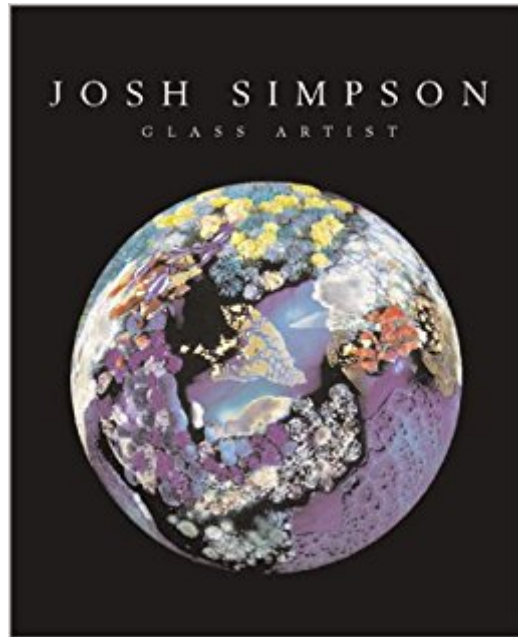




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Synopsis

Josh Simpson's glass platters, vessels and sculptures are celebrated internationally for their extraordinary, complex beauty. His imaginary landscapes of the seas, skies and heavens are compelling and enigmatic. They are also technical feats without parallel. This book steps inside Simpson's studio and provides an intimate look at the inspirations, experiences and techniques Simpson uses to create his wondrous glass worlds. Readers will witness first-hand the drama of hot glass processes and learn many of the small technical secrets that elevate his art beyond the ordinary. Dazzling photographs of Simpson's work complement this behind-the-scenes glimpse into his creative genius.

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Customer Reviews

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As a great lover of glass and lover of Josh Simpson's work, I have to say I found the book a lot less interesting than I had hoped for. Half the book is about him, his studio, blah blah, and you can go to YouTube and hear Josh speak at various gatherings and honestly, it's nice that he is so prolific talking about it all but he does seem to have logo-rhea about himself. LOL The glass depicted in the book is good but not some of the greater stuff I've seen. The images on the page are small and I like detail pictures but there are too many of them. The printing is so so and found the colors short on the "pop" I would have expected. I got the book used here on and glad I didn't spend more for it.

I know there are other books on him but I haven't seen the inside of them. Hope they do him and his work more justice than this book did.

If u are a glass fan I'd recommend it. Go used.

Couldn't tell from new. Great book from great glass artist.

Sent as a gift to an aspiring marble maker. He was absolutely blown away.

This artist was recommended to me by another artist when I was looking for a birthday present for a third artist. It was perfect and I look forward to collecting some Josh Simpson pieces of my own.

one of my favorite artists! such beautiful interesting glass work!!

I am obsessed with all planets Josh Simpson! I have an extensive collection and this book puts the artist in context. Excellent book with stunning photos.

Well written and interesting. It was fun to put this book with my Josh Simpson vase to give it credibility.

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