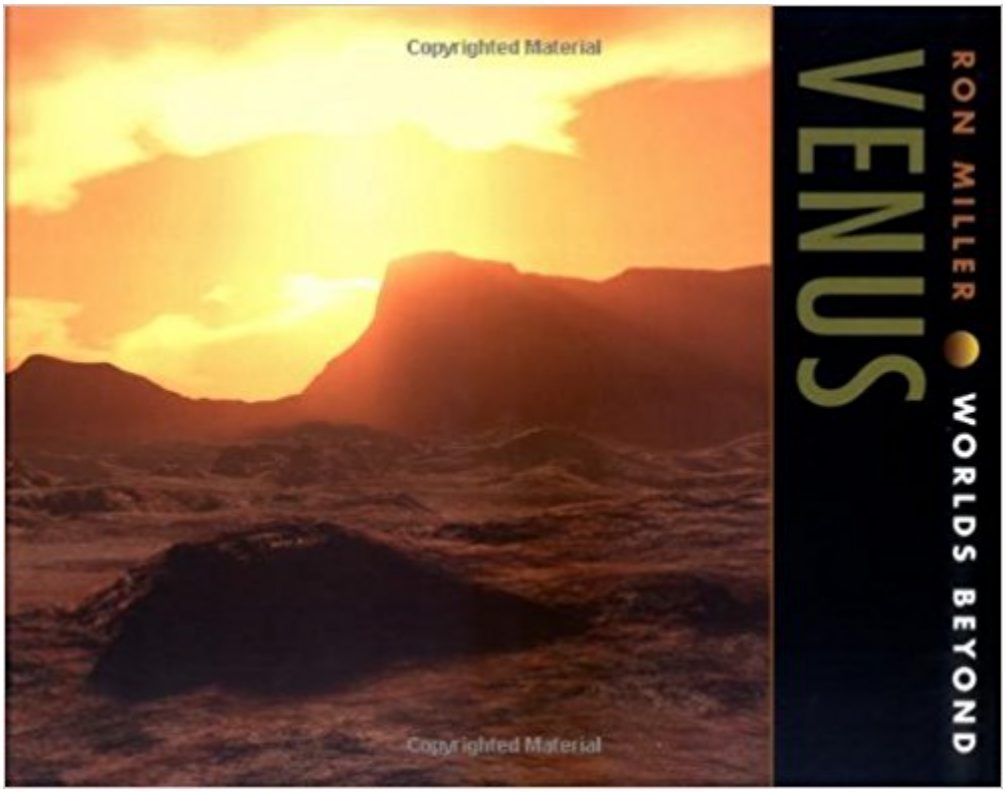
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Grade 5-7-Miller illustrates two up-to-date planetary reports with a mix of NASA photos and big, amazingly realistic, digitally produced, color images. Jupiter, with its spectacular clouds, recently discovered rings, and array of unique moons, is the more picturesque of the two; as Miller himself notes, the surface of Venus "appears to be much the same over the whole planet," and most of the sere, rocky Venerian scenes bear that out. Still, the eye-catching art and the sober, systematic texts in both of these volumes, backed up by slender but current lists of books and Web sites, will please young planetologists seeking more detail than that provided by the basic introductions of Seymour Simon (Morrow) or Elaine Landau (Watts).John Peters, New York Public Library Copyright 2002 Reed Business Information, Inc.

Awesome book for a science project lots of pictures and great information... the book arrived on time. Thanks so much

This novel makes me want to terraform Venus and visit there myself some day. Venus deserves more publicity then it gets but it is overshadowed by Mars.

Venus is the second planet out from the sun and the planet that orbits closet to our own planet. It is often called Earth's sister; however, numerous Russian and American robotic space probes have shown that Venus is covered with an extremely thick atmosphere (100 times the Earth's pressure) with clouds of sulfuric acid and surface temperatures that will melt lead; however, the surface of Venus is geologically very young. In this book, the author and artist of numerous astronautical, astronomical and science-friction illustrations and texts, examines the latest scientific findings and theories about our nearest planetary neighbor. In addition, the author also presents some of the mythology and historical observations associated with this planet.While this book is geared towards teenagers, most adults would definitely learn something as well. By the way, I found this book in my library's adult section.

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