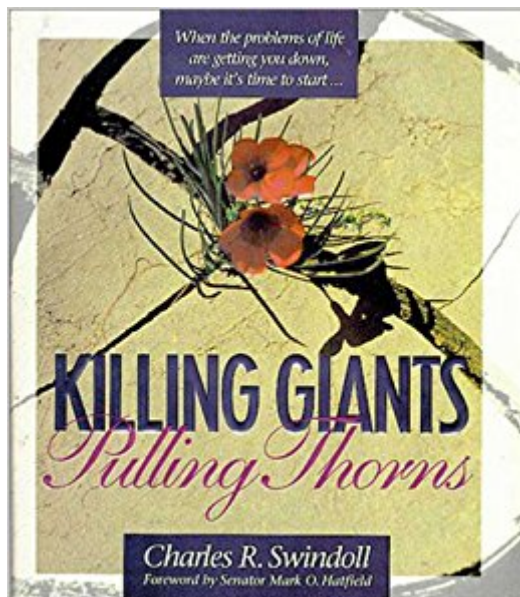


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# Killing Giants: Pulling Thorns



## Synopsis

Inspiring advice on overcoming the circumstances that test our faith.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

Charles R. Swindoll, president of Dallas Theological Seminary, is a Bible teacher on the popular, worldwide daily radio broadcast, Insight for Living. He is the best-selling author of such books as Encourage Me, The Bride, and Come Before Winter and Share My Hope.

Thanks writer Chuck S! You've done it again! Spot on! I've recommended it to others! Every giant, every thorn article was cogent, practical and helpful.

Great book for recovery! I would recomend this book for anybody struggleing with living or getting along with there fellows.

This book took quite a while to receive but it was in excellent condition. I'm pretty sure it was a used book and the price was great.

This is one of my very favorite books & I just wanted an inexpensive copy to keep on my book shelf...well...I am completely appalled at the condition of the book! albeit, being 'used' is one thing, but this book looks like it should've gone in the garbage. I would have never sent it to anyone!! The

pages are tattered, the edges are extremely discolored, the binding is in very poor shape & the book smelled like someone's musty cellar when I took it out of the mailer. After the cost of the book & shipping, I so wished I would have never ordered it! Very disappointing! Is it returnable??? that's all I want to know. Otherwise this copy is going in my garbage can!

"Killing Giants, Pulling Thorns" by Charles Swindoll is one of the author's earlier titles. The title is divided into 2 main areas: 1. Giantkilling - Obstacles that can be very large and can stare at you face-to-face (fear, bitterness, jealousy, lust, grief, pain, depression, etc.). 2. Thornpulling - Obstacles that tend to be smaller but if left alone, can grow and cause you to stumble (habits, cliches, superstition, busyness, impatience, expectations, comparison, etc.). The book is around 90 pages and consists of several 1-2 page devotionals on each topic. I have noticed that several of these devotionals have shown up in later Swindoll titles. A good and encouraging read. Recommended.

This is a nice little succinct book that breaks down those things that hinder the Christian walk. It is divided into two categories: Giants (that which are \*huge\* obstacles) and Thorns (not obstacles, but the little things that chaff, bother, annoy and wear you down). The book is full of great Biblical advice and is devoid of the bland platitudes that generally plague this type of Christian literature. Be warned on two accounts though. First, you \*will\* find yourself saying, "yup, that's me," a lot. Secondly, this book can be a "downer." If you are looking for a happy-sappy pickup, look elsewhere. These are gritty answers to gritty questions.

A series of short stories that give examples of different situations that we all face in life. The stories will give the reader an insight as to how to come to grips with different fears, troubles in life, and grief situations such as the death of loved ones.

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