

47 YEARS OF Wreaths & Holiday Gifts!

AND CARING FOR THE EARTH & ITS PEOPLE

Starcross is a small, independent, multi-faith community offering encouragement to folks on all spiritual paths. When you purchase a Holiday Gift from us, not only are you receiving the highest quality, you are also helping us continue the mission and vision of Starcross.

As a sanctuary for people and nature, Starcross strives to nurture both people's spirits and the earth. For decades, Starcross cared for children affected by AIDS here in Annapolis and abroad. Now, our land provides a sacred space for spiritual seekers from all backgrounds and origins. Our current projects include sharing reflective writings with our readers, responding to the needs of our local community, and preserving our beautiful land for future generations. In the past year, we've hosted a summer camp for inner-city teens, built treehouse cabins for mini-retreats on our land, and continued to distribute free groceries to the surrounding community through our bi-monthly food pantry.

Protected by a Conservation Easement, our land is now permanently shielded from overdevelopment and logging. In addition to 50 acres of a "forever wild" forest, we also maintain a sustainable vegetable garden, an orchard of fruit trees, a fledgling redwood grove, and, of course, 1800 olive trees. All 91 acres of our land are certified organic. Throughout the year, we host live-in volunteers who visit us to learn about and participate in sustainable agriculture and thoughtful living. Our relationship with the land reflects our mission to be compassionate and caring in all our efforts.



Starcross Monastic Community

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*Premium
Holiday Gifts!*

Wreaths 🌿 Organic Extra Virgin Olive Oil 🌿 Dried Fruit 🌿 Books
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SISTER JULIE'S

Organic Extra Virgin Olive Oil

Extra Virgin Olio Nuovo 2023 Harvest
Extra Virgin Olive Oil 2022 Harvest

Extra Virgin. Extra Good.

Our delicious Tuscan blend has earned a reputation as one of California's best artisan olive oils, winning 6 Gold Medals & 2 Best of Class over the years! Certified Organic by CCOF and Certified Extra Virgin by the California Olive Oil Council, our olives are farmed sustainably without harmful chemicals, meeting strict certification standards. Each year our harvest is lovingly hand-picked & cold-pressed within hours by Starcross Family Confraternity and friends.

A bottle of our 2022 Harvest Extra-Virgin Olive Oil makes a wonderful present. It is sure to spruce up any holiday gathering and will retain its delicious flavor for nearly two years! Meanwhile, the 2023 olives will be harvested and pressed in early December to produce a fantastic new oil: Olio Nuovo. Olio Nuovo has a unique robust and peppery flavor. Bottled immediately upon harvest, it is the freshest, fruitiest, and most pungent extra virgin olive oil you can buy. Prized by the chefs and gourmets on your lists, a little bit of this intensely flavorful oil goes a long way. Our 2023 Olio Nuovo is a bargain at \$35, while our 2022 Harvest is a lovely holiday gift at \$29.95.



Olio Nuovo/375 ml bottle
\$35.00
Item: ON

2022 Harvest/375 ml bottle
\$29.95
Item: OO

Starcross Premium Wreath

Our beautiful 22" holiday wreath is crafted from fresh, long-lasting Noble Fir. Each wreath includes Ponderosa Pine cones and Blue Juniper berries to decorate the greenery. The Starcross Wreath is a holiday tradition in homes and offices across the country for 47 years — a classic symbol of winter that you will be proud to display or give as a beautiful and thoughtful gift. As you enjoy the fragrant beauty of this wreath, know that your purchase makes the world a little better. Our wreaths are shipped in a sturdy cardboard box that includes a personal greeting and humorous commentary written by our resident Chief Wreath Elf.

Item: W (Wreath)	\$49.95	Item: WF (Wreath/Fruit)	\$79.90
Item: WB (Wreath/Book B1-B5)	\$59.90	Item: F (Fruit)	\$29.95
Item: WS (Wreath/Step. Stones)	\$74.95	Item: FB (Fruit/Book B1-B5)	\$39.90



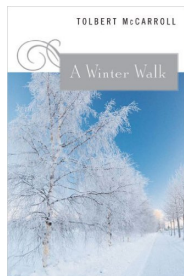
Order multiple items to the same address & SAVE on

Shipping! Visit shop.starcross.org or use this special QR code!

Books

BY BROTHER TOLBERT MCCARROLL

"...a kindred spirit." - BILL MOYERS



A Winter Walk

Beautifully illustrated by artist Dorothy Beebee

Item: B1 **\$9.95**

This meditative daily companion for the month of December invites us to stroll through the season with rapt attention. *A Winter Walk* includes eloquent reflections on nature's gifts: birds, stars, rain, and children. It also explores the rich history of different faith traditions, helping us to embrace others and quietly fostering tolerance and peace.

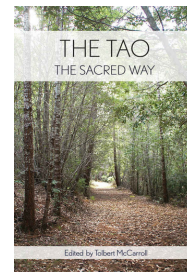


Violet Seekers

Spiritual Reflections of Tolbert McCarroll

Item: B2 **\$9.95**

A collection of essays from a wise elder, *Violet Seekers* reflects on the themes of Sprouting, Blooming, Changing, and Resting. In this best-selling book, Brother Toby finds hope in nature, in poetry, in prayers from all traditions, in his olive trees, and in the birds drinking from his fountain. As the cover promises, fellow "violet seekers" will find hope within these pages.

