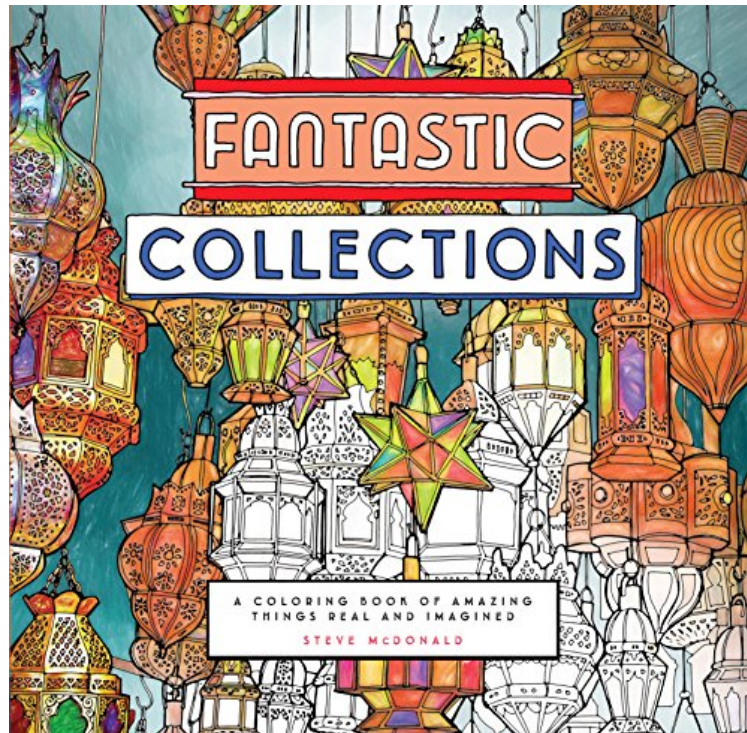


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merge into binding areaBook can be opened to a flat positionAlcohol-based markers bleed through page. Using these will ruin the design on the back of the page.Water-based markers, gel pens, and India ink artist pens do not bleed through or leave color shadows on back on page. Gel pens required additional drying time.Coloring pencils work well with this paper. I used both oil and wax based pencils for good pigment, layering multiple colors and blending using a pencil style blending stick.14 of 15 people found the following review helpful. Yes! Another wonderful FANTASTIC coloring book ...By M. SweeneySteve McDonald has another great follow-on to his Fantastic Cities: A Coloring Book of Amazing Places Real and Imagined and Fantastic Structures: A Coloring Book of Amazing Buildings Real and Imagined with this selection of line drawings of collections of interesting objects. Much like his drawings of architectural scenes these too are full of detail yet adaptable to a wide range of coloring styles, from the abstract or fanciful to more realistic depictions.. It continues the same format – 60 slightly over-sized pages (not quite 12 inches square) on heavier weight paper for less chance of bleed-through from markers. (You will probably be OK with the double-sided pages unless you use a **lot** of layers of markers, or colored sharpies.) The drawings can be colored with colored pencils or broad pointed felt pens, and again, they lend themselves to adding any level of detail and texture one wants to drill down to. Feel like adding in the sparkles and stripes of the candy in jars, reflections in the wall of beer bottles, or a dimly-lit scene? – go for it; the drawings invite your personal touch here. Or enjoy them as color-field designs and block in your color schemes. Some of them would do well with a Wayne Thiebaud touch - the candy, the rows of glasses, the toy ray guns. There are a few drawings with a lot of depth of field - the kitchen for example - but most are fairly flat compositions. Touches of whimsy appear in many - the cellphones include an old brick-type phone; a shelves of chain-saws (a surprisingly wonderful drawing).Contents:Matryoshka DollsSeashellsBalinese Koi (photo attached)Candy Jars MandalaCandy JarsLock MandalaThe Lock Collection of James A. Rees (1913-2009)Camping GearLeavesJapanese Cleaning SuppliesSunglassesChainsaws (photo attached)ToolsArt Frames MandalaArt FramesCassette TapesGuitarsButterfliesButterflies MandalaToy Robots MandalaToy RobotsRoxana's Stuffed AnimalsAsha's ButtonsNatalia's Toy HorsesPlastic DinosaursAlexander's Toy CarsOil TinsMoroccan LampsChinese LanternsCamerasCameras MandalaCeramicsFruit MarketFishing TackleDragonfliesRay GunsRay Gun MandalaClocksClocks MandalaBookshelvesTelevisionsRemote Controller MandalaRemote ControllersAntique Glass BottlesNamina;s JewelsBottle Collection MandalaBottle CollectionDollhouse KitchenKitchen UtensilsTypewriters MandalaTypewritersKeysMilitary MedalsTrumpetsMobile Phones (photo attached)Beauty SuppliesLuggageColored Pencils=====Need more Steve McDonald?Now Available: Fantastic Cities 2017 Wall Calendar

In this newest coloring book by the author of the internationally bestselling Fantastic Cities (more than 400,000 copies in print), artist Steve McDonald uses his unique photo-based approach to create beautiful and intimately detailed line drawings of amazing collections of objects. Finding inspiration in the unusual (museum collections, antiques, and quirky toys) and the everyday (leaves, butterflies, vintage cameras, store product displays), McDonald creates playful and immersive illustrations that are as lovely as they are fun to color. The quality of the large, crisp white pages are conducive to a range of applications, while a middle margin keeps all the artwork fully colorable. A dozen meditative mandalas created from the drawings round out this gorgeous adult coloring book.

About the AuthorSTEVE MCDONALD is the bestselling author of Fantastic Cities and Fantastic Structures. A Canadian artist and lifelong traveler, he has lived in Italy, Saudi Arabia, India, and Indonesia. He currently lives in Ontario, Canada.