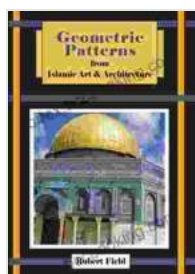


Geometric Patterns From Islamic Art And Architecture: Your Gateway to the Enchanting World of Islamic Design

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Geometric Patterns From Islamic Art And Architecture is a comprehensive exploration of the rich and diverse geometric patterns that have adorned Islamic mosques, palaces, and other architectural marvels for centuries. Through breathtaking photographs and detailed descriptions, this book unveils the beauty, complexity, and symbolism behind these captivating designs.

A Journey Through Centuries of Islamic Design

From the early days of Islamic civilization to the present, geometric patterns have played a vital role in Islamic culture. This book traces the evolution of these patterns, from their origins in ancient Mesopotamia to their

refinement in the Umayyad and Abbasid caliphates and their continued influence in contemporary architecture.

Along the way, you'll discover the different types of geometric patterns used in Islamic art, including:

- Regular tilings, such as the square grid, hexagonal grid, and honeycomb grid
- Semi-regular tilings, such as the girih and muqarnas patterns
- Non-periodic tilings, such as the Penrose tiling

Each pattern has its own unique characteristics and symbolic meanings, which are explored in depth in the book.

The Symbolism of Islamic Geometric Patterns

Beyond their aesthetic appeal, geometric patterns in Islamic art often carry deep symbolic meanings. These patterns represent the harmony of the universe, the unity of God, and the interconnectedness of all things.

The book delves into the symbolism of these patterns, providing insights into the spiritual and philosophical beliefs of Islamic cultures. You'll learn about the different ways that geometric patterns have been used to represent:

- The four elements (earth, water, fire, and air)
- The seven heavens

- The twelve signs of the zodiac
- The ninety-nine names of God

By understanding the symbolism behind these patterns, you'll gain a deeper appreciation for the richness and complexity of Islamic art and architecture.

Applications in Modern Design and Architecture

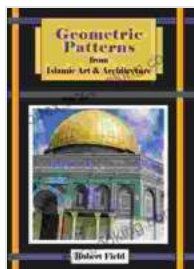
Geometric patterns from Islamic art and architecture continue to inspire designers and architects today. These patterns can be found in a wide range of applications, including:

- Interior design
- Textile design
- Product design
- Architectural design

The book showcases contemporary examples of how geometric patterns are being used in modern design, providing inspiration for your own creative projects.

Geometric Patterns From Islamic Art And Architecture is an essential resource for anyone interested in Islamic art, architecture, design, or symbolism. With its stunning visuals, in-depth analysis, and practical applications, this book will open your eyes to the beauty and complexity of Islamic design and inspire you to incorporate these timeless patterns into your own work.

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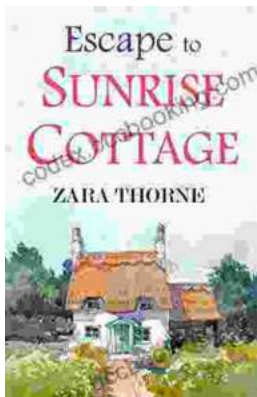
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