the most important books in our OM history.

Today, most Christians (speaking globally) don't know about it, much less having read it! We are trying to change that, and we need your help.

Remember it's not the books, but the Biblical message contained within them.

We really need your partnership, especially in helping make our books and this ministry known. Many today have never heard of Roy Hession or myself. That's fine, but we want them to get these life changing messages out into the world.

Please tell people about our Trust web site: www.royhessionbooktrust.org - and let me personally to send you a selection of books you can give away.

I read every email - and use them in my prayers.

Hope to hear from you soon.

In His grip,

George Verwer

Trustee, Roy Hession Book Trust

CRE SOUTH-WEST IN EXETER – FEBRUARY 2022

The Trust will be at the CRE South-West event from 23-24 February 2022. Do come, if you are able?

Exeter's Westpoint Arena is a tried and tested venue, and it's easily accessible, just a mile off the M5 and with plenty of free parking.

You can meet **church leaders, officers and decision-makers** from all over Devon, Dorset, Somerset and Cornwall with more coming from Bristol, Bath, Salisbury, Bournemouth, Truro and beyond.

STOP PRESS: George Verwer will conduct a seminar on *'World Mission Today'* at 3pm on Wednesday 23rd February at CRE South-West in Exeter. See you there!

CRE FREE TICKETS:

If you are in the South-West of the UK in **FEBRUARY**, the *Roy Hession Book Trust* (RHBT) is delighted to offer you **FREE TICKETS (worth £8 each)** to the CRE South-West 2022 at Westpoint Centre in Exeter, Devon.



FREE TICKET HERE:
<https://eventdata.uk/COMP/CRESouthWest22.aspx?Trackingcode=ROYHESS>

The Trust will be at the Christian Resources Exhibition, CRE South West, Westpoint Centre, EXETER, EX5 1DJ

Wednesday 23 February 2022: 10.00am - 5.00pm

Thursday 24 February 2022: 10.00am - 4.30pm

We look forward to seeing you, on **Stand P12**.



THE REVISED ROY HESSION BOOK TRUST WEBSITE

All of the RHBT Newsletters are also now available via the news page.

If there are other ideas you have, which you would like us to include in the website, then please email us via the contact page.

See: www.royhessionbooktrust.org

OUR 'RHBT' AUTHORS:

ROY HESSION was born in London in 1908, and came to faith through the influence of a Navy Officer cousin in 1926. After working for Barings, the merchant bank, for ten years, he committed himself to full-time preaching, and became one of the most effective Christian evangelists in post-World War II Britain, especially among young people.

In 1947, Roy (around 40) came into contact with Christians involved in the East Africa revival with its strong emphasis on openness and repentance. This experience was to have a profound impact on his life, and it was from this that the message of *The Calvary Road* emerged in 1950.

The Calvary Road – his most influential book - has been published in over 80 languages with over 3 million copies in print. Roy (and sometimes Revel) went on to write a further nine books, all have been translated into many languages and continue to be in demand.

In 1967, he lost his first wife, Revel, in a road accident. Then in 1968, he married Pamela Greaves who had worked as a missionary in East Africa.

Roy Hession died in 1992, but the ministry of his ten books is promoted worldwide by the *Roy Hession Book Trust*.

DONATIONS: IF YOU WISH TO GIVE TO RHBT, our Bank Account / Stewardship Services details are listed here:

CAF BANK, West Malling, Kent, ME19 4JQ, UK.

Sort Code: **40-52-40**

Account Number: **00002656**

IBAN: **GB37CAFB40524000002656**

If you are in North America, you can also give to the *Roy Hession Book Trust* via *OM Special Projects*. Or give on a one-off basis or monthly via *Stewardship Services*:

stewardship.org.uk/partners/20303918

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