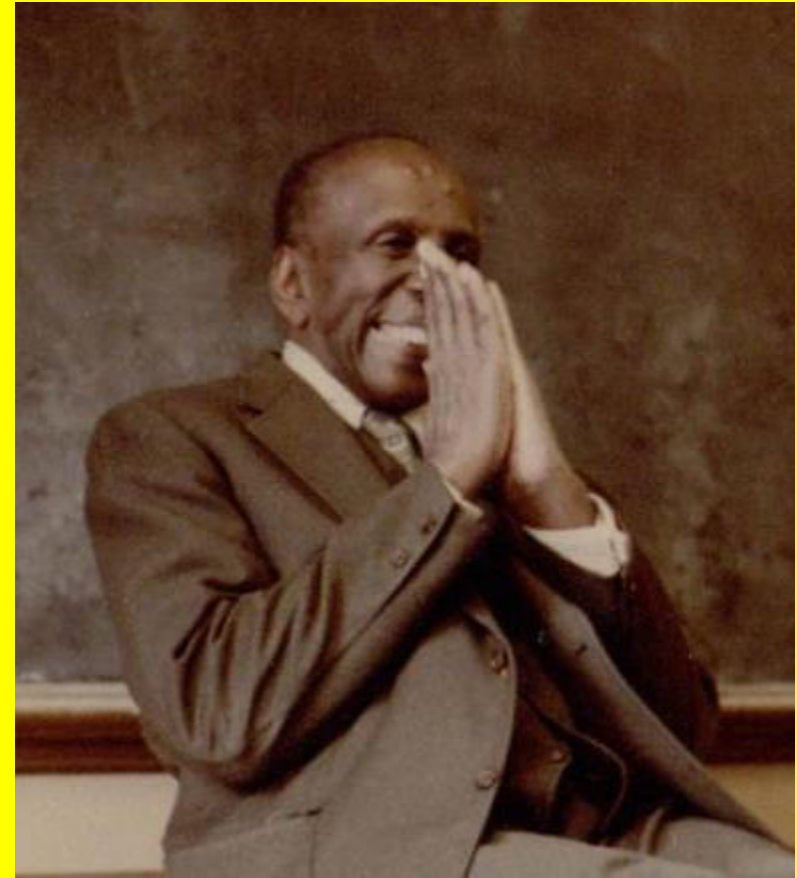
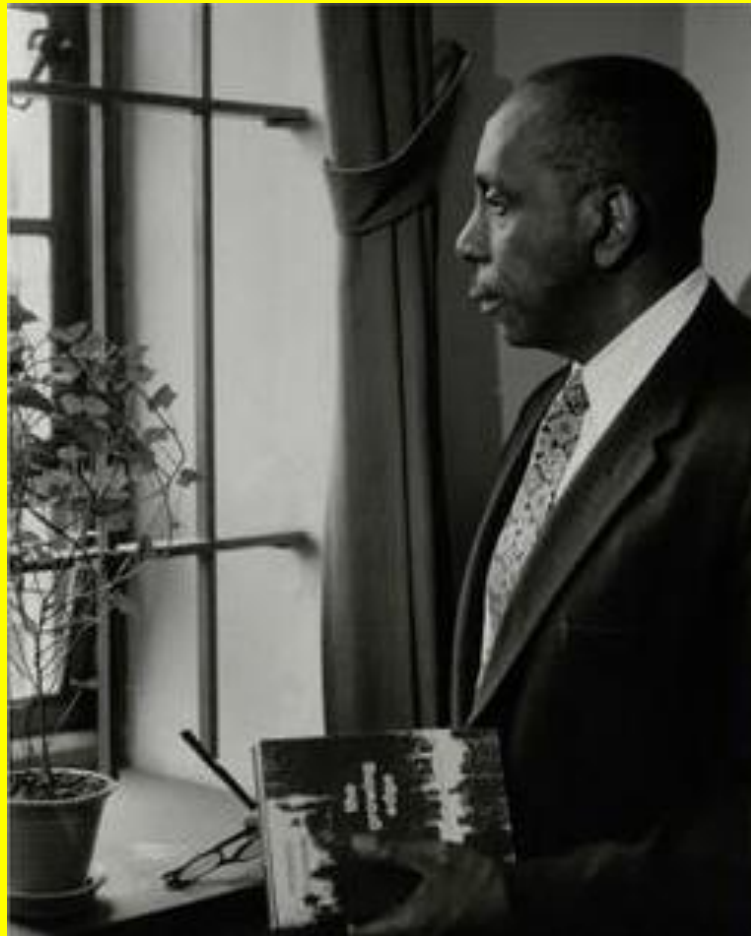


