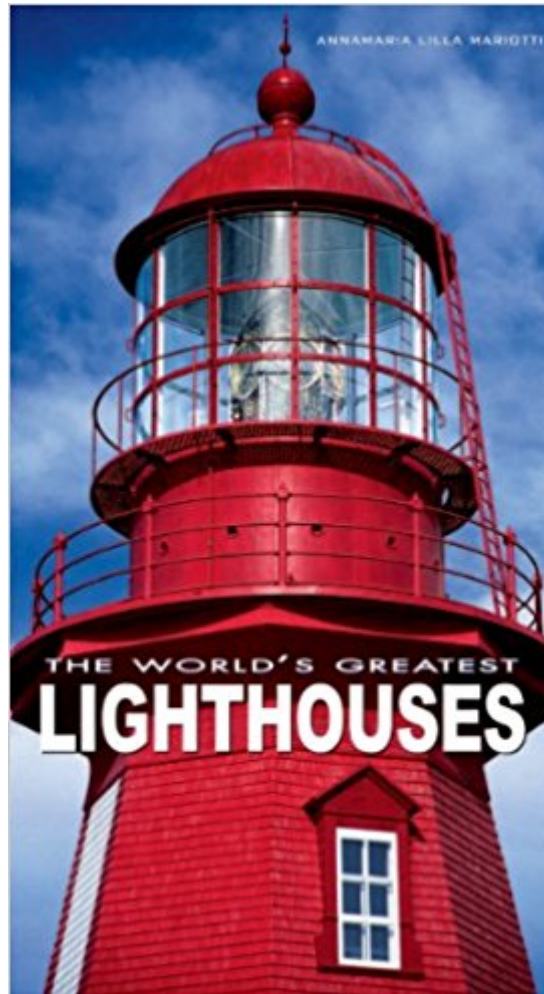




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Synopsis

Escape into these spectacular color photographs of more than 50 of the world's most beautiful lighthouses. They hail from North American shores such as the Outer Banks, Nova Scotia, Bermuda, and the California and Oregon coasts, as well as throughout the Mediterranean, the North Sea, the South Pacific, Asian waters, and the Caribbean. This book is dedicated to the lighthouses of history, legends, films, novels, and personal reveries. Spectacular Atlantic storms rage just outside the cozy interiors, which often contain the most unusual furniture. The text covers the individual characteristics, location, and history of these extraordinary coastal monuments, together with their technical development and the complex psychology of the modern-day hermits who live in them. This book is for all who love the seacoast and its architecture.

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Customer Reviews

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This book has a lot of amazing photos of lighthouses around the world. I liked the book but am somewhat disappointed not to see more lighthouses. There are some amazing and beautiful lighthouses out there that I was so surprised not to see in this book. Now I realize it's not the

"lighthouses of the world" book and that the idea of beauty is purely subjective, yet I really would've liked to see more intriguing lighthouses from maybe lesser known places in the world. (I am glad Portland Head Light was included). I read glowing reviews from this site which led me to purchase the book, but it did not live up to all its hype.

Well done! Nice pictures. Text is a little small but a very unique book.

I've scoured the internet for years for lighthouse memorabilia as my mother is a collector/fan and I never want to let her down in the holiday season. She seemed to be very happy with this latest find... lots of beautiful pictures of lighthouses the world over with in depth information on each. Maybe she can elaborate... If she ever sees this! ;)

this was a gift. the person I gave it to loved it. said it was perfect. I did glance thru it before I wrapped it. Pictures are gorgeous

The pictures are very nice. But the print font is miniscule, making it very hard to read. After perusing it with a magnifying glass, we disposed of it. It was not suitable for the coffee table.

Nice book, but the cover was all bent. It was a gift and I ended up taking the jacket off. Pretty book so u was disappointed by that.

A wonderful book with beautiful pictures and interesting facts.

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