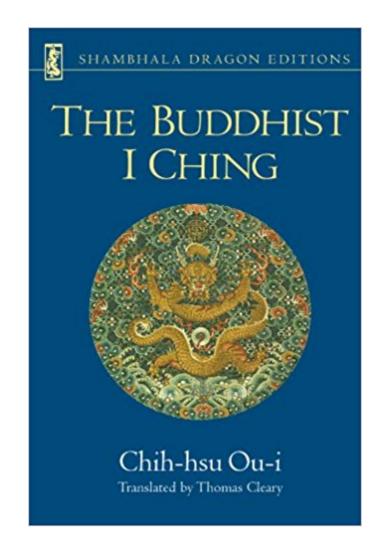


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Chih-hsu Ou-i (1599–1655) wrote commentaries on dozens of Buddhist texts and Chinese classics and was proficient in both esoteric and exoteric studies. His work influenced the development of modern Buddhism in China.

Extremely profound writing, simply can't be written without a lot of wisdom. However, most people today would not understand even a slight bit of it.

The I Ching has been a constant inspiration to me for years. This rendition combines Buddhism and Taoism for a deeper expression of the ancient text. If you have an interest in Buddhist teaching and practice I believe this book will enrich your contemplative work and enhance your understanding of this classic work in a most useful way.

I originally purchased this translation to see what a Buddhist treatment of the I Ching would look like. I already had a number of other translations, including some of the "standards" or "classics." This has since become one of my most-used I Ching editions. I use it to understand the basic text of each hexagram (Judgement, Image, Lines, etc.) before I read other commentaries. This edition is useful even for readers who are not particularly interested in the Buddhist commentary.

I consult it often. Eloquently written, the rendition offered here accentuates spirituality of the East.

this was to replace my old dog eared copy, have loved this book for years!

A fantastic companion to the Taoist I Ching, also translated by Thomas Cleary. Great stuff!

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