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that religion is a source of conflict and violence. It shows how religion can also be a source of cooperation and dialogue, as well as a form of soft power that can shape narratives and influence outcomes. It examines the paradoxes and conflicts arising from America's support for Pakistan's military rulers while promoting democratic values, highlighting the complex interplay between religion and politics. It shows how the Pakistan and United States faced dilemmas and trade-offs in their bilateral relations, balancing their strategic interests and their moral values. Minhas Majeed Khan Marwat is Associate Professor and Chair of the Department of International Relations at the University of Peshawar with nearly two decades of teaching and research experience. Born in Lakki Marwat, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Pakistan, she has dedicated her career to exploring the intricate intersections of religion, politics, and international security. Her doctoral research, carried out at the Alwaleed Bin Talaal Center for Muslim—Christian Understanding at Georgetown University, examined the influence of American evangelicals on United States foreign policy toward Pakistan during the turbulent post-9/11 period. This pioneering work has not only shaped her extensive publication record but also serves as the intellectual foundation for this book. Dr. Khan's scholarly pursuits span a wide array of topics, from Pakistan – United States relations and the dynamics of religious extremism to regional security issues and the role of gender in conflict prevention and resolution.
