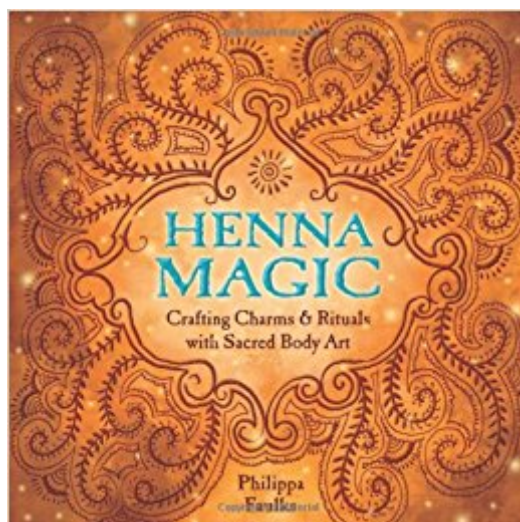


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# Henna Magic: Crafting Charms & Rituals With Sacred Body Art



## Synopsis

More than just a beautiful form of self-expression for millennia, the art of henna body decoration has been used by cultures around the world for magical protection, blessings, celebrations, luck, and love. In this unique book, Philippa Faulks guides you step by step in the creation of magical henna art. Learn to mix henna paste and apply your design, select powerful symbols and the best places for them on the body, and blend in oils and herbs to boost your magic's potency. You'll also find dozens of ready-made henna designs and spells for love, passion, friendship, healing, prosperity, and more, plus correspondences to help you craft your own spells. Includes illustrations and a full-color photo insert.

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## Customer Reviews

Philippa Faulks (Norwich, United Kingdom) studies herbology, ancient religions, and anthropology, with a special focus on ancient Egypt and the Middle East. She is the author of four books whose subjects include Freemasonry, magic, and meditation. Visit her online at [www.philippafaulks.co.uk](http://www.philippafaulks.co.uk).

This was a good book, however I think adding picture examples of all the listed objects would have been nice. Also more pictures of actual henna done using this book. The only pics included were ones of regularly done traditional or mehndi style henna. It was written nicely and easy to understand, though I guess I'm spoiled a little by the digital age and would like a few examples or links on more info or even shops where to purchase items listed...As soon as I finished... No wait even before I finished the book I wanted to grab my henna and start! Though I did wait and grab my

sketchbook instead and carefully planned out what my intentions were and what I wanted.

I pre-ordered this book because I thought it would be fresh and exciting but when I read *Henna Magic- Crafting Charms and Rituals with Sacred Body Art*. I was disappointed to find that everything in the book was a direct reference from a popular henna web site. Word for word, thought for thought. It was a total copy from one of my favorite henna resource web sites. I gave the book 3 stars for putting most of the websites information in one place. Thanks... rent this book from your local library and save yourself a few bucks. Hope this review helps. If you're a henna information collector or you want a reference guide to a website- buy this book.

I was hoping for actual design patterns, not just a generic listing of symbols from different belief sets. The section on mixing and setting the henna was nice, though. Just wish there were actual Indian designs included... Guess I'll just have to keep looking.

It is very informative and quite middle of the road which is very important in a book like this.

Average, but worth it if the price is nice.

Different than what I thought it was, but OK.

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this book was so helpful and informational. a lot of history about henna, very detailed. the appendix has so many great resources, great buy and worth the money. even has a recommended reading section.

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