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The Natural Religion

Brendan Connolly

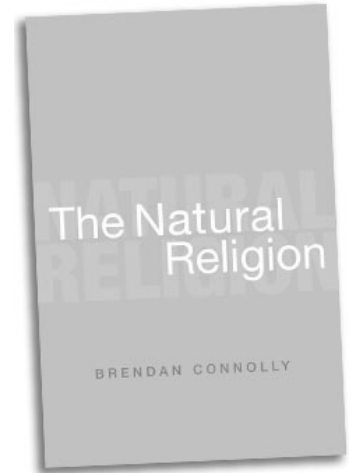
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In *The Natural Religion* Brendan Connolly debunks the myth, peddled by traditional religions, that we need spiritual and supernatural beliefs to have morals and ethics. Millions, now recognising this fallacy, are voting with their feet and leaving established religions who, paralyzed by their own dogma, cannot move forward. But, we continue to look for answers. All this doesn't mean we don't need religion, we just need a better one!

The Natural Religion recognises that people want to put themselves in context with the world around them. They want to know where they are going with their lives and why? They want contemporary answers that work, not ones encumbered by past ignorances. We all have a psychological need to know these answers and this is one reason why religions developed in the first place. *The Natural Religion* uses knowledge we can take seriously from science, psychology, philosophy, arts, economics, politics, etc., and deals with the following subjects:

- Looking at the real reasons why we created religions, and distinguishing these from the supernatural and spiritual facade.
- What is life? Why we exist.
- The psychological impact and role of death on our lives.
- Where we humans came from, and why we are the way we are.
- Making choices, making mistakes and being happy.
- An honest look at our sex lives showing its far reaching and full, often subconscious, ramifications.
- The reasons for and consequences of our booming world population.
- Economics – its uses and misuses.
- Our choices in politics, war, and leadership.
- How our consciousness defines our reality.

The Natural Religion offers a real choice in religion.

About the author

Dr. Brendan Connolly was born in The Netherlands. He studied Zoology and Psychology in Trinity College, Dublin, and completed a Ph.D. in Zoological Ecology in the National University of Ireland, Galway. He subsequently worked as Fishery Biologist with the Salmon Research Agency of Ireland and the Irish Central Fisheries Board. Specialising in Human Ecology, he then carried out research on fishing communities in Ireland and The Netherlands based in the Anthropology Department of Leiden University. Connolly spent 10 years researching and writing *The Natural Religion*.