

The book was found

Anchor Hocking's Fire-King And More: Identification And Value Guide Including Early American Prescut And Wexford



Synopsis

Fire King includes not only dinnerware but reamers, measuring cups, mixing bowls, mugs, and more. Gene Florence has compiled a second edition of his bestselling book on Fire King. Loaded with hundreds of new full color photos, vintage catalog pages, company materials, extensive facts, information, and values, this book has everything collectors expect from Gene Florence, America's leading glassware authority. 2002 values. AUTHOR BIO: A collector since childhood, Gene Florence's hobby of buying and selling glassware turned into a full-time career. First writing a book on Depression Glass, Florence has gone on to author many popular glassware titles including books on Depression Glass; Occupied Japan Collectibles; Kitchen Glassware; Very Rare Glassware; 40s, 50s, & 60s Glassware; Elegant Glassware; Stemware; Glassware Pattern Identification; Anchor Hocking's Fire-King; Glass Candlesticks; and Salt & Pepper Shakers. REVIEW: This book is the perfect companion to a flea market or auction excursion. With full-page, color plates and concise descriptions, even the beginner can make an informed purchase. Focusing on the height of production (1940s - 70s), the book supplies the reader with a visual wealth of familiar kitchen ware and collecting tips.

Book Information

Hardcover: 224 pages

Publisher: Collector Books; 2nd Revised edition edition (March 2000)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1574321641

ISBN-13: 978-1574321647

Product Dimensions: 11.2 x 8.7 x 0.8 inches

Shipping Weight: 2.4 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.6 out of 5 stars 63 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #325,888 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #27 in Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Antiques & Collectibles > Houseware & Dining > Kitchenware #37 in Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Antiques & Collectibles > Houseware & Dining > Glass & Glassware #144 in Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Antiques & Collectibles > Antiques Care & Reference > Reference

Customer Reviews

If you are a collector or a dealer this is a must have book that is beautifully photographed. I highly recommend this book. -J. Bartlett --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

A collector since childhood, Gene Florence's hobby of buying and selling glassware turned into a full-time career. First writing a book on Depression Glass, Florence has gone on to author many popular glassware titles including books on Depression Glass; Occupied Japan Collectibles; Kitchen Glassware; Very Rare Glassware; 40s, 50s, & 60s Glassware; Elegant Glassware; Stemware; Glassware Pattern Identification; Anchor Hocking's Fire-King; Glass Candlesticks; and Salt & Pepper Shakers. Cathy Florence, graduated with honors and a coveted voice award from high school, attended Georgetown College where she obtained a French major and an English minor, then married her middle-school sweetheart Gene Florence. In the mid-80s she authored a book on collecting quilts, harking back to skills taught her by her grandmothers; and she has since co-authored many books on glass with husband Gene. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

Well Gene Florence has done it again. This is a fabulous book. The pictures are great and there are lots of items on each page with their current value. Since there are so many pieces readily available, this collection is obtainable more and more by new collectors. This book would be a great asset to those collectors and dealer also.

For the most part this book is an excellent resource for identifying Fire-King glassware and I would recommend it highly along with all of the author's other books. I own them all! As a specialist collector of the Anchor Hocking Early American Prescut pattern (10000pcs), I must say that I feel that some of the Prescut items listed are somewhat rarer than the book would suggest. There are also quite a few more items available in this particular pattern than are listed. I view the book's section on Prescut as another of this well known author's courageous attempts to chart previously uncharted waters and I'm sure that subsequent editions of this book will include course corrections.

I bought this used, 2000 edition of the book "Anchor Hocking's Fire-King & More" because it was a lot cheaper than a used copy of the 2006 edition. The book I received was in excellent condition and perfect for my needs. Out of curiosity, I checked the 2006 edition out from my local library to compare the two books. Both books have 222 pages and identical tables of contents (ignoring some typos). Of course, the listed prices are different, but most of the other text appears identical, or nearly so. The two book also have some slightly different photos. The prices listed for Fire-King pieces in both books are far out of date, so the real appeal of these books is the photos and

descriptions. If all you're interested in is the photos and descriptions (like I was) then do yourself a favor and buy the 2000 edition if you can find it for a lower price than the 2006 edition.

