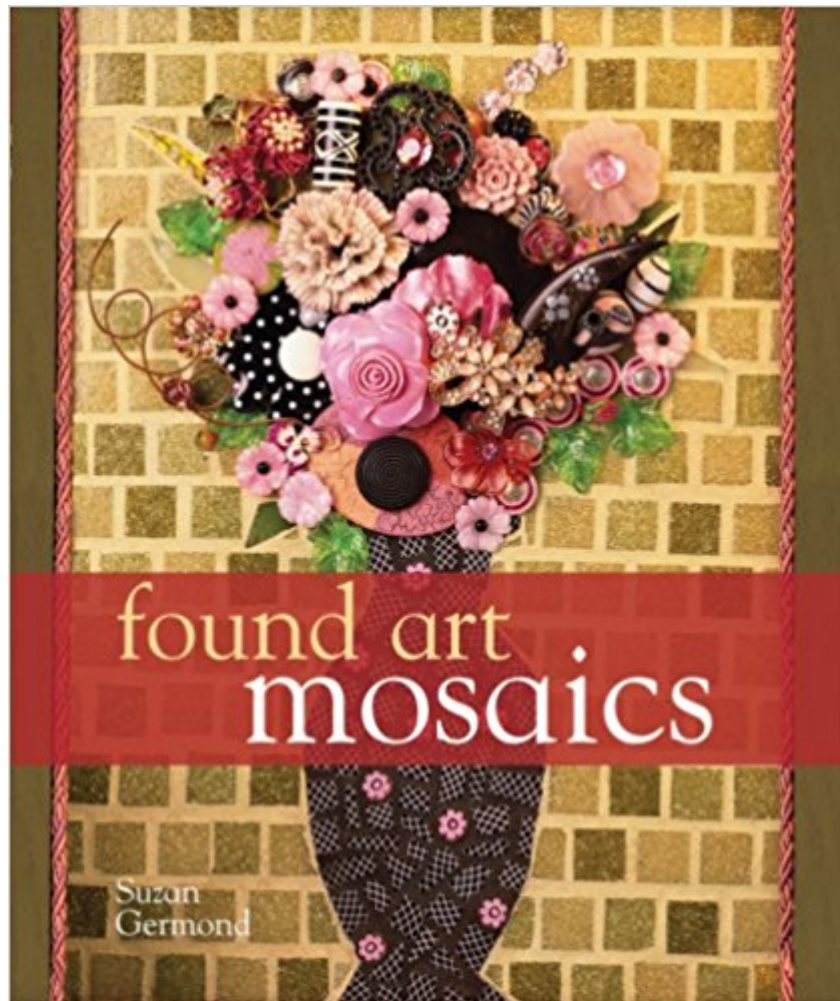




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Found Art Mosaics



Synopsis

Found materials are taking the craft world by storm because the creative potential is tremendous. Contemporary mosaic artists—who continue to expand the limits of construction and materials—can benefit greatly from this movement toward reuse. Even the mosaic neophytes among us can explore the myriad possibilities of these new materials with this fabulous guide. Learn everything you need to get started in the world of found art mosaics, from materials, glass, ceramics, natural materials, grouts, surfaces, sealants, safety gear, and more. The 27 projects here—including the Buttons & Pebbles Vase, Glittering Jewels Belt Buckle, and Recycled Bathtub Garden Planter—each reuse and repurpose objects differently, as the found object may be the surface, the tesserae, or both.

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Customer Reviews

This is the best book I've acquired lately on making mosaics from found objects such as dinner plates and other ceramics, as well as many other items and materials. Nothing in the book looks 'crafty cute'. All the examples are beautiful, interesting and artistic. I especially wanted a book that covered garden art and this book does a fantastic job on that. The instructions on how to use the tools and materials are excellent and the illustrations are top quality. This book is a must for anyone just getting started and challenging enough for anyone interested in mosaic art as well.

This book offers a variety of fresh ideas for readers to consider whether a first project or for a more seasoned mosaic artist. As an avid collector of oddball items I am inspired to put them to use in a

mosaic that will be functional. I was inspired.

Too basic. Probably not a bad book for a beginner. It was recommended when I was purchasing other books so I got it. It isn't at the same level as the others I purchased. It's more of a 'how to' rather than an 'interesting idea' book.

I like the projects and the simple illustrated instructions. I'm not a beginner but for someone who is they are very helpful. My favorite part is that you can adapt the projects to whatever you have on hand.

Ms. Garmond is thorough, very helpful and has an artistic ability that is out of this world. Having seen her work in Fredricksburg made me want to purchase the book just to see how she does it. She's articulate, full of whimsy, and her book is very thorough in explaining what to use, what not to use, and fantastic on ideas.

Love the inspiration within:) Who knew there were so many other like minded people, saving pre loved belongings. It is so exciting to find like minded people.

my daughter simply loved this book , so inspiring.

This is a wonderful, wonderful, book. I have read it several times and keep handy for a quick reference. Glad I ordered it!

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