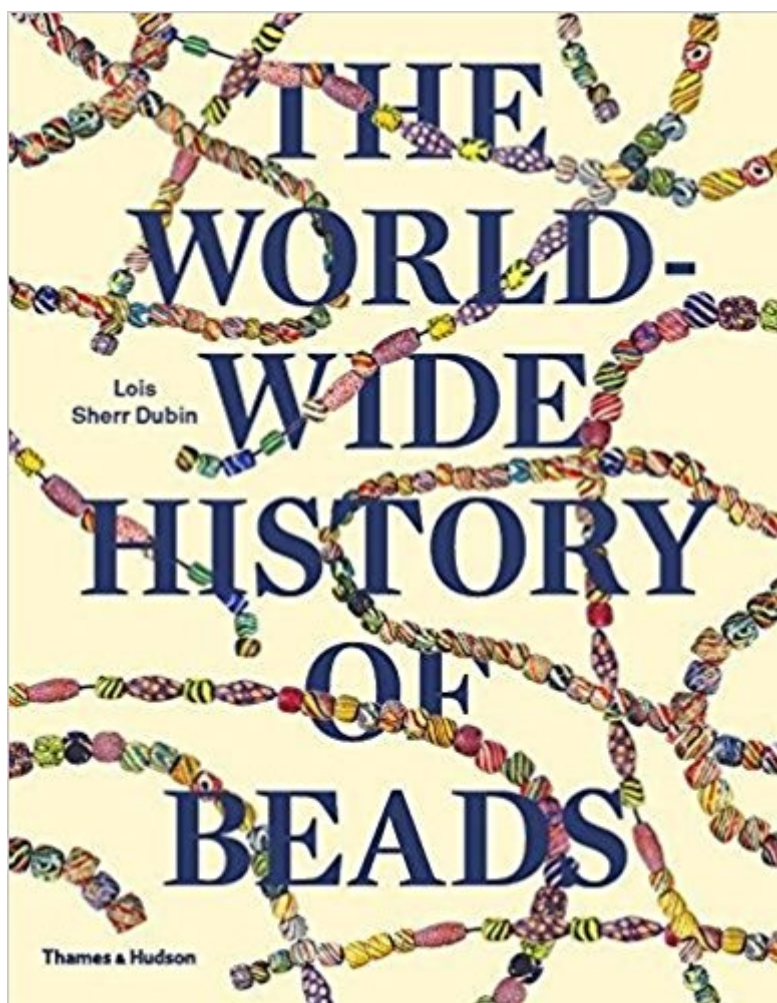


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# The Worldwide History Of Beads: Ancient . Ethnic . Contemporary



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Since its first publication in 1987 as *The History of Beads*, this book has become the world's definitive guide for bead lovers, collectors and scholars. Beautifully packaged with a new cover, this volume now available in paperback is a must-have for devotees of the first edition and for the next generation of bead obsessives and aficionados.

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As a serious collector of ethnic beadwork, I have eagerly awaited this publication since I heard that Ms. Dubin was planning an expanded version of her original "History of Beads". This new publication has not been a disappointment in its huge expanded history and its beautiful photography. The history of man's early creative adornment has been, through archeological records, enhanced and vibrantly brought to our awareness in vivid images that thrill the eye of the artist as well as of the collector. The volume not only thrills those who love ethnic beadwork, it also dazzles the contemporary artist and collector because it ventures to bridge the history of beadwork from the past into current times. The time line that is added at the end of this book is enough to make its purchase a reward. It is a pleasure to read as well as a visual feast.

My best book on beads. Love it!

This book is incredible! I have a previous copy of it. I have to say that this book, physically isn't made as beautifully or durable as my earlier edition, but the new information found in it is invaluable.

I have an older version of this that is much thinner. I love this expanded version. I think my favorite is the bead timeline. Still the best reference for beads out there.

Comprehensive history with excellent photographic examples of artifacts. A must read to appreciate the world wide scope of the craft and its historic role in nearly every culture.

The ultimate fascinating source.

Beautiful book, excellent condition!

If one could only have one bead reference book, this all round one is it! Important note: Lois Sher Dubin is the actual author. Togashi took some of the pix.

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