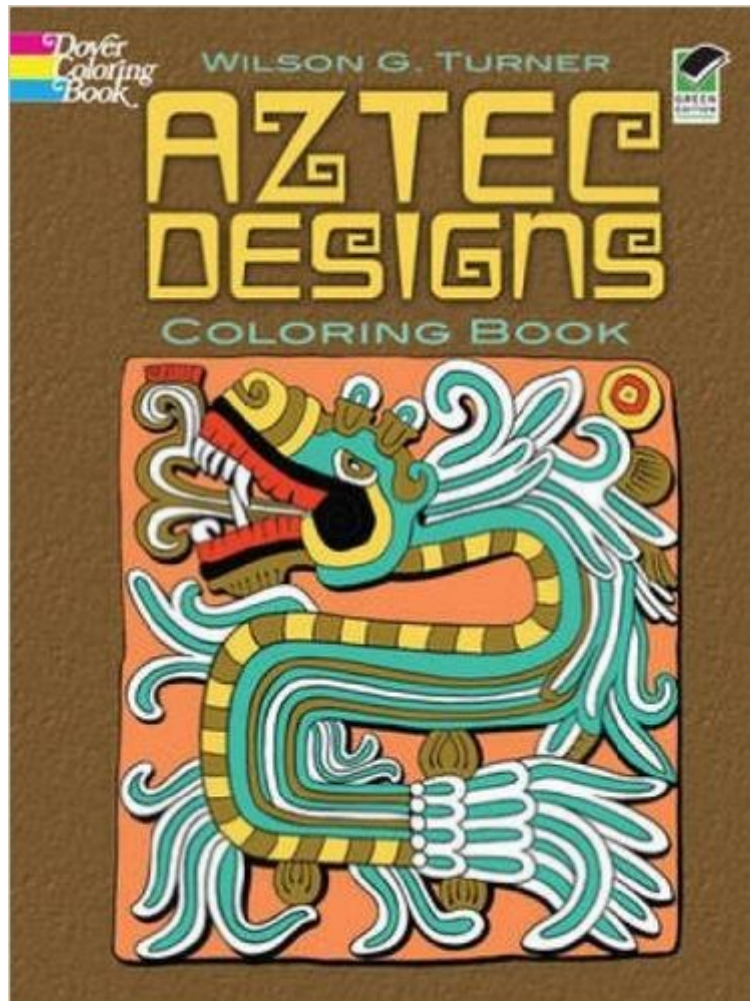


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# Aztec Designs Coloring Book (Dover Design Coloring Books)



## Synopsis

Rich in symbolism, the art of the Aztecs offers compelling glimpses into a vanished civilization. This book is a glorious gallery of authentic designs from an ancient Mesoamerican society that presents 30 meticulous re-creations of a vibrant culture's traditional designs. Derived from ceramics, statues, weapons, books, and other priceless artifacts, the images portray gods, rulers, warriors, and animals, plus secular and sacred activities.

## Book Information

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Grade Level: 1 - 5

## Customer Reviews

Bought this for my grandma who is losing some cognitive functions. This company has a whole series of coloring books for adults. She LOVES them. They have nice little stories at the bottom and the scenes are interesting enough to keep her attention. I sent these books with some nice new colored pencils and she has really taken to them! Coloring and doodling can be quite therapeutic and meditative. She also enjoys word search puzzles but this is a nice change of pace, and especially nice when her mind isn't working as well or she isn't feeling well. The whole series of books is highly recommended for senior citizens, anyone who is bedridden, or those who like doodling while on the phone. Send your grandma a package -- she'll love them! :-)

This Aztec Designs Coloring Book has a really good selection of pictures that range from easy to

very detailed. There are 32 pages in this coloring book and while some time no time at all to do there are some that will take a good amount of time as well as attention. I love coloring and I love a challenge so this coloring book was perfect for me personally. I really like all the Aztec designs and they are all very unique. This coloring book is absolutely worth the price and in my opinion a heck of a deal! This book would be great for all ages and for the harder pages I think it would be good for parents, siblings, etc to help the younger kids out with. I would definitely recommend this Aztec Designs Coloring Book!! I bought this product with my own money!

I love this book. The pictures are interesting and fun. They can be removed, framed and hung as art work, that's how pretty they are. Not an average coloring book. Can make artist out of anyone if you take your time when coloring..

Great pictures, but you can't color both sides of the paper with colored pens without it showing through on the back side, so you have to choose which side to color and therefore get only 1/2 the pictures in the book. Disappointing that they didn't make the paper thick enough to be able to color both sides.

This book has been a big hit with my Grade 4 class following our lectures on the Aztecs beliefs. They tried drawing from the different videos we watched, but for some it was an exercise in frustration, as the art is so different from our own. The illustrations presented in the coloring book gave them practice and made them more comfortable with the Aztec look.

I didn't read the description of this book and thought I was getting an Aztec design book in color, not a coloring book. However, it is serving the unexpected purpose of allowing me, by coloring the book myself, to integrate the designs into my memory in a more intimate way than just gazing at pictures and hoping I will remember what they mean. Coloring is a meditative exercise, another plus of this book. It is inexpensive and I recommend it to anyone with interest in the culture of the Aztec people and their symbolic language expressed as art.

The coloring book is overkill for little ones. I would recommend this to adults, teens, or very dexterous preteens. That said, it is what we all expect from a coloring book. Designs are intricate and require time.

thin book with very few graphics. WAs looking specifically for inspiration of Mayan graphics and this book didn't do it. For for the price, of course I won't return it. I guess you get what you pay for.

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