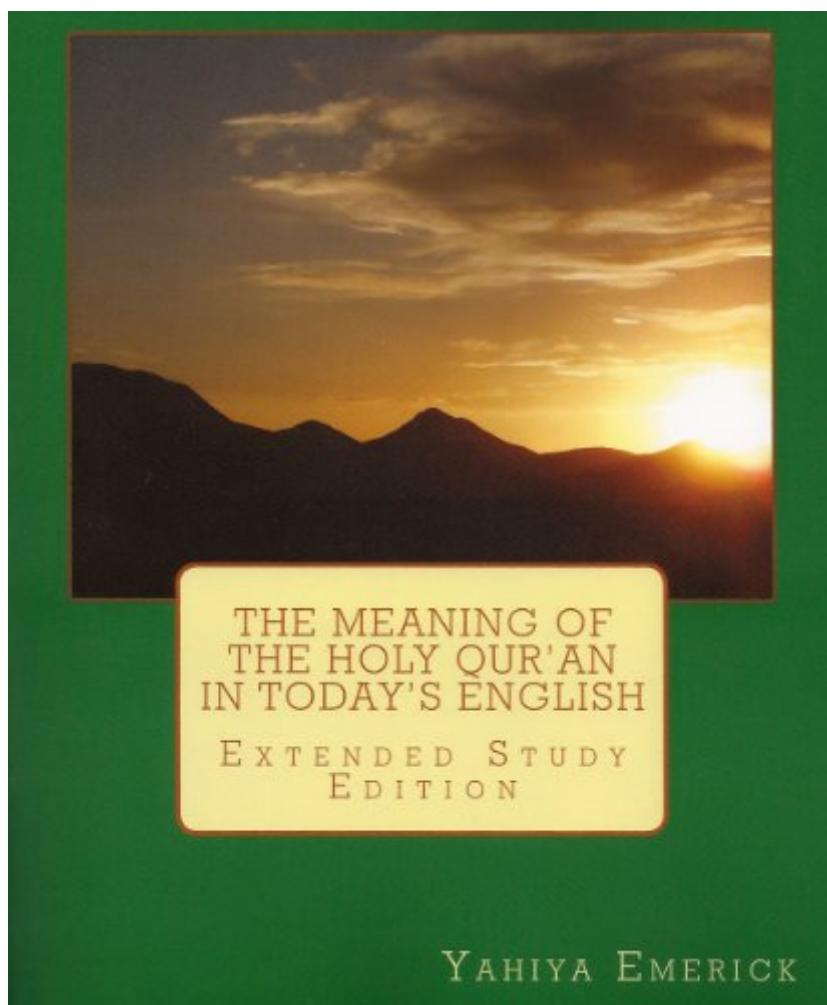


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An excellent translation/interpretation for anyone interested in understanding the Holy Qu'ran. The author does an especially good job of providing context around the revealed verses.

The book uses English that is modern and easy to understand unlike many other Quran interpretations. Background and commentary are extremely interesting and helpful in understanding the history and context of each ayah.

Amazing in-depth explanation with relevant background. I would recommend and have recommended this interpretation to friends and family. It is well written.

This book was given to me as a gift...very easy read and puts everything in context...loved it so much bought additional copies as gifts for family and friends

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Eloquacious in tone yet easy to read. By far my favorite translation of the Noble Quran. May Allah reward Yahya Emerick.

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