

The Persistence of the Sacred: German Catholic Pilgrimage, 1832-1937

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For millions of Catholic believers, pilgrimage has offered possible answers to the mysteries of sickness, life, and death. *The Persistence of the Sacred* explores the religious worldviews of Europeans who traveled to Trier and Aachen, two cities in Western Germany, to view the sacred relics in their cathedrals. Recovering the history of Catholic pilgrimage, *The Persistence of the Sacred* aims to understand the relationship between relics and religiosity, between modernity and faith, and between humanity and God.

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