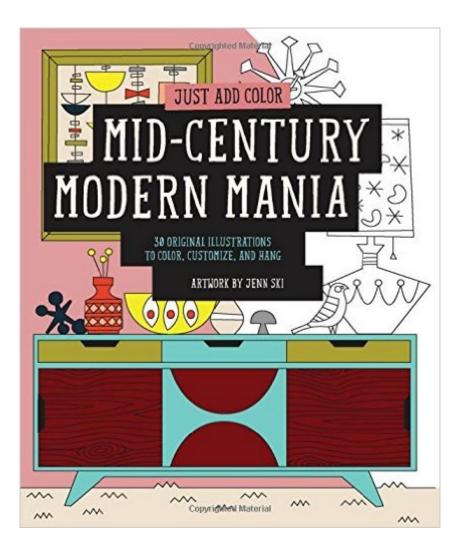
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# Just Add Color: Mid-Century Modern Mania: 30 Original Illustrations To Color, Customize, And Hang





## Synopsis

Who doesn't love to color? As an adult, now that you can stay in the lines, you only need to think about what color to use! Rockport Publishers presents a series of grown-up coloring books for art and design lovers. Just Add Color: Mid-Century Modern Mania includes 30 original designs from artist and illustrator Jenn Ski. Each book contains 64 perforated pages to make it easy to share, frame and hang your artwork. You'll be inspired by the sumptuous artwork in this book, and the use of color is endless. Relax, enjoy your creativity and Just Add Color.

## **Book Information**

Series: Just Add Color Paperback: 64 pages Publisher: Rockport Publishers; Clr Csm edition (September 1, 2014) Language: English ISBN-10: 1592539475 ISBN-13: 978-1592539475 Product Dimensions: 8.5 x 0.3 x 10 inches Shipping Weight: 12 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.8 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (54 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #85,674 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #58 in Books > Arts & Photography > Other Media > Mixed Media #253 in Books > Arts & Photography > Graphic Design > Techniques > Use of Color #859 in Books > Arts & Photography > Drawing > Coloring Books for Grown-Ups

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Add to Your Decor When you're finished coloring, simply remove the perforated pages, place them in a frame, and hang them on your wall. View larger

Like all the titles in this series, this coloring book is extremely high quality. I own almost all of them, and consider them my "special" books, only to be colored once in a while, or I'd blow through them

very fast and be left with nothing special. Mid-century Modern Mania lives up to the standards of the series - thick strong paper, decent perforation on each page, well-designed images, not too much shading or tiny sections that show the picture wasn't drawn with coloring in mind. The images in this book are unusual for a coloring book. Living room scenes, pages filled with bowls or kitchen utensils etc. (Without the book right in front of me, I can't give many examples.) It may not be the best one or a new colorist to start with, but once you get used to the more basic titles, this one is a lot of fun to color. I've enjoyed coloring several of the room scenes with color schemes I remember my house had left over from the 60s and 70s. Hopefully new books will continue to be added to the Just Add Color series, as I can't get enough!

This is a step back to the fifties, sixties, growing up during that time there were things in this book I remember seeing. The book is a real hoot-I mean that in a good way-and it was so much fun to recreate through color a forgotten era. Remember the starburst clock? how about atomic curtains? Those things are in this book.

Simply put, these are great designs. Lots of fabulous ideas for drawings, borders, or artistic designs. You can experiment with colors and shading. A great resource for the artist, either pro or amateur.

I received this book yesterday & I could not be happier. The subject is not what I am used to, which made me happy. It's full of furniture, lamps, bowls, room design & memories of my grandparents house. If you grew up in the 70's, you knew people who had this furniture. The book itself is what you would expect from the Just Add Color series. Thicker paper, printed on one side, bold lines & what I like best is the details. There are details but not overly intricate. If you use marker make sure to put paper between the pages. I have not started coloring yet, but I have found myself flipping through the pages several times just to admire the artwork & reminisce about this time.

Received some coloring books for Christmas and since I love Mid Century Modern and Jenn Ski this is the best of both! Great patterns - vintage clocks, pyrex patterns. lamps, and interior MCM scenes. Plus you can tear out your page after you are finished and frame it. Super book - I plan to buy her other coloring books in the near future.

this book is probably best for colored pencil and gel pen enthusiasts. i use markers because of my arthritis, but because the paper is somewhat slick, the marker does not absorb into the paper--it

pools. i will keep for friends to enjoy.

When I first discovered adult coloring books, I enjoyed the novelty and colored beautiful flowers and mesmerizing mandalas. Then I stepped into paintings by great artists. I've taken trips to Secret Tokyo, Secret Paris and Secret New York. This book takes you back in time. Something new, different and wonderful.

Love the pictures of living rooms (too bad there are so few) and the quality of the paper. The reason for only 3 stars is there are too many repetitions and boring pages. Author wasted 3 entire pages on just bowls which are not that exciting to color. There are clocks everywhere also--too many. I was hoping it would be more detailed--more for adult coloring. One entire page is just a fondue pot. Several are just vases or cookware. The author should have shown a little more imagination. There are so many fun Mid-century modern furniture she could have incorporated here instead of so many duplicates.

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