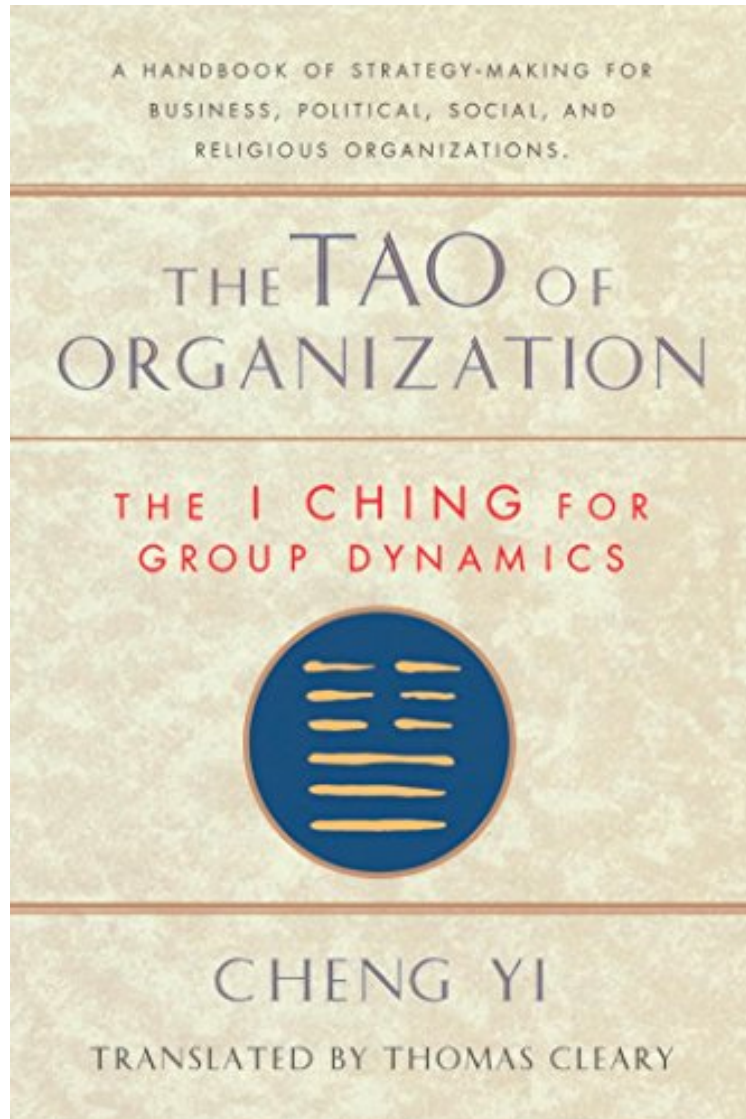


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Language NotesText: English (translation) Original Language: ChineseAbout the AuthorCheng Yi, an eleventh-century scholar and activist, was one of the founders of the movement known as Lixue, or "study of inner design." He was one of the greatest sociological thinkers of Song-dynasty China.