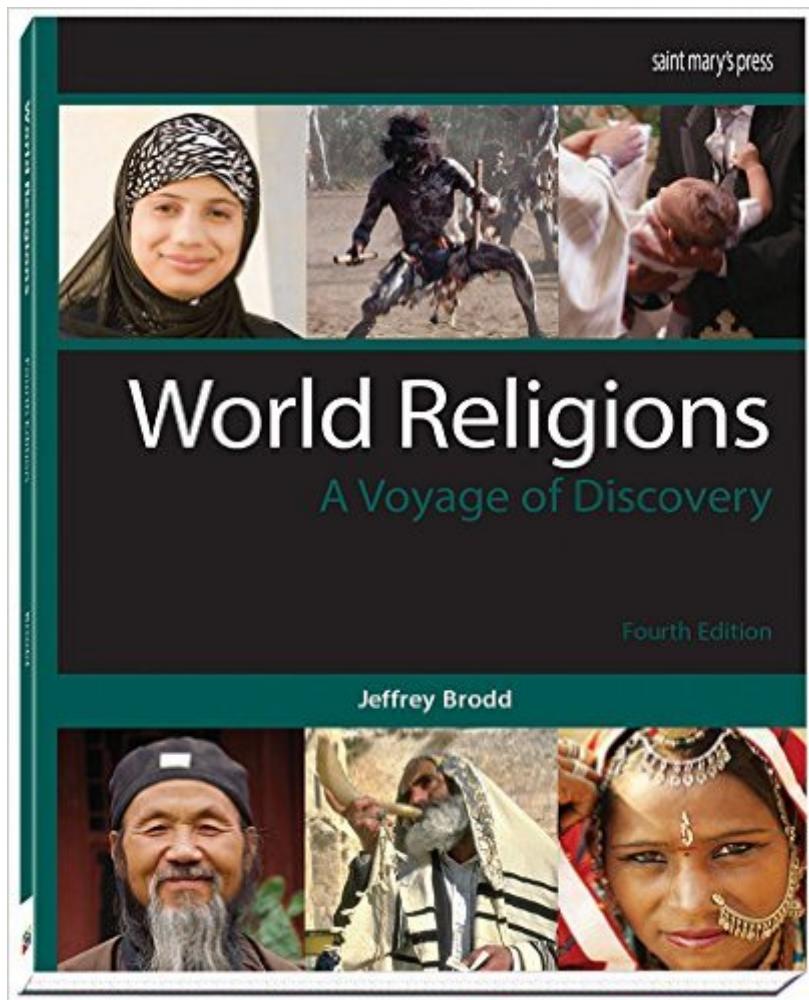


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It was a good quality textbook and came it fast as usual

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