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Bungalow Style: Creating Classic Interiors In Your Arts And Crafts Home



Synopsis

Whether renovating, restoring, expanding, or building new, we all share a longing for the values that hark back to the Arts and Crafts era. The lush woodwork, ingenious open plans, and fine finish details are symbolic of a time gone by. Or are they? As Treena Crochet amply illustrates in *Bungalow Style*, recreating the beauty of these Arts and Crafts gems without sacrificing our modern lifestyles is not only feasible but also deeply rewarding. Over 300 photographs offer a host of ideas, while case studies and sidebars show real-world examples and offer advice on how to incorporate period-authentic details in your own home. This extensive collection of beautifully photographed interior architectural elements is an indispensable source of information and inspiration for anyone interested in these special homes.

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Customer Reviews

Her book offers inspiration for renovators as well as new-home builders who want to capture the period's essence. -- The Houston Chronicle January 29, 2005, Saturday SECTION: STAR; Pg. 8
This colorful book deals with all the essential bungalow elements: doors, windows, walls, trim, stairs and built-in furniture. -- Omaha World-Herald (Nebraska) February 3, 2005 SECTION: LIVING; Pg. 02E;

This book is for homeowners who appreciate the historic character of their old house, whether

Colonial, Cape Cod, or Saltbox style. The numerous examples are from actual homeowners who updated their 17th or 18th century homes with a sense of the past without sacrificing modern amenities or luxuries. It is meant to inspire homeowners to learn about the inherent qualities of these older homes while making it loveable and liveable for themselves in the 21st century.

Taunton Press is known for excellent home-related books. Even so, Treena Crochet exceeded my expectations and even my hopes. My home in Port Angeles, WA (the first I've ever owned, at age 70) is a small, very blah 1947 bungalow, but this book gave me many ideas from this more interesting architectural period to give it character, from drawer pulls and kitchen bathroom cabinet hardware and faucets to light fixtures, outdoor light fixtures and door handles, to furniture. Even with my very limited budget, my little house now has a lot more charm and character.

This book was invaluable for me in helping to choose decor and colors for my craftsman home. It is full of great pictures of the craftsman style of interior architecture and design, and was a treasure trove of pictures. For a style that isn't the most modern, and can be hard to find good examples online of how to properly and authentically style a craftsman home, this book is tops!

Full of superb images for inspiration. From furnishings, trimwork, lighting, floors, pillars, posts, fireplaces... Great book to inspire you

Great resource.

Great photography, but I haven't read it yet. My wife says that it deals mostly with how to renovate a traditional arts & crafts bungalow style house. We were more interested in how to incorporate the A&C style in our existing A&C lite house.

great product

Well-designed and researched compendium of information on this disappearing style of home. The layout and photos supported the detailed information provided by the author in an easily readable and flowing manner. Great volume for those that have an affinity for vintage homes, whether purchasing, residing in and contemplating the construction of one. This book complements the authors previous, and equally informative, volume Colonials and Capes. A must have on your

bookshelf!

Nice quality book with pretty pictures. Didn't find it all that inspiring for its intended use in designing a new house, but great ideas if you were remodeling a bungalow - so I sent it back No problems at all with returning though I did have to pay shipping because it wasn't a problem with the product.

That is 's policy and I knew that when I bought

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