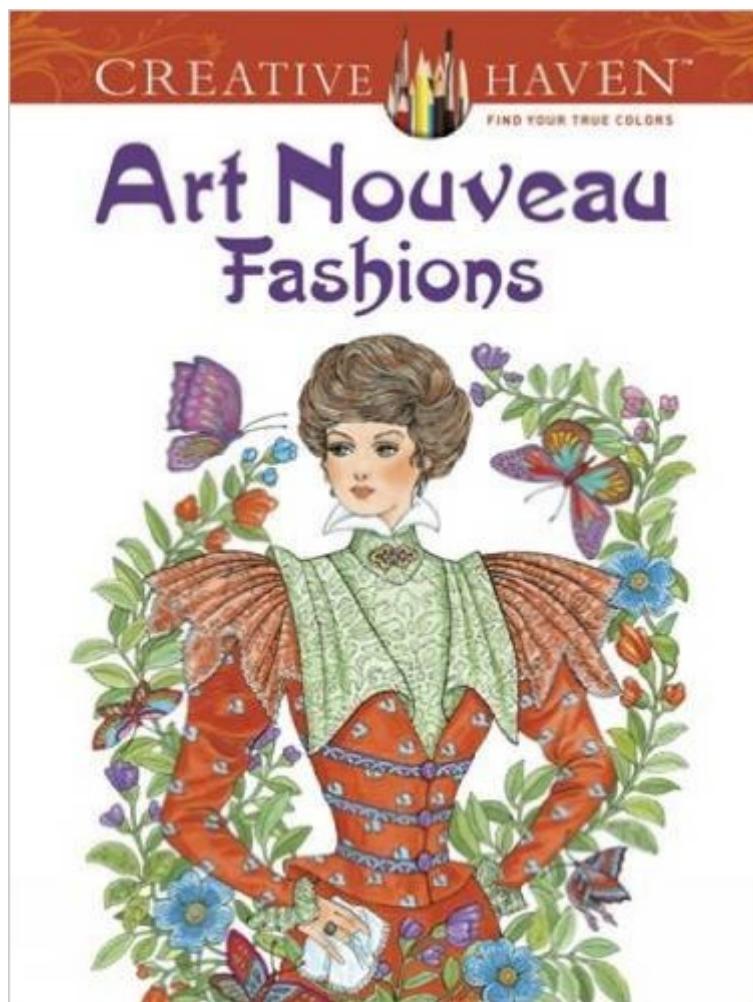


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# Dover Creative Haven Art Nouveau Fashions Coloring Book (Adult Coloring)



## **Synopsis**

What were well-dressed ladies wearing during the heyday of Art Nouveau? This coloring book presents 31 full-page illustrations of women and girls in the broad-shouldered, narrow-waisted fashions in vogue from the 1890s to the early 1900s. Graceful period motifs appear in the backgrounds. Pages are perforated and printed on one side only for easy removal and display. Specially designed for experienced colorists, Art Nouveau Fashions and other Creative Haven® adult coloring books offer an escape to a world of inspiration and artistic fulfillment. Each title is also an effective and fun-filled way to relax and reduce stress.

## **Book Information**

Series: Adult Coloring

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Age Range: 8 and up

Grade Level: 3 and up

## **Customer Reviews**

I love this coloring book, every illustration in this book is stunning, with intricate details, of elegantly dressed women, gracefully posed, in the broad shouldered narrow waisted, ornately embroidered gowns of the time, from the 1890s through the early 1900s. But there is even more, to enhance each illustration you will find flowers, vines, birds, cats, dogs, deer, and even fairies. I often think of

this time in history as I color in this book. At that time women had very few options for owning a business and/or working outside the home. Dress shops were one of these and each seamstress spent hours embroidering the gowns so theirs would stand out from other dress shops.1. 31 exquisitely drawn illustrations, printed one per page (the back is blank), on heavy weight, bright white paper.2. Gel pens, Markers or Colored pencils work well with this book; I use a combination of both.3. 2 full paged colored illustrations are added to inspire you, I am adding them below along with some others from the book in hopes it will help you decide if this book is just right for you.

The designs are lovely and varied. I like the mix of full-length dresses on some pages and just from the waist up on others. It is not only fashion that you can color. There are flowers and animals and birds. I love the variety. It is elegant and I love mixing color combinations. There is no picture on the reverse, so you use marker or pencil.

YET ANOTHER INCREDIBLE OFFERING FROM CREATIVE HAVEN, ART NUVEAU FASHIONS WILL SURPRISE YOU. FIRST OF ALL, THE FASHIONS ARE NOT ART NUVEAU, THE ART WORK AROUND THE RICH YOUNG WOMEN IS THE ART NUVEAU OF THE BOOK. THE FASHIONS ARE VERY DETAILED, AS OTHER REVIEWERS HAVE BEEN SO KIND AS TO SHOW. THIS IS NOT A COLORING BOOK FOR A YOUNG CHILD. I'M 57 AND I AM A BIT INTIMIDATED. THE REALLY FANTASTIC PART OF THE FASHIONS, IS THAT THERE IS NO WHERE NEAR THE AMT OF BLACK INK' IN THE FASHIONS' DRAWINGS. MANY WILL UNDERSTAND THIS FROM PURCHASING COLORING BOOKS WITH OTHER ARTISTS WHO WILL FILL IN ALL THE LACEY DETAILS WITH TONS OF BLACK INK, LEAVING NOTHING TO THE IMAGINATION OF THE COLORIST. THANK YOU MS. SUN FOR DRAWING THESE SO WELL, WITHOUT FILLING EVERY INCH OF LACE WITH HEAVY BLACK LINES. THIS REALLY SHOULD BE PURCHASED BY THE ADVANCED COLORIST, YET I HAD TO HAVE THIS BOOK! ENJOY

This was my first adult coloring book purchase I loved it! The detail is so amazing and forces you to concentrate on getting those little designs right. In turn, it really did help me to relax and not think about all my worries while working on a piece. The ladies and fashions are lovely as are the backgrounds which are just as detailed as the fashions. Highly recommended as a way to tune out from this crazy, high-tech world of ours even if it's only a few moments at a time! I do recommend using fine tipped mediums since actual crayons may not be able to color the smaller detailed parts

of the images.

This is a wonderful coloring book and I will certainly be ordering it again in the future. The pictures are beautiful, and certainly stir one's creativity in coloring them. I frequently used pastel chalks for the background of the dress and then highlighted the patterns with markers. One of the great things about this coloring book is that the pictures are only printed on one side of the page so you can use any marker you wish without concern of bleed through. The designs are quite intricate and detailed so not for very young colorists unless they have exceptionally good motor skills.

Good quality, not lame as some are. Pages are only printed on one side so ink would bleed through and ruin a picture on the back page. One thing I hadn't noticed when I previewed it through LOOK INSIDE is that there are lot of birds and dogs in the pages. If you are not good at colouring those, or don't like colouring them, this is a definite drawback. I may scan the dog pages and erase them in the photo editing program.

Love love love one of my fav adult coloring books and I have many many many. I use Derwent Inktense Pencils, Fiskars Gel Pen, Yasutomo Gel Xtreme Metallic Pens, Chalk pencils, watercolor pencils,

Bought this coloring book for my daughter enjoys fashion. This will inspire her to more ideas. You can always count on DOVER publishing to put out a quality book. Pages are made of strong paper. Pictures are clear. Price is right.

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