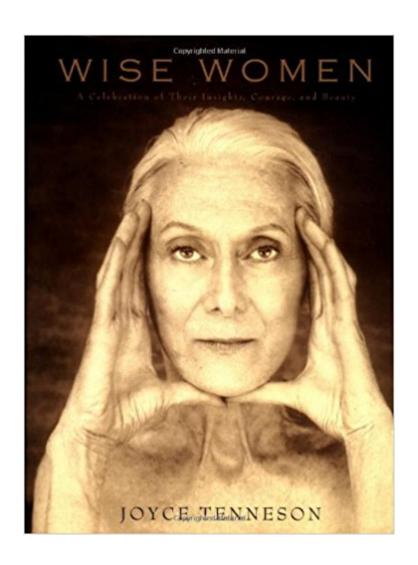


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Wise Women: A Celebration Of Their Insights, Courage, And Beauty





Synopsis

In ancient times older women were the keepers of primal mysteries and were revered for their special wisdom: today there is a feeling that our culture is reawakening to the power of our elders. Joyce Tenneson presents 80 portraits of women aged 65 to 100, who comment on their experiences of ageing.

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Joyce Tenneson is one of the most celebrated photographers of our time. She is the author of six books, including Light Warriors (Bulfinch, 2000), and her work has appeared in countless publications. Tenneson has had more than 150 exhibits in galleries and museums worldwide, and she is a respected lecturer and speaker. She lives and works in New York City.

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A look at how we can choose to see ourselves as we change

Excellent purchase. Product was delivered as promised and condition was exactly as advertised.

Love this book even more so now that I've entered this realm. I hope to be seen as a Wise Woman.

I received this book at my 60th birthday party (which was a weekend with women only -30 of us - at a cottage in the Canadian mountains). Everyone autographed it and wrote something to me in it just like in the 50's with your highschool yearbooks. Each woman picked out a page and just wrote what she felt or thought. I also shared it with my friends who couldn't come to the party and they also signed it happily and sincerely. There are many autographs and lines written throughout the book and I still look through the pages with enjoyment. Women of all walks of life, all circumstances, all levels of inner and outer beauty featured within its pages - just like my friends. Since then, I have bought it for most of my girlfriends at their coming of age parties. It's a good time to be 60, I will tell you that.

I bought a couple of copies as gifts, one for my sister and another for a female colleague. A coworker of my wife recommended this book and she was right. The photographs are fantastic. They speak to you like an image should, more than a thousand words! The quotes are also well chosen. For some of us, this may be a trip down memory lane with the women we have grown up with such as Gloria Steinem. My colleague found the pictures and quotes inspirational, especially when she had a quiet moment or felt a little down. This is a great book to give as a gift to female friends, colleagues, or co-workers as it provides inspiration, is politically correct and yet very appropriate.

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I like looking through this book, it is a celebration of older women, and there aren't many books, magazines, television shows, movies, etc that do that. It's a positive look at a segment of the population that is often over looked. I think it's well worth getting - and leaving around for younger men and women to maybe see and get some insight. Like that will happen!

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