



The Man the Church Forgot (Paperback)

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Xulon Press, United States, 2007. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Early Medical Missionaries were often looked down upon. Church controlled Mission Boards, were not interested in medical missions. Medical missionaries were told to put evangelism first, then heal! Still, doctors kept going out, speaking the love of Jesus, healing the sick, and helping the poor. Always overworked, they died often, or were sent home worn out. Who remembers them? Dr. John Thomas went to India five years before William Carey, but Carey is called the father of modern missions. Thomas converted the man that Carey baptized as his first fruit? Why ignore Thomas? Read his story here. Healthcare missions is an effective way to spread the gospel and the key to sharing Christ in closed countries as we push to complete the Great Commission. Nothing speaks louder than compassion in Christ's name. We don't have to recreate the wheel to reach these last frontiers. We already stand on the shoulders of medical missionary giants who have blazed the trail. Their stories of sacrifice and service will convince and inspire you like they did me! David Stevens, MD, Executive Director....

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