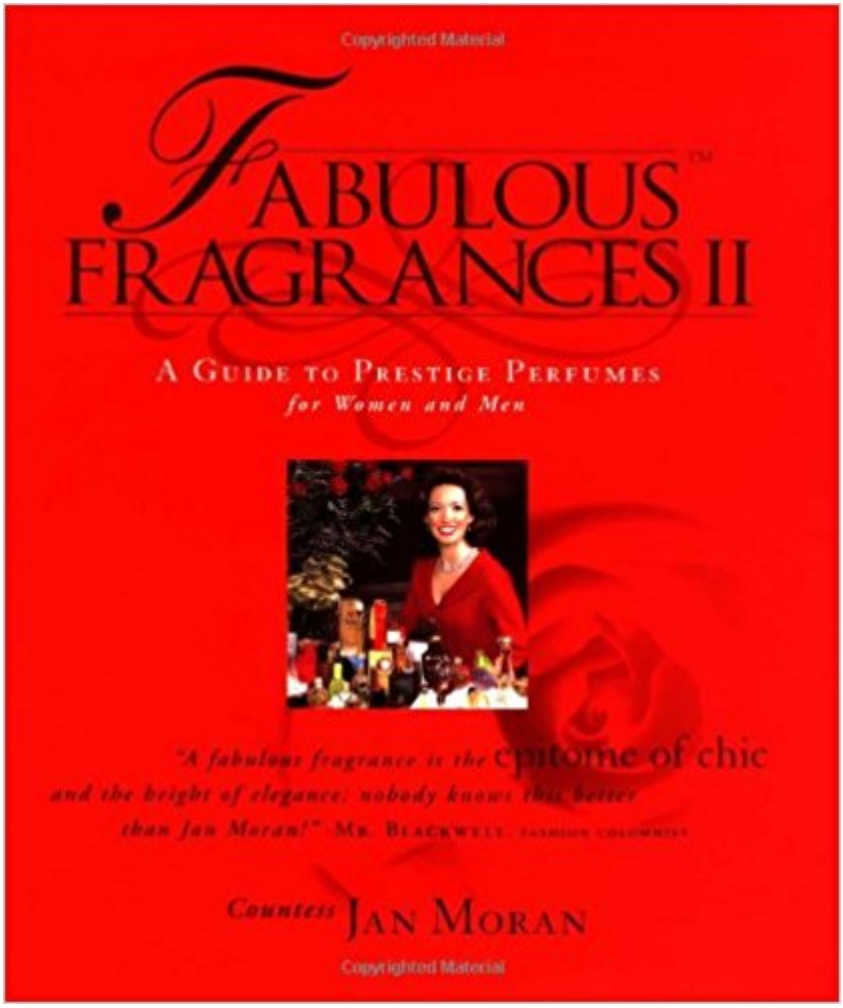
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Fabulous Fragrances II : A Guide To Prestige Perfumes For Women And Men



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Synopsis

An entertaining collection of more than 700 fragrances for women and men, Fabulous Fragrances II is a bestselling book from fragrance expert Jan Moran, with a Foreword by Bijan. Fashion columnist Mr. Blackwell states, "A fabulous fragrance is the epitome of chic and the height of elegance; nobody knows this better than Jan Moran." Discover the scents of Chanel, Guerlain, Gucci, Armani, Lauder, Klein, Patou, Arden, Revlon, and those from specialty houses of Creed, Jo Malone, Trish McEvoy, and Penhaligon's. Includes profiles of women's, men's, and unisex scents. Explore the centuries-old mystique of perfume, with fascinating details on composition, history, scent category and price range. Discover the favorite scents of celebrities, learn how how to select the right scents, how fragrance reacts to skin chemistry, and how perfumes are classified. Get inside tips on shopping for and wearing perfume, and develop your own fragrance style. Splendid, full-color photography pays tribute to the elegant art of perfumery. An inviting, must-have guide, and an ideal gift. Fabulous Fragrances II (2000) is an updated version of the author's original book, Fabulous Fragrances (1994), now out of print. Central to the book are the A-to-Z fragrance reviews, which encompass both classic and contemporary prestige fragrances. Section I covers the basics of fragrance, such as fragrance families, composition, and lifestyle wardrobing. Also included is a cross reference index by family and name, and an ingredient glossary, which explains commonly used perfumery ingredients. See Table of Contents for details. Fabulous Fragrances II is excellent for leisure readers who want to know more about the basics of perfumery, and for those who enjoy the romance associated with perfume.

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This writer knows absolutely nothing about perfumes....she is strictly a society dame; countess my ass....her writing skill is non existent....

It was the second book and a lot of information was in the first one only. The print was too light on the pages. Would have liked more pictures of perfume bottles and less of cultivation. I ordered a different book and was more pleased with stories and information and pictures of all the perfume bottles.

This book was a good basic reference style book for the beginning fragrance enthusiast, but not a good buy for the more advanced perfumista. I at least lucked up and got a signed copy by the countess herself, though!

Good product

I bought her first book, "Fabulous Fragrances", which was a great book. However, I really feel like "Fabulous Fragrances II" should be called, "Fabulous Fragrances" and then state, "Revised edition" beneath it. Imagine my dismay at reading the first book and then excitedly ordering the second one,

shelling out my 29.00 only to find it is the same exact book with some new things added. I was extremely dissapointed. The first book was soooooooo good. This second book has most of the same text word for word, which in my opinion makes it a revised book. THey added some more perfumes (while still including all the old stuff), and added a section for men. There are SO many other NEW perfumes that couldve been listed in place of what was in the previous book. Really dissapointing. There was NOT enough new material in this for it to be a seperate book. I hope others read this before they buy an almost identical version of the first book.

Beatiful book in a lovely red cover and mine was even autographed by the author! Yet the book cannot overcome the significant passage of time. Many of the fragrances are no longer available. However, the background information given on each fragrance was significant and high quality. This would be very helpful if your job was dealing with high end customers and fragrance. For home use--so-so.

Excellent book. Well organized. I was disappointed (hence 4 stars) with the number of men's perfumes covered.. just too few compared to women's perfumes listed.

A bit too glossy and copy-writer-esque. The writer's choices of perfume categories caused me to raise an eyebrow here and there.

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