## **SYNOPSIS**

## THERE IS LIFE AFTER DEATH

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There is Life After Death is the first of its kind in that it assembles and analyzes a comprehensive range of data on life after death and then provides a framework to understand the data. No previous book has given a concrete structure of the afterlife that is based on the accounts of "eye"-witnesses as well as on data from diverse sources. In seeking to go beyond speculation to hard data, the work considers the following sources:

- Near-Death experiences
- After-life beliefs in the world religions
- Here-and-now visions of the after-life
- Testimonies of "survivors"
- Modern neuroscience including an interview with a Nobel-winning brain scientist
- Contemporary philosophy of mind

Using this database as a launching pad, the book both affirms the reality of the after-life and explores its "geography" and "history." Important features:

- It provides a credible intellectual foundation for the universal belief in a life after death.
- It meets the need for a work that is global in its reach in being cross-cultural, inter-disciplinary and trans-historical.
- It "compares notes" between universal intuitions/intellectual insights and first-person experiences so as to avoid portraying life after death in a lifeless kind of way.
- It is popular in its treatment.

Above all, the book provides exciting and compelling answers to the urgent question: what lies on the other side?