

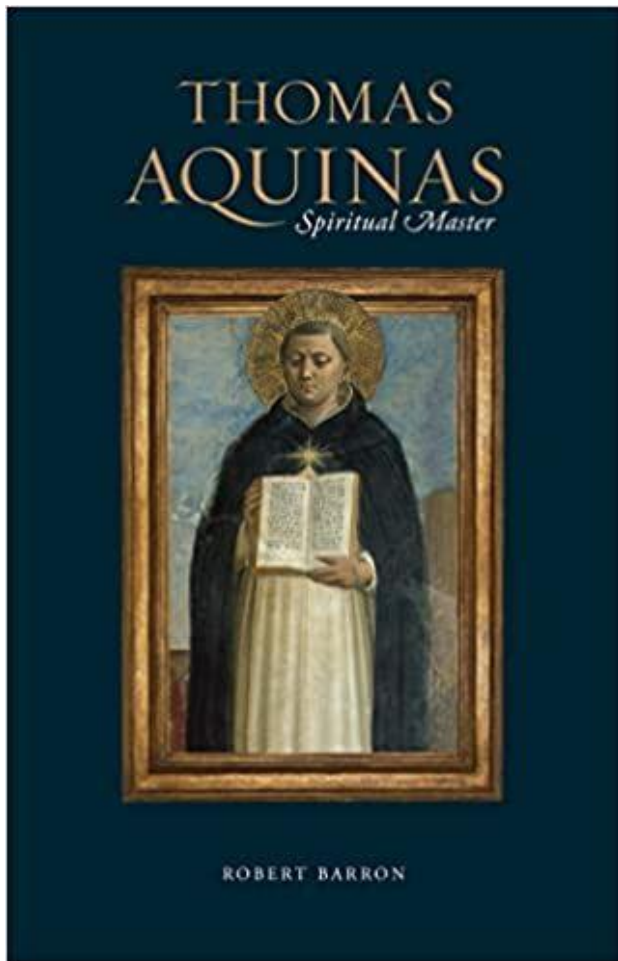
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The Spirituality Committee of the  
Catholic Bar Association presents  
a Book Review of

## THOMAS AQUINAS SPIRITUAL MASTER

By Bishop Robert Barron

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This book by Bishop Barron is a modern and approachable study of St. Thomas Aquinas' theology, derived from his own graduate work. We already know St. Thomas Aquinas as a world-renowned philosopher and theologian but we have been intimidated by his dry writing style. Throughout this short book, Bishop Barron enlightens the reader about the core of St. Thomas Aquinas' theology: the person of Jesus Christ. Bishop Barron details at great length the rational and logical nature of Thomas Aquinas' proofs for God's existence and follows it up with a wonderful section highlighting that creation points to the Creator. As

Bishop Barron highlights: "there is absolutely no aspect of finite reality that does not flow from the divine source." All throughout the book, the reader catches a glimpse of the saint's deep love for God.

This book is a wonderful resource for anyone who wants to learn more about the spiritual giant and Doctor of the Church. By reading this book, one will discover that Aquinas was "a saint deeply in love with Jesus Christ, and the image of Christ pervades the entire edifice that is his philosophical, theological, and scriptural work."

*Thomas Aquinas Spiritual Master* is available in hardback at Amazon and Word on Fire bookstores. It is also available for your kindle.