A Note on Documentation and Abbreviation

The researcher has followed in the text of the thesis and the “Works Cited,” the instructions given in the seventh edition of *MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers*.

**Abbreviated Names of Books**

1. *Dramas* : *Dramas of Life: Lazarus and His Beloved and The Blind*
2. *Forerunner* : *The Forerunner*
3. *G.W.* : *Greatest Works of Kahlil Gibran*
4. *Garden* : *The Garden of the Prophet*
5. *Jesus* : *Jesus the Son of Man*
8. *Mirrors* : *Mirrors of the Soul*
9. *Self* : *A Self Portrait*
10. *S.T.* : *Second Treasury of Kahlil Gibran*
11. *Sand* : *Sand and Foam*
12. *Secrets* : *Secrets of the Heart*
13. *Spirits* : *Spirits Rebellious*
14. *Tears* : *Tears and Laughter*
15. *Thoughts* : *Thoughts and Meditations*
16. *Voice* : *Voice of the Master*
17. *Wisdom* : *The Wisdom of Kahlil Gibran*

**General Abbreviations**

1. bk. : book
2. Comp. : compiled
3. Ed. : edited
4. Gen. : Genesis
5. Jer. : Jeremiah
6. Matt. : Matthew
7. Phil. : Philippians
8. Trans. : translated