



The Rise of the Mormons: Latter-Day Saint Growth in the 21st Century (Paperback)

By Mark Koltko-Rivera

7th Street Books, United States, 2012. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 226 x 147 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. The Latter-day Saints (LDS/Mormons) will become a global religion with hundreds of millions, or even billions, of followers--within a century. In this book, written for the general public, award-winning social scientist Mark Koltko-Rivera, Ph.D., explains: how the Mormons grew from a tiny group in 1830s New York to being the fourth-largest church in America as of 2012; why Mormon growth slowed after 1990--and why it will soon explode, both in the United States and throughout the world; why Mormon beliefs resonate with society's hopes, fears, aspirations--even obsessions--in ways that can make the LDS faith especially attractive to many people in today's world; how The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will become the second-largest--or even the largest--church in the United States by 2120; how this church could become the second-largest religious body in the entire world, with over two billion members, by 2120. Dr. Koltko-Rivera describes what a more Mormon world would look like, and how this faith could fuel a global Renaissance of cultural creativity. He also explains the implications...

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