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I. Monasticism
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   https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=egiCEmx9JKY
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   https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pU3gPzgavVo
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IV. Contributions of monasticism
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V. Origin of monasticism

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5. http://www.monachos.net/content/monasticism

VIII. Studies on Monasticism
1. http://www.monachos.net/content/monasticism/studies/90-a-gospel-motivation-for-the-monastic-life

IX. Orthodox Spirituality
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2. St. Macrena - [http://paulosmargregorios.in/?p=3931](http://paulosmargregorios.in/?p=3931)

II. Monasticism – Malayalam Speeches by H.G. Paulos Mar Gregorios

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Books written by H. G. Paulos Mar Gregorios about Monasticism

- The Monk and Modern Man
- The Role of Monasticism and a new askesis for our time
- The Monastic Tradition
- Orthodox Monasteries in Russia
- Monasticism and the Life of the Church Today