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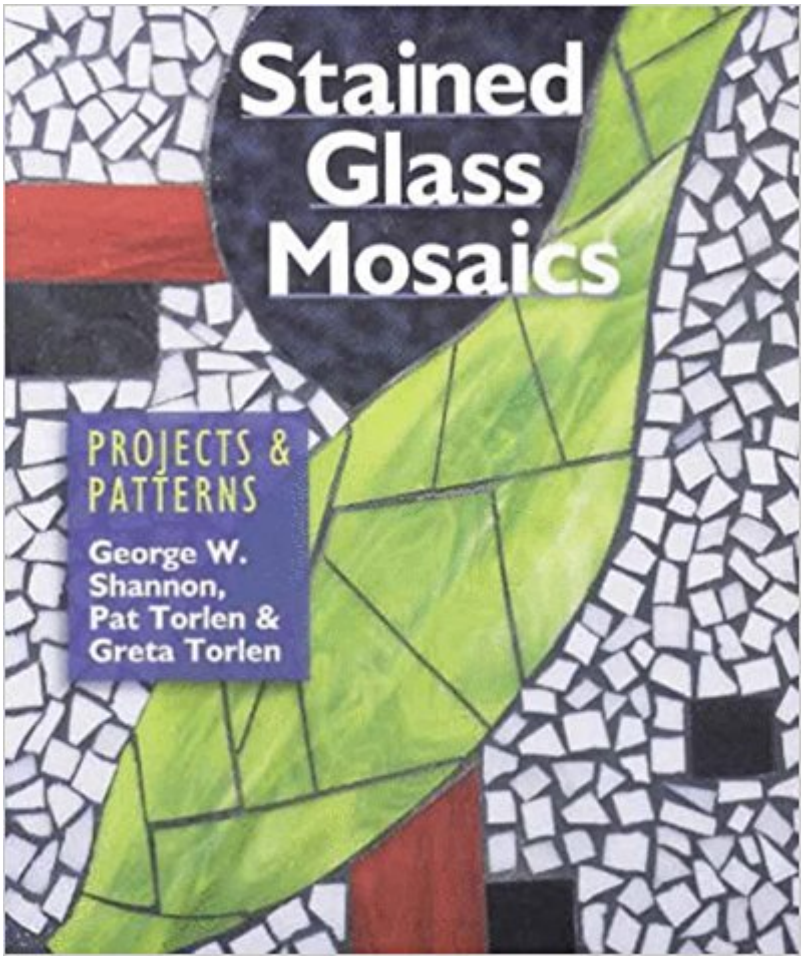

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Synopsis

From bits of brightly colored glass, put together magical mosaics. All the information is hereÃ¢â ¬â •selecting and cutting glass, copying and transferring patterns, and setting up a safe work area. Practice your technique on full-size patterns; helpful hints alert you to common errors, and photos capture every step. Then try 25 fabulous projects: planter boxes, wall hangings, a lily-pond birdbath, mosaic tabletops, and garden stones.

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Despite its slim profile (only 96 pages), this guide packs a wallop. Each of the 25 step-by-step projects comes with a complete gridded and fully keyed template and a good photo of the finished item, plus there is good coverage of all the basics (tools, materials, the work area, pattern transfer, glass cutting) as well as the fundamentals of the two different techniques (direct method, and indirect or reverse method), making the base/support structures, and wall-mounting the heavy items. The lovely designs tend toward the colorfully abstract but also include florals, insects, and a beguiling mermaid on a sink backsplash. Many of the patterns are fairly intricate and include lots of curves, so the novice glass cutter may want to start with a simpler book, or else do a lot of practicing first--the authors have thoughtfully supplemented their thorough glass-cutting explanations with full-size practice patterns. --Amy Handy

OK

Fantastic book. Covers every imaginable topic.

I have been a stained glass artist for several years. Living in a small apartment, I find myself in a position to change direction and look at smaller projects while still working with glass. This book is great and has encouraged me with several projects! Thanks.

Handy book with some good ideas.

Great for some one who wants to learn how, alot of good info & patterns.

Great book and very good information for a beginner or intermediate.

I thought the book was more like for beginners. Other than that it was here on time. I will try or twist some of the projects. I try to get different views and read as much as I can on mosaics.

would have liked to have had more commentary, it is thinner than I expected. But I would purchase again, depending on cost.

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