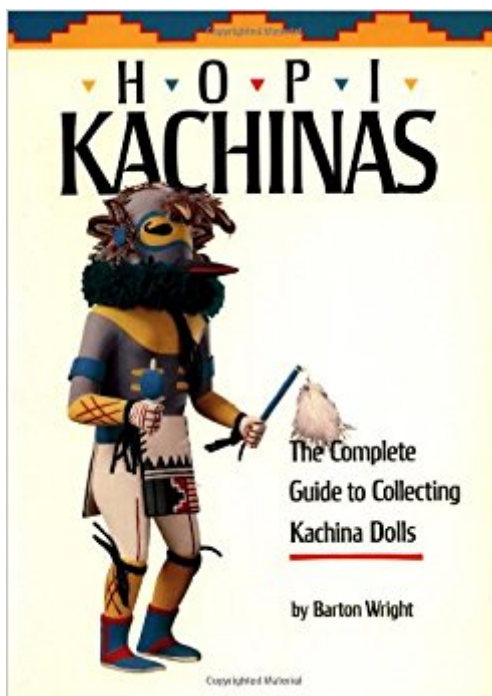


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Hopi Kachinas: The Complete Guide To Collecting Kachina Dolls



Synopsis

Recently updated, Hopi Kachinas: The Complete Guide to Collecting Kachina Dolls continues to be the best-selling book for identifying and collecting Kachinas. In this comprehensive guide, Barton Wright identifies over 150 dolls, ranging from the more traditional style of dolls to the new ultra-realistic style. Also included are detailed descriptions of the dolls and invaluable buying tips. Whether you are novice or an experienced collector, this book is a must-have for anyone interested in Kachina dolls.

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Customer Reviews

Good well written and provides a great deal of information. I have read the book twice and still use it as a guide. The book provided pictures of a large number of kichinas and which is very helpful. Some might consider it a basic beginner book. And if it is it, all I can say, as a beginner, it told more than several books I had read on google combined. I think this book is well worth the money and will help me learn a lot about a field of collecting I knew little about.

I bought it for a friend and she has been through brain surgery a few years ago, and was drawn to a Hopi Kachina collection that was placed in the facility where she lives. Every day she would go down to the case and look at the dolls and try to figure out how they were made and all the colours. When I gave her the books, she was so excited and told me how much she wanted them. She was so moved that she just cried. Lots of beautifully coloured pictures which she loves.

I bought two of these books, one for me and one for a friend. It is quite thorough, well written, and has great colorful photos of traditional Kachinas. Its focus is on Hopi but also touches on Zuni and Navajo. This book is very interesting and I highly recommend it to anyone who wants to study Kachinas.

Very good but dated book covering the Hopi Katsinas as they relate to the prized kachina dolls of decades ago. It is interesting to see familiar family names of carvers who produce today's works of Hopi art and spirit. The photos of earlier dolls put today's work in perspective. Very interesting for collectors, but be advised; it is not a novel.

Nice informative book on Kachinas for anyone who collects them.

Learn everything and anything that you don't know about the Kachinas great read

My father carved kachinas when I was a child and I have always been fascinated with the imagery of them. This is my favorite reference book on them.

Nicely illustrated, this book gives a brief but complete introduction to Kachina figurines. I would have preferred to have the dolls be grouped a little differently than the book did but that is the only bad thing I can say about it. A very good reference work on this subject.

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