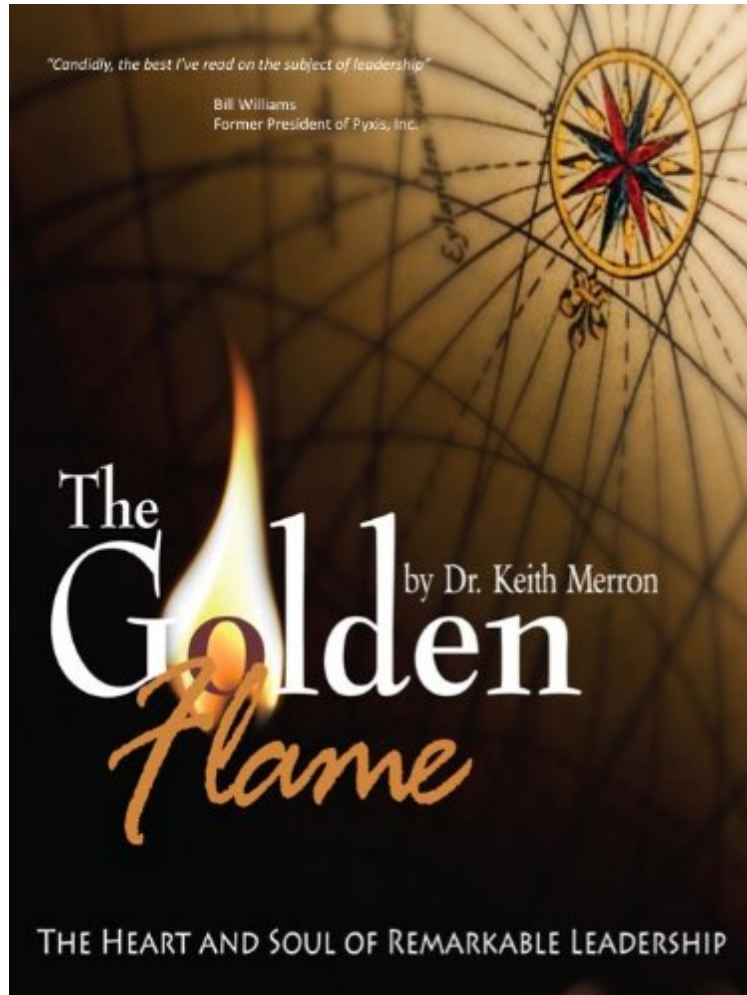


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their industry; had significant responsibility for developing strategy and culture of their organisation; had distinguished themselves as path creators; and others found their leadership to be inspiring and empowering, we learn 'from the horse's mouth' what it takes to be a remarkable leader. Dr. Merron shows that the core of greatness does not reside in behaviours, personality, or even characteristics that typically describe great leaders such as vision, courage and fierce resolve (even though I am sure they are helpful!). Instead the leaders he interviews have developed three essential qualities that live deep within the soul of each of us...and can be cultivated! I highly recommend reading the book to find out more!

2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Leadership Redefined By Lion Goodman Keith Merron has been an Organizational Development consultant for more than 20 years, working with senior executives at both large and small companies. He's seen leadership of every kind and type. With a sharp eye and eagle vision, he has identified the qualities that make leaders shine like lighthouse beacons. This isn't leadership-by-the-book or leadership-by-management-seminar, this is truly great leadership - the kind demonstrated by Martin Luther King, Mahatma Gandhi, and the greatest business and non-profit leaders of our time. Merron's analysis is flawless, and he points to inner strengths and qualities, not outward behaviors, as the deep roots of this radiance. The book is hopeful: these qualities are inborn in all of us, they are the reflection of our truest self, and they can be further cultivated. This book will stimulate you to search out these virtues in yourself, allowing your own inner leader to shine.

Which forces produce great leadership in some and prevent it in others? Disappointment in leadership in every walk of life is at an all-time high. The problem isn't in our appreciation of how to lead. The problem is in making it happen. Until now, little had been understood about why few people are able to adopt genuinely effective leadership characteristics. The gap between knowing how to be a great leader and actually being one is monumental. How do you bridge this gap? The Golden Flame answers these questions. By interviewing remarkable leaders who are charting new paths- and entering a deep exploration of their lifelong journey- Dr. Keith Merron had discovered the keys to the heart and soul of great leadership. His findings are based on a group of remarkable leaders including: Mary Taverna, who was instrumental in bringing the hospice movement to the United States; Bannus Hudson, former CEO of LensCrafters and BevMo, who successfully took two companies from mediocrity to greatness; Mimi Silbert, whose nonprofit organization touches the lives of thousands by helping people who are down and out to take charge of their own lives; Gordon Gund, a blind man with extraordinary vision who, with humility, determination and simple principles of trust, founded and now leads numerous successful businesses. Each of these leaders, and so many others, teaches us not just about who we are, but who we can become. Dr. Merron's discoveries rock the foundation of current tenets of leadership. Great leadership is not about embodying qualities or characteristics that others define or describe. It's about an inner drive to become and express more fully who you already are. By finding the wellspring from which remarkable leadership springs, The Golden Flame shows the behaviors, attitudes, and approaches that define a new era of leadership and organizational life. Throw away all that you've learned about leadership as a set of qualities, behaviors, and competencies, and join Dr. Merron on a journey of leadership that is eye-opening, inspiring, heartwarming.

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About the Author Keith Merron is the founder and Managing Partner of Avista Consulting Group, an organizational consulting and leadership development firm dedicated to helping organizations with bold visions achieve sustainable high performance and industry leadership. He has more than 25 years of experience assisting executives in business, government, and education. His work has positively impacted over 300 companies including Hewlett-Packard, Freddie Mac, AmeriGroup Corporation, MedCath, Wang Laboratories, General Public Utilities and many others. Keith received his doctorate from Harvard University.