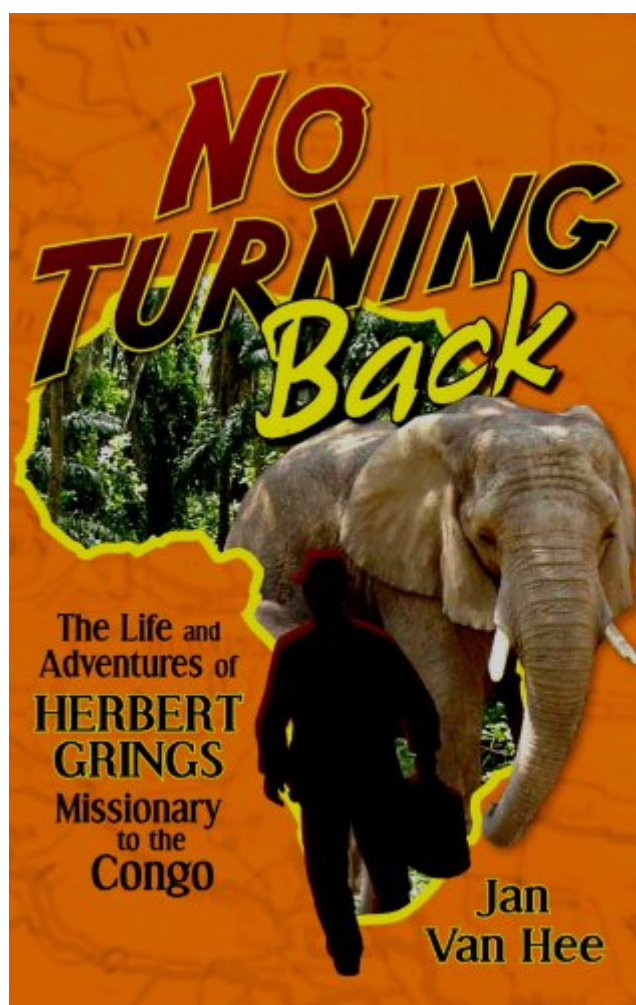


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Experience the miracle of a life completely surrendered to the Lord. Herbert Grings was an ordinary man, but he accomplished extraordinary things. Read the compelling, true drama of a man who dedicated his life to spreading God's Word throughout the Belgian Congo of Africa. You'll learn of Grings' hardships and fears--from loneliness and despair to wild animals and shipwrecks--and you'll be moved by his unwavering faith in the Lord. You will discover how God blessed his faithful servant, always putting Grings in the right place at the right time. An old minister once told Grings, "We have to suffer persecution if we serve the Lord Jesus." Those words ring true, tim and again. And yet, despite it all, the missionary remains faithful. He will go forward!

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Customer Reviews

We were excited to see that there were books on Herbert Grings. Years ago our church in another state supported Brother Grings daughter and son-in-law, Darrell and Louise Champlin, so we were familiar with some of the stories of his life. This book is more geared to children than his autobiography, so I am reading it to our grandchildren, and they are fascinated by the life of this devoted Christian.

This is the biography of Herbert Grings who went to Congo in the early 1900's. Jan Van Hee did a fantastic job of describing the people, blessings, and challenges of missionary work in Africa. This book will help you understand a missionary's heart and call to serve God. It shows how God is in control of all situations, nothing happens for no reason, and that God truly does take care of His servants! We are honored and blessed to be working with some of Herbert Grings' family, who are still in Congo today, as well as seeing and participating in the fruits of his labors. It is not a long book, at 88 pages, so it is perfect for a quicker read or young person. (I am currently reading it with/to our 7-year-old son and he is LOVING it!) (My mom read the book, and then ordered several more copies to give away.) ~Myndii Clancy

This was an amazing story about a man who totally put God first. It made me realize how little American Christians serve Christ! The only problem was that the author didn't mention the dates in the story itself, and I wasn't sure what years the story took place until she mentioned 1917. I'm glad she gave us an update at the end about Herbert Grings' children and grandchildren.

Just a very good story of the life of a career missionary. The amazing part to me was seeing how Herbert Grings went back to Africa even during the depression. He truly lived by faith. He went without organization or financial promises and God supplied his needs. Jan Van Hee told this remarkable story including poisonous snakes, men with spears, elephants, shipwrecks and grass fires. Exciting reading for younger readers and yet I enjoyed it as an adult reader. The story demonstrates God faithfully watching over His servants. Well written and worth reading!

Most of us have never heard of this man, but what a power-house for God! Highly recommend this book. The Grings are some of the missionaries who are unknown here on earth but will be great heroes in heaven.

Jan Van Hee's books have been a blessing to me. Jan is a wonderful author and story teller, her books are educational, interesting and encouraging. I am happy to have added them to my family's library. Teresa Bentley-Yenne, Rock Springs Wyoming.

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