HOWARD WASHINGTON THURMAN ***(1899-1981)***



A film by **Martin Doblmeier**
Director of *BONHOEFFER*, *The Power of Forgiveness*,
The Reinhold Niebuhr Story



BACKS AGAINST THE WALL

The Howard Thurman Story

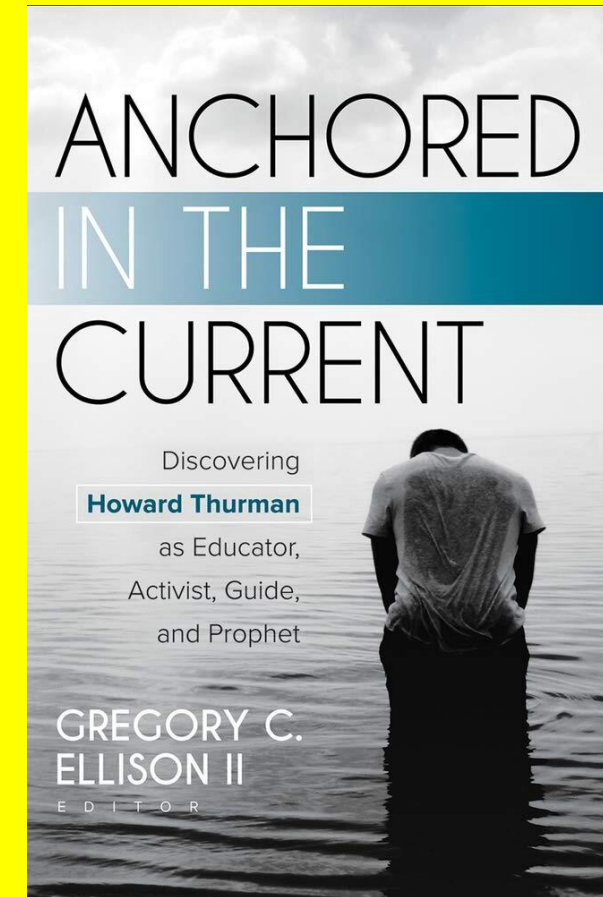
