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**Jacqui Grace : Images of Grace: An Inspirational Coloring Book** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Images of Grace: An Inspirational Coloring Book:

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addition to these style designs, there are 29 full page designs and 12 designs that spread across two pages but a number of these are repetitive type designs that I am less likely to color immediately and would be willing to forgo depending on what is on the back of the page and which coloring medium I will use. The artist has some excellent suggestions for using the coloring book for part of your worship time: Think about the words in the designs and mull over whether God is speaking to you through them. Memorize some of the verses and/or look them up in other translation. Pray as you color. Add your own quotes, thoughts, etc on pages where there is blank space. (My suggestion offer prayers in these spots maybe pouring out what is troubling you that day.) Share your creations. The designs in the book are printed on both sides of heavyweight, non-perforated white paper. On the two pages spreads, my book is aligned perfectly. Many of the designs have light illustrations or verses on the back side. The binding is glued rather than sewn so you will have to cut out pages if you want to remove them. Many designs merge into the binding and you will lose portions if you cut them out. I was able to get the book to lay flat by pressing on the inside of the binding. This breaks the spine (i.e. creases it.) I test all of my coloring books with the various coloring mediums I work with. I will provide the list I used for this book in the comments section below, you are interested. My tests showed these results: All alcohol-based markers bleed through the paper quite easily. All water-based markers and Pitt India Ink pens leave some shadows on the back of the page. Gel pens did not bleed through or show shadows but all brands I tested, except Uni-ball Signo pens, required extra drying time. Coloring pencils worked fantastic. The soft lead pencils went on thick with little effort and blended beautifully. My hard lead pencils went on darker than usual and I was able to blend those as well. The hard lead pencils did not leave a dent on the back of the page. If you choose to use markers, there is a good chance you will mar the back of the page you are working on and ruin that designs. Be sure to use a blotter page below your work so the ink seeping through is limited only to the back of that page. I am really looking forward to spending a lot of time with this coloring book. Most Christian coloring books are not quite as well made as this one, so it will be a pleasure to color in. I'm yet sure if I will remove pages or not. I will certainly be using my coloring pencils in the book and will decide about other mediums depending on what is on the back of the page I want to color. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Loved The Cover. Check It Out! By Sherry Legan What a lovely cover! This book is . . . (from the Bethany House Publishing) Images of Grace is a beautifully worked masterpiece, combining wonderful, hand-drawn illustrations with the rich words of Scripture. Each page is a source of inspiration, a gentle tonic for the busyness and complexity of our hectic lives. Jacqui Grace's coloring book is not just a work of art, but a means of reconnecting with a living God. I began coloring right away . . . Images of Grace: I loved the beautiful drawings. There is scripture on almost every page. I enjoyed reading the introduction from the author. She shared her thoughts and feelings about the book. Here's a little of what she said . . . "My prayer is that as you explore this book and color the pages your creative spark will be fanned into flame. I pray that you will be inspired and blessed as you color, and that you too will discover the amazing truths and exciting power of God's Word." It's not just color book. It's almost a devotional. A perfect gift for yourself or a friend because it's 5 star rated here! Image result for 5 stars I received a complimentary copy of Images of Grace from Bethany House in exchange for my honest review. This review is linked at , Barnes and Noble, CBC and Good Reads. Click on the bold type to read more reviews or purchase. This review is posted at [...] and link at the following: The Art of Homemaking, Share Your Cup, Blue Monday, Create with Joys parties and Katharine's Corner.

Relax and Unwind While Being Inspired and Amazed by Grace! We were all born to create, and it's hard to imagine childhood without paper and crayons. But that drive to add your own touch of beauty to the world doesn't need to stop now that you're grown. Images of Grace is a beautiful and playful masterpiece, blending hand-drawn, intricate illustrations with the rich words of Scripture. Each page is a source of inspiration, a gentle tonic for the busyness and complexity of our hectic lives. Incorporated into each design is a delicate hand-lettered Bible verse that focuses on God's grace, giving you the opportunity to meditate on his love and care for you as you color. Let this book inspire you creatively while it reconnects you with the God who created you and knows your every need. Grab your colored pencils, crayons, or markers and set yourself free to create. And when you're done, inspire others by giving away your art or posting it to social media. But most important: relax, have fun, and remember God loves you more than you can even imagine.

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