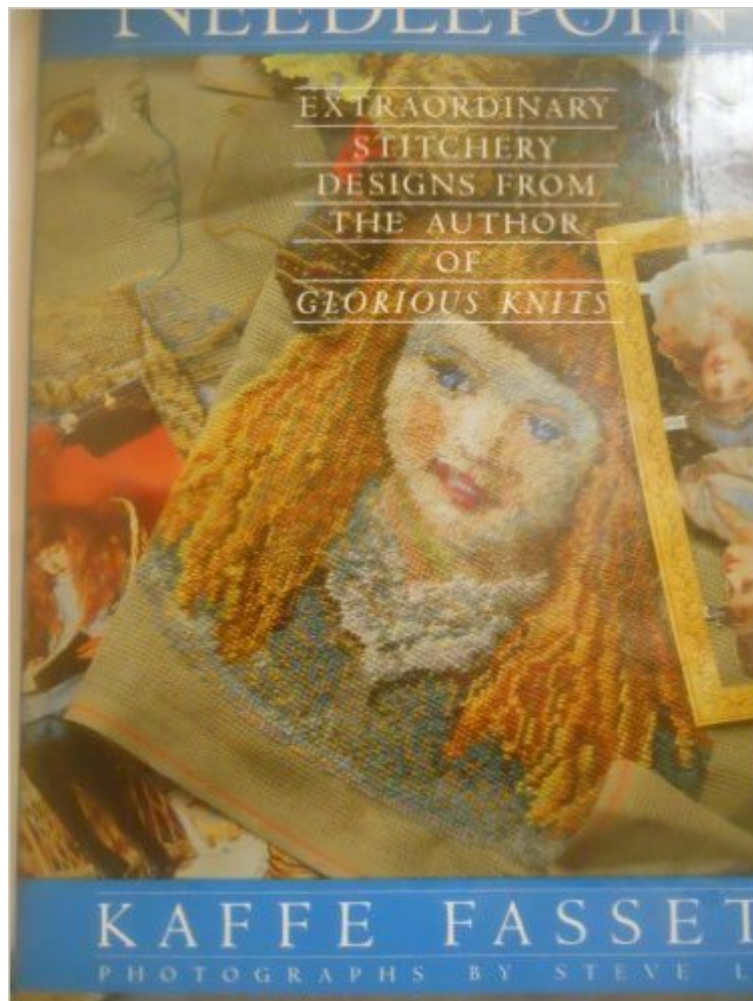


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Glorious Needlepoint: Extraordinary Stitchery Designs From The Author Of Glorious Knits



Synopsis

The author of the sensationally successful *Glorious Knits* applies his vivid sense of color and texture to needlepoint, creating dozens of gorgeous, innovative designs photographed in brilliant color. More than 150 full-color photographs.

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Customer Reviews

A wonderful book that stimulates the senses. Stretches the imagination to find the design elements and color in our natural surroundings and commonplace objects. Provides instructions, materials needed and graphs for many needlework pieces. Excellent photos showing the practical use of the various finished needlepoint projects. This is a delightful and informative book that even non-stitchers would enjoy. Needlepointers will revel in it

Kaffe Fassett is an awesome and talented man! He quilts, knits, needlepoints, surfaces huge areas with mosaics, has his own fabric line, and holds workshops internationally. He was born in San Francisco but now lives in England. I taught myself to needlepoint from this book. As a beginner, I started out small by making two spectacles (Eye Glasses) cases. Then I went on and made a pansy cushion (throw pillow). I find Kaffe Fassett's designs to be beautiful and colorful, which is refreshing especially when it's nothing but gray clouds outside. I recommend this book and any or all of Kaffe Fassett's books.

A fabulous book with lots of color! If you would like a little color inspiration for needlepoint and beyond, this book is for you. If your interested in purchasing ready to go kits by Kaffe Fasset,

Ehrman Needlepoint carries all current kits available. Easy to follow charts and beautiful colors. The new catalog just came out and Some older kits have been re-released. Happy stitching everyone!

Awesome book. Being able to tap into the brilliance of Kaffe Fassett's creative mind is wonderful. This book was my first needlepoint adventure and has inspired me to more explorations in color and composition. He makes it easy to understand and "gives permission" to go wild with the designs. Make yourself happy, express your inner color wheel. While probably not the BEST for technique that will produce long-lasting, durable upholstery stitches, others and other books will take care of those departments. This is a great inspiration.

This is a great older Kaffe Fassett book, I was excited to be able to find a used copy in great shape at a wonderful price. If you enjoy needlepoint you will love the patterns and inspiration included in this book. Glorious Needlepoint: Extraordinary Stitchery Designs from the Author of Glorious Knits

Kaffe Fassett revolutionized needlework in the late 1980's with this book, and more than twenty years later it still remains a most useful compendium of needlepoint design, technique, and inspiration. Large format colour photos, including of pieces in progress (always so useful in understanding technique and colour bending) enhance the text, and his welcoming and encouraging tone makes this book a prized addition to any needleworker's collection. Highly recommended for both beginner and more experienced crafts people - or just for the sheer visual pleasure of looking at the marvellous textiles.

If you love Kaffe Fassett, you will enjoy this book, whether you do needlework or not. A must for his fans.

Kaffe Fassett is such a gifted artist. I sent this book to my sister. At age 66, she lives with clothing from high school, our deadparents' clothing and belongings. Old boxes of cereal that should have been eaten thirty years ago. Junk mail from years ago stacked where something beautiful could be placed. This book is so beautiful perhaps it will inspire her to make space to live in the present.

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