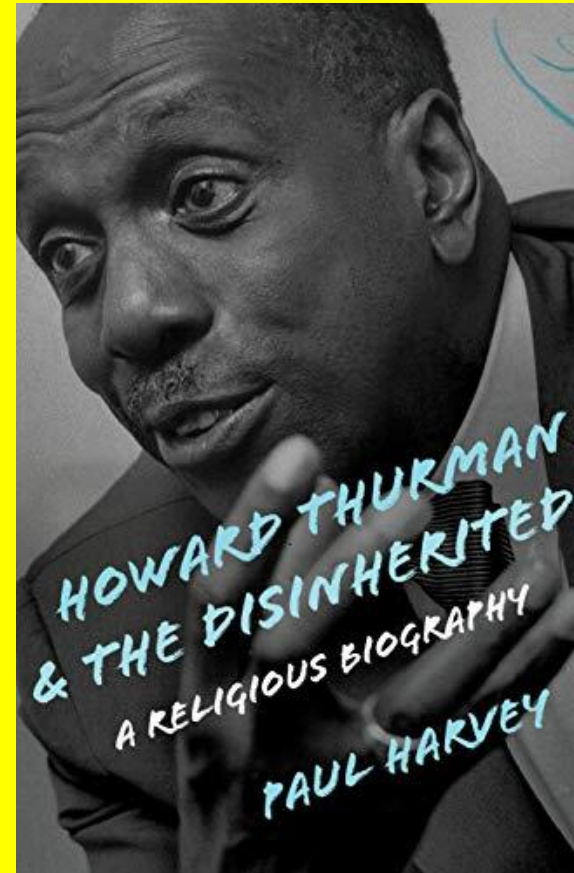
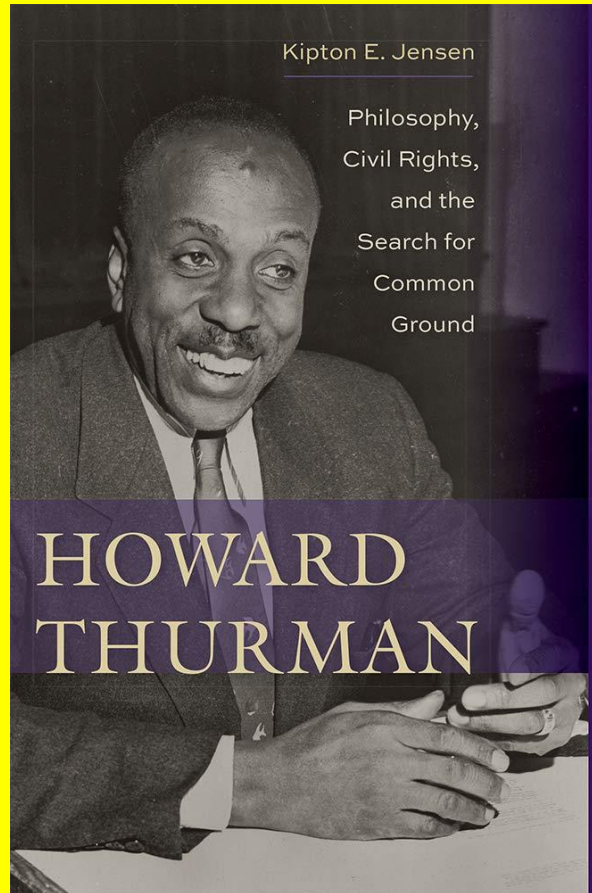
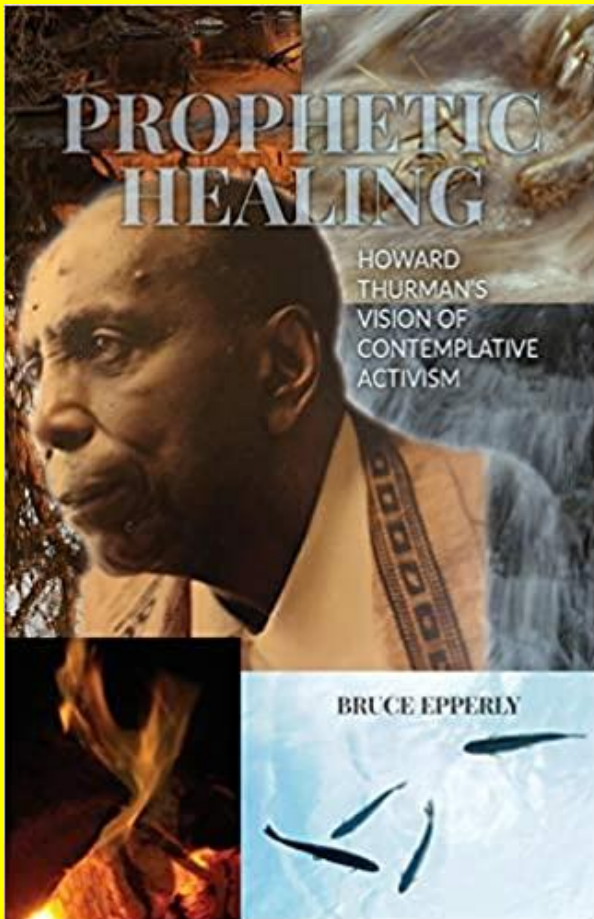
Thurman "helped
establish the
philosophical framework
of how to struggle."
Jesse Jackson

