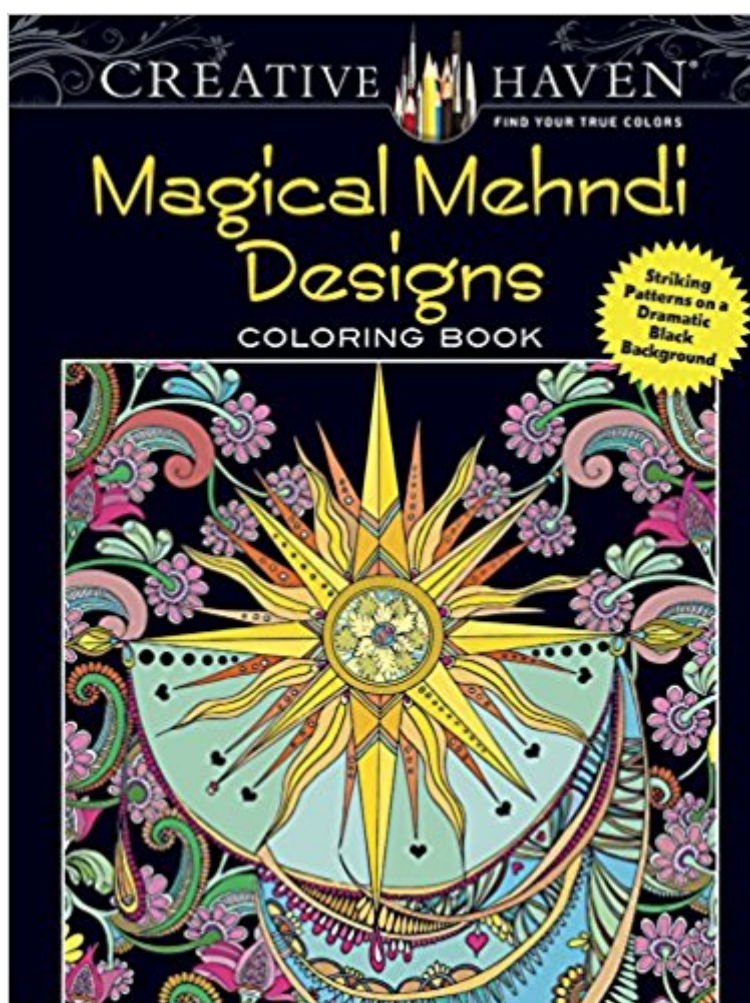


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# Creative Haven Magical Mehndi Designs Coloring Book: Striking Patterns On A Dramatic Black Background (Adult Coloring)



## Synopsis

Derived from the ancient art of henna body painting, 31 designs offer an exciting coloring challenges. The illustrations featuring exotic birds and butterflies, swirling paisley prints, and fabulous flowers are printed on a black background that creates dramatic effects. Pages are perforated and printed on one side only for easy removal and display. Specially designed for experienced colorists, Magical Mehndi Designs and other Creative Haven adult coloring books offer an escape to a world of inspiration and artistic fulfillment. Each title is also an effective and fun-filled way to relax and reduce stress.

## Book Information

Series: Adult Coloring

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## Customer Reviews

This is my third coloring book by Lindsey Boylan. In all three, she has utilized black backgrounds. I find that this style, along with the use of bright and pastel colors is a way to get a big pop of color. I am looking forward to coloring more designs in this book as I have enjoyed both of Ms. Boylan's previous books. The designs have a free-flowing and ornate look to them which is consistent with the style I have come to expect from this artist. I decided to do a seahorse as my first project. I used alcohol-based markers with bright tones on the seahorse and then gray and pink only on the surrounding design. I will include a photo of the finished project along with the two colored samples from the book. I will update with more project photos as I finish them in the future. This is what I found when going through this coloring book: 31 Designs in Mehndi style with black

backgrounds Printed on one side of page Page is smooth and perforated. Has a different feel from other Creative Haven paper Glue Bound Designs merge past the perforations but nothing essential will be lost if you remove the page from the book Alcohol and water based markers bleed through to some degree While I don't plan to use these medium with my coloring book, I did test a variety of them to see how they worked with this paper: Gel pens and India ink pens leave shadows of color on the back of the page Coloring pencils were mixed. The soft lead pencils laid down good color but blending did not work well. My wax-based pencils worked better than the oil-based. Hard lead pencils dented the back of the page. I removed my pages from the book but if you choose to keep your book together, I suggest a blotter page be used behind the working page to keep the rest of the book free from marks and seeping ink.

I LOVE this coloring book! Expect Creative Haven quality paper with perforated edges, nicely sized, printed on only one side. Loads of gorgeous, flowing, exotic images on black backgrounds. Absolutely worth the price & gift worthy~

Someone might like this but not me. I bought this to give a change from white background to black. But the pictures just look not right.

I love Lindsey Boylan's books. She creates magical drawings against a black background. Coloring in the designs creates a stunning picture. This is the third book of hers that I have purchased. I use Prismacolor pencils to color in the pictures. This book is not intended for children, but experienced colorists will love it. The tear-out pages are printed on one side only of quality paper. If you like complicated drawings to color, this is the book for you.

I love this book that I had to buy it again. You can view a picture in many different ways.

Love the designs.

I love this coloring book it is very intertwining

My grandma recently got into coloring and she loved this book I surprised her with! She has the most beautiful pictures and she has already completed all the pages because it was so addicting she couldn't stop!

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