Replaced my missing book

As a casual collector of pink depression glass and older Pyrex, I picked up this book curious about some of the patterns I see at yard sales and thrift stores but not knowing what they are or if they have any value, other than the "Fire King" stamp on the bottom. I was pleasantly surprised to see so many named patterns on glassware that I had just passed by simply because I had no clue. Makes me wonder if I may have left a rare piece behind!! I never knew that Fire King patterns came in something other than solids or Pyrex look-alikes..and I also never knew Jadeite had different patterns! So for someone just starting off in Anchor Hocking/Fire King collecting, or simply wondering what type of glassware a piece is because its a pretty or unusual pattern, this is the book for you. I found it very informative, and I wish it came in a pocket version to carry in a handbag.

This book has more than paid for itself in helping me recognize fire king and genuine old glass.Until I purchased Gene Florence's book, I used black & white reference books. Those are useless to me.This wonderful book has helped me determine if shaker lid and fireking flour piece went together (did not-flour shaker originally had a flat shaker lid the color of the writing on side not silver aluminum); if the "yellow" plate in a fire king design was old (was not (did not come in yellow) - but that yellow piece was made from fire king mold - one step up from out and out reproduction); and whether or not my 10 pieces of bakeware (some with lids) and marked Fire King were rare or reproductions. On the 10 piece baking set, I ended up e-mailing Gene Florence, and he responded that my piece was not rare - or did it even appear anywhere. The pieces are selling Very slowly - so they must not be very special.The book is difficult to understand how to match pricing & pictures at first, but well worth the effort. I am comfortable with the process now.If you collect or sell fire king - you need this book!

USE IT ALL THE TIME...THANKS

Low priced, great book for any collector even if it's outdated a good book to use as a guide. Fast shipping.

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

Anchor Hocking's Fire-King and More: Identification and Value Guide Including Early American Prescut and Wexford Anchor Hocking's Fire-King & More: Identification & Value Guide including Early American Prescut and Wexford Fire Encyclopedia: Kindle Fire Manual for the latest generation of Kindle E-Readers and Fire Tablets, Kindle Voyage, Kindle Paperwhite, Fire HD 6, Fire HD 8, Fire HD 10, and Fire HDX 8.9 Anchor Hocking Catalogs, 1940-Present (Schiffer Book for Collectors) The Hidden Dimension (Anchor Books a Doubleday Anchor Book) King Arthur: complete collection (Including Le Morte d'Arthur, Idylls of the King, King Arthur and His Knights and A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court) Fire TV: Fire Stick: The Ultimate User Guide to Fire Stick To TV, Movies, Apps, Games & Much More (how to use Fire Stick, streaming, tips ... (User guides, internet, free movie Book 2) Fire Stick: The Ultimate Fire Stick User Guide - Learn How To Start Using Fire Stick, Plus Little-Known Tips And Tricks! (Streaming ... TV Stick User Guide, How To Use Fire Stick) All-new Fire HD8 and Fire HD10 Tips, Tricks, and Traps: A comprehensive user guide to the new Fire HD8 and Fire HD10 tablets How to Install Kodi on Fire Stick: Install Kodi on Fire Stick: Step-By-Step Instructions with Screen Shots! (2017 Kodi User Guide, fire tv stick, kodi book, kodi fire tv stick, kodi stick) Best Man to Die (Inspector Wexford Book 4) McDonald's Drinkware: Identification & Value Guide (Identification & Values (Collector Books)) Reasonable Doubt: Horror in Hocking County Horror in Hocking County Limoges Boxes: A Complete Guide- Contains More Than 400 Full-Color Photos, a Value Guide, and Manufacturers' Marks Identification Guide The Shrub Identification Book: The Visual Method for the Practical Identification of Shrubs, Including Woody Vines and Ground Covers An American Premium Guide to Jukeboxes and Slot Machines: Identification and Value Guide American Premium Record Guide, 1900-1965: Identification & Value Guide to 78s, 45s, & LPs Fire Stick: Start Using your Fire TV to the fullest: Best Ways to Unlock Fire TV Stick (the 2017 updated user guide,home tv,tips and tricks,digital ... prime,by echo,expert,internet) Fire HD 8 with Alexa: Unlocking Your All-New Fire HD 8 Tablet with Alexa: The Ultimate User Guide on Everything You Need to Know About the Latest Fire HD 8 with Alexa

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)