"I am in awe of
Martin Doblmeier's
work..."
Bill Moyers,
journalist

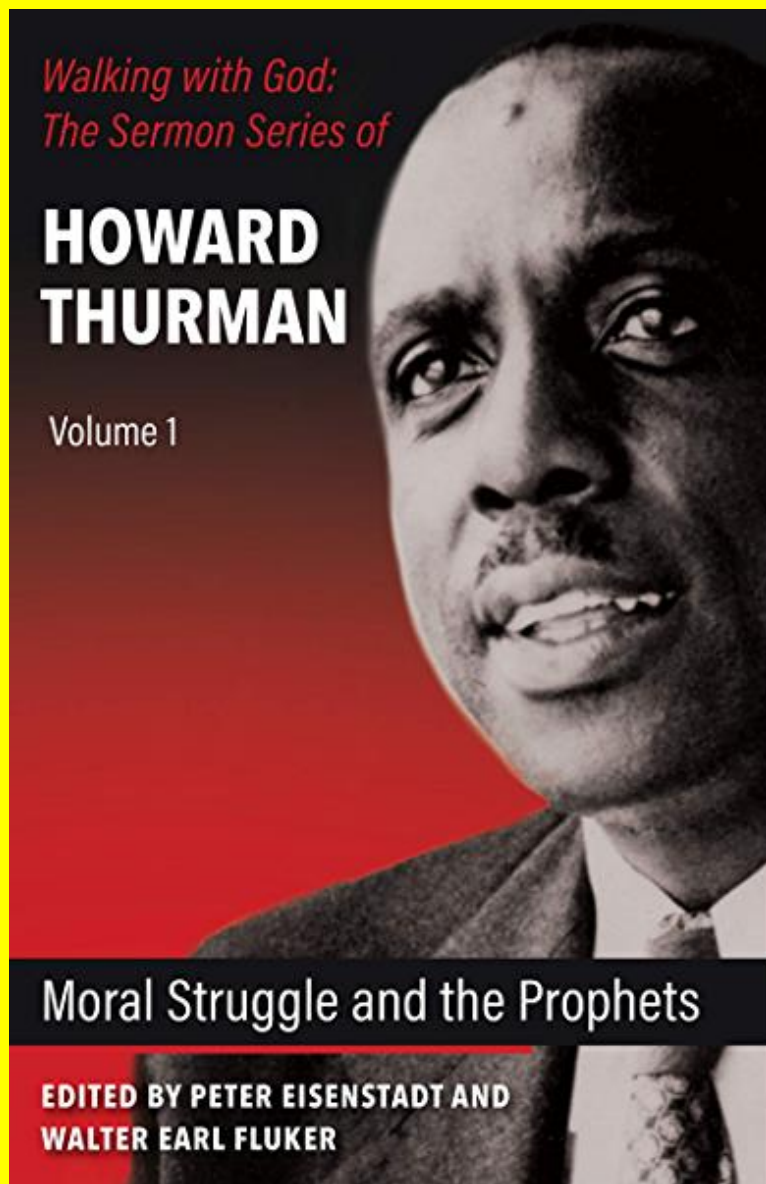
Howard Thurman's Legacy

- Inclusion into the HOF of American Theologians (per James Cone)
 - Introduction of nonviolence to U.S. religious scene
 - Influence on Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
& civil rights movement
 - Insistence on justice as an essential element of Christianity
 - Inclusion of mysticism and alternative spirituality
into mainstream of American religiosity