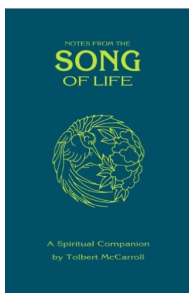


The Tao

The Sacred Way

Item: B3 **\$9.95**

The Tao's words "are to be hung like bells in our hearts and rung by the motions we make as we move through our daily lives." We keep this book in our library, in our chapel, on our work benches, by our beds, in our backpacks, and in our pockets. We often open it and try to live with it, having come to realize that we hold a flower that will never stop unfolding.



Notes From The Song of Life

A Spiritual Companion

Item: B4 **\$9.95**

30 concise reflections on fundamental steps on the path through life. In this collection, Brother Toby's words are direct, challenging us to live our lives as if they really matter, to hold on to the important things and let the rest go, look honestly at ourselves and make the decisions our better natures deserve. This is the kind of book you will turn to over & over again through the years. A true classic, it never gets old.



From Stardust to Stardust

Haiku - A Final Year by Sister Marti Aggeler

Item: B5 **\$9.95**

You will treasure this touching, joyful book written between Sister Marti's diagnosis of terminal cancer and her last breath. "Sister Marti cared about all creation, from the smallest insects to stardust in the universe. An exceptional writer of haiku and a person whose life is a model for us all." "The match of photographs to haiku is remarkable — one can see what she saw, and with her words, come close to feeling what she felt."



Three Gifts

For Spiritual Wayfarers

Item: B6 **\$9.95**

Three Gifts by Brother Toby is a gem of a book. Using the themes of Great Faith, Great Courage, and Holy Doubt, Toby takes on these questions: How do we have confidence in our ability to deal with each experience we encounter? Where will we find the strength to follow our personal spiritual compass? Can we look at doubt as a tool for leading us to new understandings? *Three Gifts* provides the self-reflection needed to reach an understanding of the self that we truly are.



Sun-Dried Fruit Tray

Twenty-eight ounces of a gourmet selection of fruit: Angelino plums, apples, dates, pears, prunes, and white and yellow peaches artfully arranged on a reusable tray. A Starcross Fruit Tray is just right for a festive gathering or a quiet moment with a cup of tea.

Special Holiday Book Deals!

Exclusive holiday sale: Order any book listed here for only \$9.95!

Brighten the Holidays with the gift of a Starcross Wreath!



The Starcross Wreath painted by Vicki M.

"In addition to being quality gifts which people love to receive, the proceeds help make the world a better place. But most of all, Starcross gifts make people happy! My elderly aunt said, 'Since I don't put up a Christmas tree anymore, every so often I go out and breathe in the scent from my wreath. The wreaths are so fresh and fragrant it reminds me of Christmases I cherish from long ago.'"

Liz Mullins

"I love the feeling of sending these beautiful wreaths as gifts, while at the same time I am helping support the wonderful work of Starcross. The Starcross Wreaths are such a great value! I send them every year to a variety of friends, clients, and family, and the response has been unanimously enthusiastic. It is always a welcome gift."

Mary Luttrell Cuoio

On our online shop it's easy to send gifts to family & friends. Visit shop.starcross.org or access our Wreath Collection directly with this special QR code!



Each box leaves our barn with a hope for peace at its destination. Thank you for being part of our holiday season at Starcross.

SO MANY EASY WAYS TO ORDER!

ONLINE shop.starcross.org	PHONE 1 (800) 960-1500
MAIL 34500 Annapolis Rd. Annapolis CA 95412	FAX 1 (707) 886-1921

OFFICE HOURS & DETAILS

Holiday Office Hours to place orders: **Monday-Friday 9 AM - 5 PM (PST) Saturdays 9 AM - 12 PM (PST)**

Orders are **shipped** out Monday-Friday. Orders mailed, faxed, or phoned may take additional days to process.

SAVE on shipping with holiday combos!

CALIFORNIA STATE TAXES

Books and Wreaths have CA tax applied when **SHIPPED** to a CA address. If you are manually adding your total for a check, please see the chart for calculations.

Olive Oils

	Olio Nuovo	2022 Harvest	Shipping
1 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$35.00	\$29.95	\$11.00
2 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$70.00	\$59.90	\$12.00
4 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$140.00	\$119.80	\$15.00
6 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$210.00	\$170.00	\$17.00
12 BOTTLE COLLECTION	\$420.00	\$341.00	\$22.00

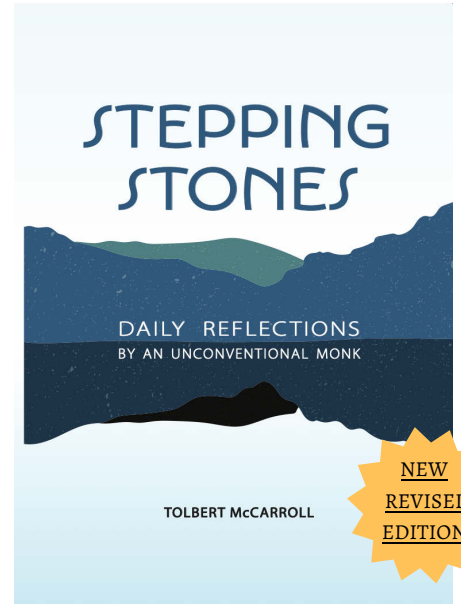
Special Sale:
Save 5% on 6- and 12-bottle orders of our 2022 Harvest!

