



History of the First Council of Nice: A World s Christian Convention, A.D. 325: With a Life of Constantine (Paperback)

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Book Tree,US, United States, 1999. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 7th. 216 x 138 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.The author of the History of the First Council of Nice, Dean Dudley, searched the annals of history using the most scholarly and trusted sources available to reveal exactly how Christianity, as we know it today, was railroaded into existence. This was the first major council in Christendom, taking place in the year A.D. 325. The major controlling force behind this convention was the Roman Emperor Constantine.Constantine came to power in ruthless fashion, one of six sovereigns of the Roman Empire in the year A.D. 308 (they had been collectively appointed in 305). Only Constantine survived beyond the next decade and only one of the other sovereigns died a natural death. Constantine seemed to be involved in the deaths of each of the others, who were all non-Christian. It became politically expedient for Constantine to side with Christianity during this early and ruthless power struggle, and murderous plots were its central theme. After Constantine triumphed, he recalled or released Christian ministers who had been persecuted by his rivals.With his ruthless past weighing heavily on him, he...



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