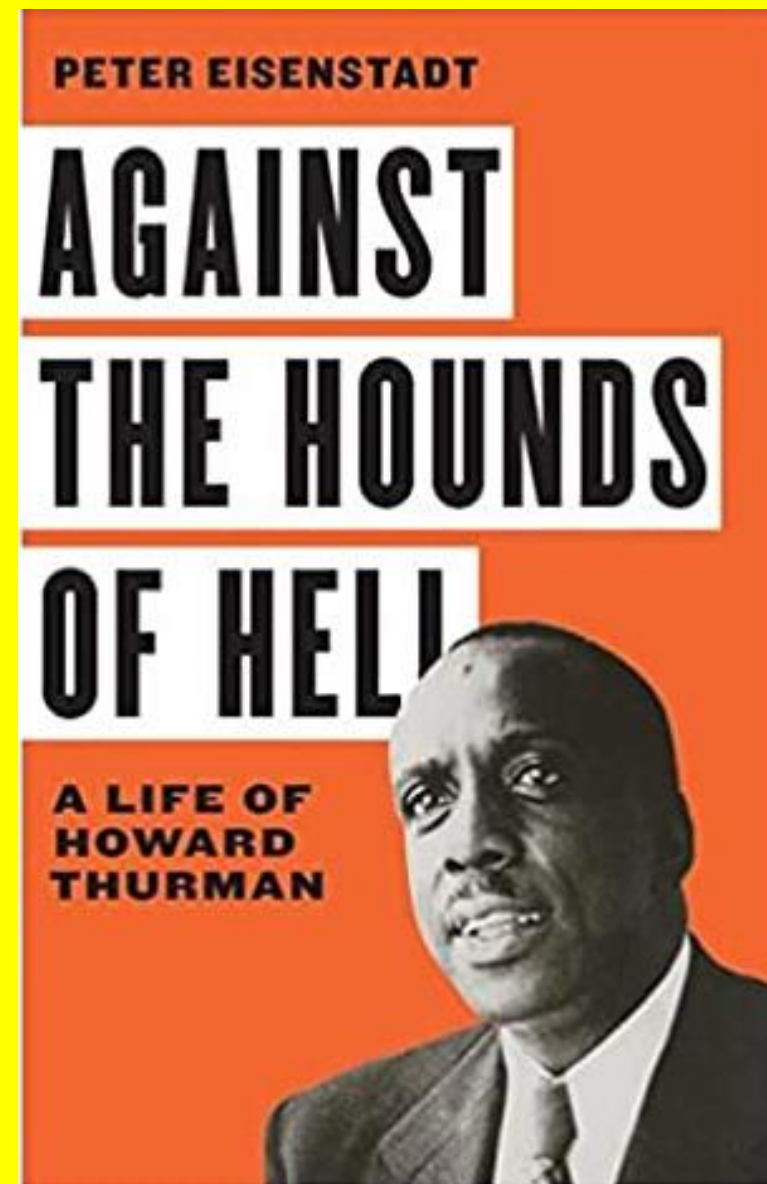
A Bonanza of Books about Thurman in 2019-2020



**NEWEST
BOOKS
BY
and/or
ABOUT
THURMAN**



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THURMAN'S OVERALL VISION:

"...a friendly world beneath a friendly sky"

THURMAN'S THEOLOGICAL PERSPECTIVE:

"The God of life is the God of religion."

