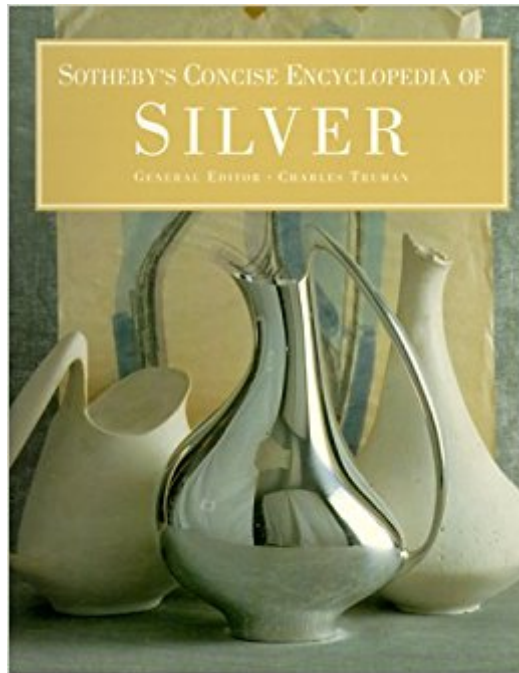




**Ebook Directory**  
the best source of ebook

The book was found

# Sotheby's Concise Encyclopedia Of Silver



## Synopsis

Written by a team of specialists, this is a chronological exploration of the history of silver, its uses, its means of production, and the names behind the most famous pieces. The book includes an illustrated glossary, a dictionary of silversmiths and information on hallmarks.

## Book Information

Paperback: 208 pages

Publisher: Conran Octopus (April 1996)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1850297592

ISBN-13: 978-1850297598

Product Dimensions: 11 x 9.5 x 0.8 inches

Shipping Weight: 2 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.5 out of 5 stars 2 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #1,209,574 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #97 in Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Antiques & Collectibles > Precious Metals #945 in Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Antiques & Collectibles > Antiques Care & Reference > Reference #2049 in Books > Reference > Encyclopedias & Subject Guides > Antiques & Collectibles

## Customer Reviews

Another in Sotheby's series, this work serves as a unique history of silverwork, from Mesopotamia circa 3000 B.C. to the post-World War II era. Essays by 15 specialists address medieval, Renaissance, European, and American silver, with more than usual coverage given to arts and crafts, art nouveau, and art deco pieces. Photographs of each representative piece are stunningly reproduced to reveal details of the period or style. A glossary, descriptions of hallmarks and standards, and brief biographical sketches of major artisans are included. Appropriate for reference and circulating collections.- Joseph Hewgley, Nashville P.L. Copyright 1993 Reed Business Information, Inc. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

Previous volumes from Sotheby's firm of art experts and auction houses have portrayed historic trends and design styles of fine porcelain, glass, and furniture. The latest addition to the series is a handsome encyclopedia that was written as a survey of silver objects but, in many cases, portrays their creators as well. Authorities in the field of decorative arts present individual sections devoted to a wide array of ware fabricated during various epochs of silver design, from ancient drinking vessels

to jewel-encrusted objects made for wealthy patrons in recent years. In addition to the informative text, color photographs constitute an up-to-date record of many of the finest surviving silver artifacts and the shifting design styles. For growing numbers of collectors, or for anyone who appreciates fine metalwork, this is an appealing study. Alice Joyce --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

Another good reference for silver.

I bought this for school. and use it frequently even though I am no longer in school. Its a great book

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Sotheby's Concise Encyclopedia of Silver Sotheby's Concise Encyclopedia of Furniture Stack Silver, Buy Gold, For Beginners: How And Why To Invest In Physical Precious Metals And, Protect Your Wealth, When The, Money Bubble Pops (Silver, ... Silver, Gold Fever, Gold Wars, FED Book 1) Sotheby's Wine Encyclopedia: Fourth Edition, Revised Sotheby's Wine Encyclopedia The New Sotheby's Wine Encyclopedia, Third Edition The Concise Science Encyclopedia (Concise Encyclopedias) Sotheby's Art at Auction: The Year in Review 1995-96 Hollywood Most Beautiful, Exclusive and Rarest Photos Album of the Silver Screen: Films, Superstars, Divas, Femmes Fatales, and Legends of the Silver Screen. The Art of Pawn: Lessons on How to Open and Operate a Pawn Shop, Plus How to Buy Gold & Silver (Silver, Gold, Coins, Bullion, Pledge, Junk coins, Mint, Diamond, Precious metal, Stone) Silver & Gold Guide Top Tips: Learn How to Quickly Invest - Build Your Wealth with Gold and Silver Bullion Gold, Silver and Rare Coins: A Complete Guide To Finding Buying Selling Investing: Plus...Coin Collecting A-Z: Gold, Silver and Rare Coins Are Top Sellers on eBay, and Etsy The Last 90 Percent Silver United States Coins - A Buying and Selling Guide (U.S. Silver Coin Series Book 1) Store Silver Guard Gold: How and Where to Store and Secure Your Gold and Silver from Thieves, Frivolous Lawsuits, Government Confiscation and a Zombie Apocalypse Silver Investing 101 (The Beginner's Guide to Easy, Fast and Cheap Investing in Silver) A Guide to Buying and Selling Peace & Morgan Silver Dollars (U.S. Silver Coin Series Book 2) "Top Secret Success of Gold and Silver Mining: Know How and Where to GET the GOLD & SILVER!" Strong's Concise Concordance And Vine's Concise Dictionary Of The Bible Two Bible Reference Classics In One Handy Volume A Concise History of Bolivia (Cambridge Concise Histories) A Concise History of Brazil (Cambridge Concise Histories)

Contact Us

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)