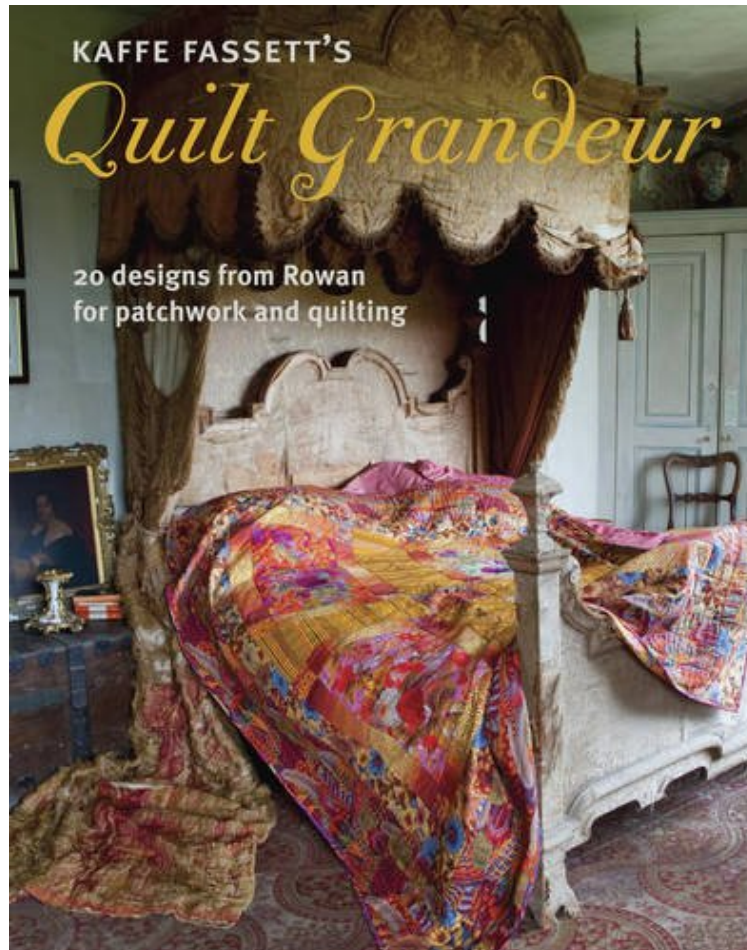


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Kaffe Fassett : Kaffe Fassett's Quilt Grandeur: 20 designs from Rowan for patchwork and quilting before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Kaffe Fassett's Quilt Grandeur: 20 designs from Rowan for patchwork and quilting:

65 of 65 people found the following review helpful. Fabulous, fabulous, fabulous as always!! By Celtic Girl My growing library of Kaffe Fassett titles opened its arms to this newest love child. The book is stunning, and even if I never made one of the quilts inside, it would be worth every cent, just for the inspiration of it (though I do have several in mind to make). The publisher should do the "Look inside" feature for these types of books. If the potential customer could see some of the quilts inside, they'd buy the book. Fantastic! 23 of 24 people found the following review helpful. For sheer eye candy alone this book is worth it. By M. Kristin Johnsen I, like many other reviewers, have a shelf full of Kaffe Fassett books, but for some reason this one resonated with me. Maybe it is the time of year, or how the location

was used so well to display the quilts. Maybe it is because I have so many of the fabrics in the various lines of fabric described! But I've read this one through a couple of times in the two weeks I've had it, and actually am piecing together one of the quilts shown! Many reviewers complain that the patterns are very template driven, which is true, and that does not keep up with so many of us who rotary cut and strip piece. But I've found that if you take some time to break down the patterns, if you have some quilting skills you can make the patterns work out for you with just a bit of focus. Many of the patterns are not for those new to quilting but this book also points to some that are good for a beginning quilter, so besides the eye candy, some real doable projects. And for me, sometimes I just need a dose of pretty to get me going creatively and this book does the trick! It was an indulgence purchase and I was not sure I really needed another Kaffe book, but I'm truly enjoying it - and using it! 34 of 36 people found the following review helpful. AllAbout The FabricBy C.P. Yes, I enjoy leafing through the book and viewing the new quilts. The colors are inspiring. But at the end of the book, my feeling is that I have just been given the hard-sell to purchase the Kaffe Fassett fabric collections. Many of the quilts are more about the fabric than the quilt design. I have bought Kaffe's Rowan fabrics. They are thinner than my other fabrics and wear faster. I do love the colors and patterns.

Kaffe Fassett's quilts never fail to dazzle and delight. Fifteenth in this series of bestsellers, Kaffe Fassett's Quilt Grandeur lives up to its name, inspiring readers with grand new takes on the age-old art of quilting. It brings you 20 all-new patterns that show off to advantage his signature line of Rowan fabrics, such as: Daisy Chain, Mad Plaid, Lotto, and Trellis and Nets. Sophisticated. Surprising. Super-saturated colors! Always dramatic, Kaffe's designs feature rich colorways, best exemplified in his amazing Overlapping Squares quilt. Always inventive, Kaffe offers modern interpretations of traditional pinwheel, log cabin and rick rack designs. Always on-trend, Kaffe's favorite colors bright pinks, clear turquoises, vivid lavenders, and high-impact reds are featured throughout the book. A showcase for contemporary quilters. This collection features work done in collaboration with superb quilters who are household names and projects include: Liza Prior Lucy's Cartwheel and Dreamy Hexagons; Pauline Smith's Blue Haze; Brandon Mably's child-size quilt, Paper Dolls, and Swirling Petals by Mary Mashuta. Tips and techniques for doing museum-quality work. Like all his other bestsellers, Kaffe Fassett's Quilt Grandeur is a highly-charged visual experience, but it offers readers far more than eye candy. Kaffe generously shares what he's learned over 30 years as a designer and quilter extraordinaire and provides everything you need to duplicate these glorious designs. Or, taking a page from Kaffe's playbook, you can use these designs to inspire your own original interpretation!

About the Author San Francisco-born artist Kaffe Fassett is a name every quilter knows. His work has been commissioned by the British monarchy, American fashion designers, and the Royal Shakespeare Company. More than a decade ago, Fassett partnered with Rowan to create the Kaffe Fassett Collections, which debuts new fabrics each fall. He has written numerous quilt best-sellers including Heritage Quilts, Kaffe Quilts Again, Kaffe Fassett: Dreaming in Color, an autobiography, and Kaffe Fassett's Quilt Romance.