Stepping Stones

Daily Reflections by an Unconventional Monk

Item: B7 \$25.99

We're excited to announce a newly-revised and freshly-designed edition of Brother Toby's beloved book *Stepping Stones*! In these pages, you'll find the same insightful reflections, timeless guidance, and nature-focused spirituality that have made *Stepping Stones* a treasured companion. Whether you're revisiting or embarking on this soul-enriching journey for the first time, this new edition is a welcoming portal into the contemplative world of a fellow seeker.



NEW REVISED EDITION!

Shipping & Pricing

ITEM INFO, SHIPPING, & TAXES

Only pay CA tax when shipping item(s) to a CA address.

NAME OF ITEM	PRICE	SHIPPING	TOTAL <i>Delivery OUTSIDE of CA</i>	CALIFORNIA STATE TAX	TOTAL <i>Delivery to a CA address</i>
WREATH [W]	\$49.95	\$13.00	\$62.95	\$4.25	\$67.20
FRUIT [F]	\$29.95	\$10.00	\$39.95	—	\$39.95
BOOKS [B1 - B5]	\$9.95	\$5.00	\$14.95	\$0.85	\$15.80
BOOK [B7]	\$25.99	\$5.00	\$30.99	\$2.21	\$33.20
HOLIDAY COMBO #1 WREATH/FRUIT [WF]	\$79.90	\$15.00	\$94.90	—	\$94.90
HOLIDAY COMBO #2 WREATH/BOOK [WB]	\$59.90	\$14.00	\$73.90	\$4.42	\$78.32
HOLIDAY COMBO #3 WREATH/STEP. STONES [WS]	\$74.95	\$14.00	\$88.95	\$6.37	\$95.32
HOLIDAY COMBO #4 FRUIT/BOOK (B1-B5) [FB]	\$39.90	\$12.00	\$51.90	—	\$51.90



Order Information

MULTIPLE WAYS TO ORDER

shop.starcross.org | call: 1 (800) 960-1500 | fax: 1 (707) 886-1921

mail to: 34500 Annapolis Rd. Annapolis CA 95412

Billing Information

Name _____

Street _____

Apt _____ City _____ State _____

Zip _____ *Email _____

Phone _____

**Required; We will use your email to process the invoice for your order & for you to receive tracking information*

If Billing Address (above) is different than your shipping address (i.e. PO Boxes) please include below.

- WREATHS, FRUIT, OLIVE OIL (& BOOKS combined with any of the above) SHIP VIA UPS and cannot be delivered to PO BOXES. Please make sure all shipping addresses are deliverable.

- Want to order more gifts? Order online, & download additional order forms here:

shop.starcross.org/apps/help-center

- Holiday Office Hrs: M-F 9 AM - 5 PM, Sat. 9 AM - 12 PM (PST); orders are shipped M-F.

Orders mailed, faxed or phoned in may take an additional day to process.

- Questions? Give us a call: 1 (800) 960-1500

RECIPIENT 1:

YOUR ORDER

Ship to: _____ Street _____ Apt. _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____ Phone _____

Please check all addresses carefully, including ZIP codes.

PLEASE NOTE: WE BEGIN SHIPPING ALL HOLIDAY ITEMS AND OLIVE OIL AFTER THANKSGIVING.

Additional order forms are available online at: shop.starcross.org/apps/help-center

ITEM CODE

NAME OF ITEM

QTY.

PRICE

STANDARD SHIPPING CHARGES
(see chart on reverse side for item shipping)

RECIPIENT 2:

☐ Check here if this is a gift item.

Ship to: _____ Street _____ Apt. _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

MESSAGE TO RECIPIENT

ITEM CODE

NAME OF ITEM

QTY.

PRICE

STANDARD SHIPPING CHARGES
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RECIPIENT 3:

☐ Check here if this is a gift item.

Ship to: _____ Street _____ Apt. _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

MESSAGE TO RECIPIENT

ITEM CODE

NAME OF ITEM

QTY.

PRICE

STANDARD SHIPPING CHARGES
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METHOD OF PAYMENT

☐ My check or money order is enclosed.
Make checks payable to Starcross



Name on Card _____

Card NO. _____

Exp. Date _____ CVV _____ Zip _____

Signature _____

MERCHANDISE TOTAL

(If you have additional pages, please total all gifts here.)

SHIPPING FEES

(See back of page for instruction on shipping)

SALES TAX

(Based on DELIVERY ADDRESS
See back of page for instruction.)

(Optional)

TAX DEDUCTIBLE DONATION TO STARCROSS COMMUNITY

Thank you!

ORDER TOTAL

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