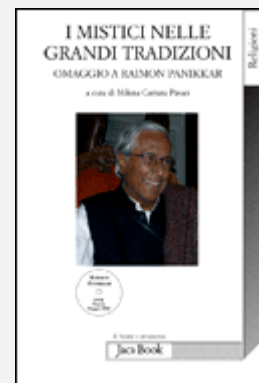


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HOMAGE TO RAIMON PANIKKAR**

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This collection of works on the mystics of the different traditions springs from the homage to Raimon Panikkar wanted by many friends and scholars all over the world on the occasion of the congress of Venice in May 2008 to celebrate his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday.

With this volume we would like to celebrate the mystics coming from different traditions and who, like Panikkar, looked for the Self, becoming this way a datum point for those who are still searching for it.

The book comes with a DVD of Panikkar's Venice experience. A souvenir to all who took part into the congress and a gift to those who could not make it.

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