Record Nr. UNINA9910453084203321 Religion in philanthropic organizations : family, friend, foe? // edited **Titolo** by Thomas J. Davis Pubbl/distr/stampa Bloomington:,: Indiana University Press,, [2013] ©2013 **ISBN** 0-253-00997-9 Edizione [2nd ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (253 p.) Collana Philanthropic and nonprofit studies Disciplina 361.7/50973 Soggetti Faith-based human services - United States Church charities - United States Social service - United States - Religious aspects Humanitarianism - Religious aspects Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Cover; Title Page; Copyright Page; Dedication Page; Table of Contents; Acknowledgments; Introduction; 1. New Wineskins or New Wine? The Evolution of Ecumenical Humanitarian Assistance; 2. Religious Ambivalence in Jewish American Philanthropy; 3. The Price of Success: The Impact of News on Religious Identity and Philanthropy; 4. Heartbroken for God's World: The Story of Bob Pierce, Founder of World Vision and Samaritan's Purse; 5. Catholic Charities, Religion, and Philanthropy 6. "Intelligent Leadership in the Cause of Racial Brotherhood": Quakers, Social Science, and the American Friends Service Committee's Interwar Racial Activism7. Religious Philanthropies and Government Social Programs; 8. Juggling the Religious and the Secular: World Visions; 9. Philanthropic Decisions of American Jews: The Influence of Religious Identity on Charitable Choices; 10. Myth vs. Reality: Muslim American Philanthropy since 9/11; Contributors; Index Religion in Philanthropic Organizations explores the tensions inherent Sommario/riassunto in religious philanthropies across a variety of organizations and

examines the effect assumptions about ""professional, scientific,

nonsectarian"" philanthropy have had on how religious philanthropies carry out their activities. The organizations examined include the American Friends Service Committee, the American Soviet Jewry Movement, Catholic Charities USA, the Salvation Army, the World Council of Churches, and World Vision (in global comparative context). The book also looks at Robert Pierce, founder of World Vision