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Big Lie: a tactic to smear an individual or groups with outrageous allegations e. Consumers still buy amulets and portraits of Chulalongkorn to adorn their bodies and home altars.

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The cult of Chulalongkorn also does not evoke scholarly investigation and analysis as it once did. Consumers still buy amulets and portraits of Chulalongkorn to adorn their bodies and home altars. Spirit mediums are still regularly possessed by the monarch and thus able to offer advice and assistance to those in need.

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Religious Studies Review, 36 1 , MLA McDaniel, Justin. Irene Stengs, Worshipping the Great Moderniser: King Chulalongkorn, Patron Saint of the Thai Middle Class Singapore and Seattle: NUS Press and University of Washington Press, 2009. Stengs conducted a number of important interviews, examined some of the rituals associated with this former regent first hand, and her writing is crisp.

### **Review of Worshipping the Great Moderniser**

Worshipping the Great Moderniser explores the contemporary appeal of King Chulalongkorn and considers what this ruler's unprecedented popularity says about present-day Thai society. Singapore : National University of Singapore Press , 2009.

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McDaniel, Justin 2010-03-01 00:00:00 WORSHIPPING THE GREAT MODERNISER: KING CHULALONGKORN, PATRON SAINT OF THE THAI MIDDLE CLASS. Her study is based on multi-sited field research carried out between 1996 and 1998 in Bangkok and Chiang Mai. But since the dramatic emergence of the cult in the heady boom times of the 1990s, other devotional movements, centered on other deities Princess Suphankalaya and Jatukamramathep, for example have by now come and gone, part of the relentless churn of religious innovation and inspiration that characterizes popular religiosity in contemporary Thailand.

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