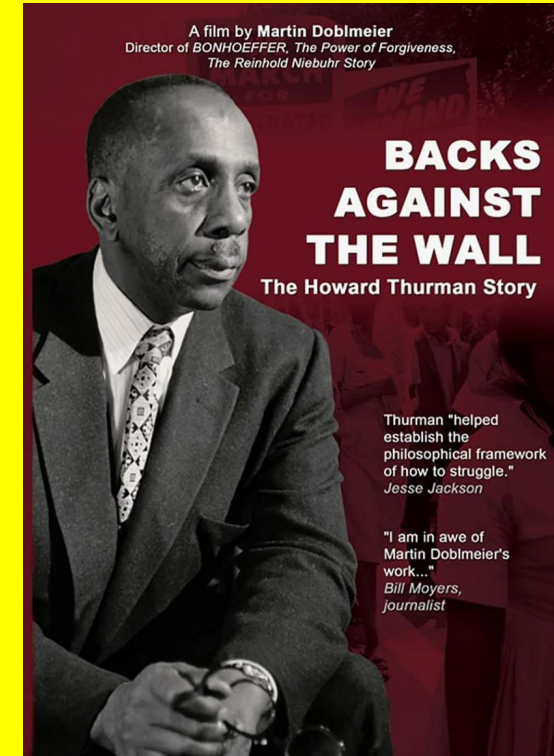
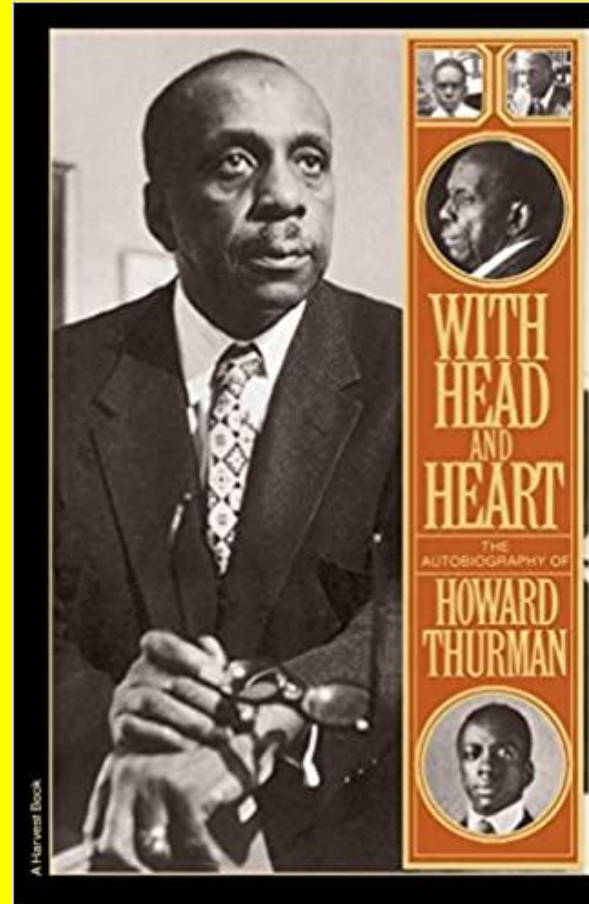
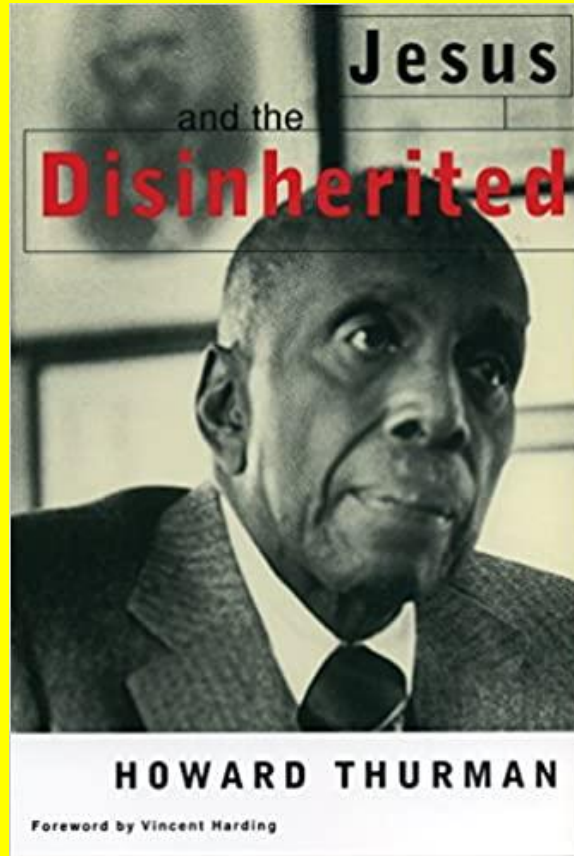
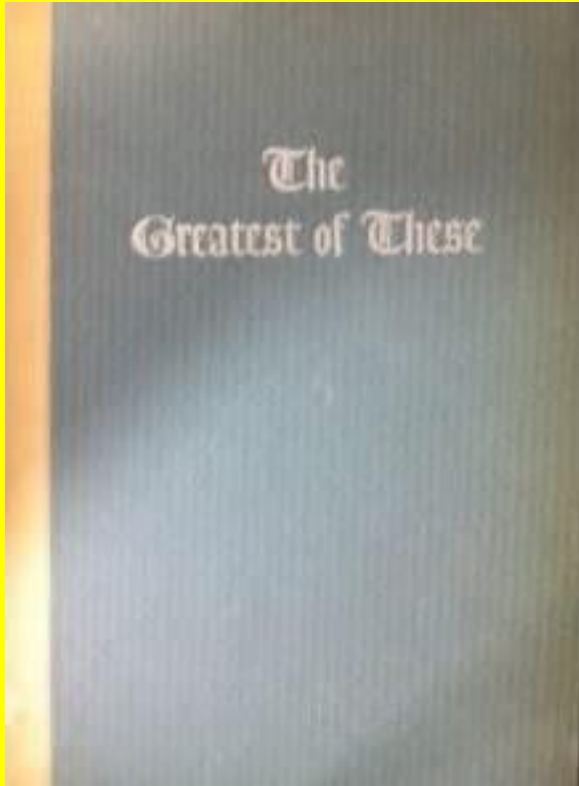
(and not the other way around).

THURMAN'S UNDERSTANDINGS ABOUT PRAYER:

Prayer = a way of connecting with God's *"divine agenda or working paper,"* the main way *"to find a clue to God's purposes in the world."*

Prayer = *"... the swinging door that no man can shut."*

Where to start??



“Time’s yours....”