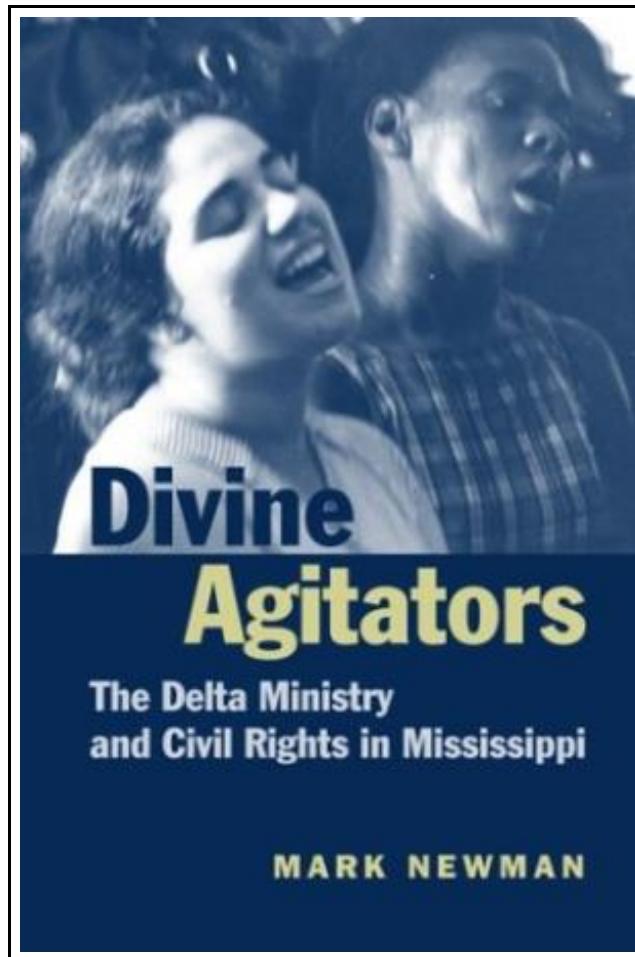


## Divine Agitators: The Delta Ministry and Civil Rights in Mississippi



Filesize: 6.91 MB

### Reviews

*An exceptional publication as well as the font employed was exciting to see. it was actually written extremely flawlessly and helpful. Once you begin to read the book, it is extremely difficult to leave it before concluding.*

*(Dominic Collins)*

## DIVINE AGITATORS: THE DELTA MINISTRY AND CIVIL RIGHTS IN MISSISSIPPI

[DOWNLOAD PDF](#)

To save **Divine Agitators: The Delta Ministry and Civil Rights in Mississippi** PDF, remember to click the web link below and save the file or have access to other information which are related to DIVINE AGITATORS: THE DELTA MINISTRY AND CIVIL RIGHTS IN MISSISSIPPI ebook.

University of Georgia Press. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Divine Agitators: The Delta Ministry and Civil Rights in Mississippi, Mark Newman, The National Council of Churches established the Delta Ministry in 1964 to further the cause of civil rights in Mississippi--the southern state with the largest black population proportionately and with the stiffest level of white resistance. At its height the Ministry, which was headquartered in Greenville, had the largest field staff of any civil rights organization in the South. Active through the mid-1970s, the Ministry outlasted SNCC, CORE, and the SCLC in Mississippi, helping to fill the vacuums when these organizations fell apart or refocused their energies. In this first book-length study of the Delta Ministry, Mark Newman tells how the organization conducted literacy, citizenship, and vocational training. He documents the Ministry's role in fostering the growth of Head Start and community-based health care and in widening the distribution of free surplus federal food and food stamps. Newman discusses, among other Ministry successes, the Delta Foundation, which created jobs by channeling grant money to small businesses that could not secure bank loans. At the same time, he details the Ministry's problems from its chronic underfunding to its uneasy relationship with the Mississippi NAACP, which pursued civil rights objectives through less confrontational methods. Newman examines the Freedomcrafts manufacturing cooperative and other ministry failures, as well as mixed efforts such as Freedom City, a collective agricultural and manufacturing community built by displaced agricultural workers. "Divine Agitators" looks at many inadequately studied events across a time span that extends beyond the widely accepted end dates of the civil rights movement. It offers new insights, at the most local levels of the movement, into conflict within and between civil rights groups, the increasing subtlety of white resistance, the disengagement of the federal government, and the...

[Read Divine Agitators: The Delta Ministry and Civil Rights in Mississippi Online](#)[Download PDF Divine Agitators: The Delta Ministry and Civil Rights in Mississippi](#)

## Related Books

---

**[PDF] Questioning the Author Comprehension Guide, Grade 4, Story Town**

Click the hyperlink listed below to download "Questioning the Author Comprehension Guide, Grade 4, Story Town" document.

[Save Document »](#)

---

**[PDF] Klara the Cow Who Knows How to Bow (Fun Rhyming Picture Book/Bedtime Story with Farm Animals about Friendships, Being Special and Loved. Ages 2-8) (Friendship Series Book 1)**

Click the hyperlink listed below to download "Klara the Cow Who Knows How to Bow (Fun Rhyming Picture Book/Bedtime Story with Farm Animals about Friendships, Being Special and Loved. Ages 2-8) (Friendship Series Book 1)" document.

[Save Document »](#)

---

**[PDF] Anna's Fight for Hope: The Great Depression 1931 (Sisters in Time Series 20)**

Click the hyperlink listed below to download "Anna's Fight for Hope: The Great Depression 1931 (Sisters in Time Series 20)" document.

[Save Document »](#)

---

**[PDF] Sarah's New World: The Mayflower Adventure 1620 (Sisters in Time Series 1)**

Click the hyperlink listed below to download "Sarah's New World: The Mayflower Adventure 1620 (Sisters in Time Series 1)" document.

[Save Document »](#)

---

**[PDF] Reflecting the Eternal: Dante's Divine Comedy in the Novels of C S Lewis**

Click the hyperlink listed below to download "Reflecting the Eternal: Dante's Divine Comedy in the Novels of C S Lewis" document.

[Save Document »](#)

---

**[PDF] Grandpa Spanielson's Chicken Pox Stories: Story #1: The Octopus (I Can Read Book 2)**

Click the hyperlink listed below to download "Grandpa Spanielson's Chicken Pox Stories: Story #1: The Octopus (I Can Read Book 2)" document.

[Save Document »](#)