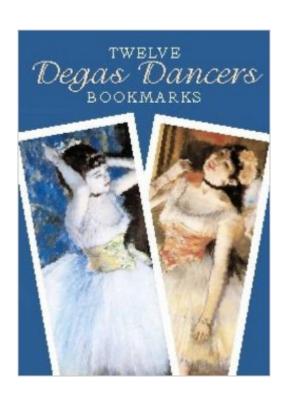
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# Twelve Degas Dancers Bookmarks (Dover Bookmarks)





### **Synopsis**

One of the greatest of the 19th-century French artists, Edgar Degas was perhaps best known for his graceful portrayals of ballet dancers. These enchanting bookmarks have been beautifully designed using details from 12 of the artist's finest paintings of dancers, including the charming Dancer at the Bar; Dancer's Dressing Room; Dancers, Pink and Green; Before the Exam (The Dancing Glass); Frieze of Dancers; Dancer with Bouquet, Curtseying; and six others. Elegant and appealing, these decorative markers will delight admirers of Degas as well as any lover of dance.

#### **Book Information**

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#### **Customer Reviews**

I loved these book marks. I am a teacher and I plan to use them in my classroom. What better way to introduce your students to great works of art. I love Degas and I am sure my students will learn to love him too. The price is also right! You can afford to give a few away and still have plenty for yourself to enjoy.

I bought these to fill out the last few dollars I needed in my cart for the free shipping. They are very nice, but as enlarged details from a painting, the images are sometimes blurry... which I didn't mind, because it works alright with the style. My only compaint is the white borders around them. I cut all of them off, they made the bookmarks look cheap. They have a very nice, shiny finish, but I also

recommend coating them with laminating paper. I do that with all my bookmarks and they last much longer and resist water damage.

I bought these for an art-appreciative cousin who loves reading. They weren't much (I was aiming for the free shipping and this was a great filler) but I definitely feel I got my money's worth. 12 full-color heavy-weight paper bookmarks, and bound (as perforated tear-outs) in a book that can go on the bookshelf itself. Highly recommended for the bookworms you know.

It's hard to review bookmarks - they have such a simple job to do. However, I admit that not only are these bookmarks visually inviting, but are quiet useful coming in a book of twelve. It's nice to have a spare ready - particularly when you tend to juggle several books as I do!

I really like 10 of the 12 bookmarks. They are very pretty, with a variety of poses and colors. But one dancer has as a somewhat deformed-looking face, while another has grey skin. No offense to Degas -- those just aren't my favorite. They seem to be about 6 inches tall, so they're best for small and medium books. The title of the painting is on the back of each bookmark. Overall, I'm very happy, and they would make a nice gift.

Beautiful artwork. If you are a fan of Degas ' Dancers, you will enjoy the prints. However, the bookmarks are perforated and have to be removed that way. Because it's with card stock, the perforated edges are very obvious. Since I was giving these away, I chose to cut the edges so that they wouldn't look tacky. Once that was done, they looked great. I could also see the ambitious person hole-punching and adding cords for an even more elegant touch. Overall, good value for the money.

These are gorgeous bookmarks!! The only issue I have is that these are perforated, so when you separate them it leaves the perforation on the sides. I just trimmed them slightly and they looked great!! They are the perfect size and have great color. Also, it lists the name of the painting on the back side of them. Great bookmarks!!

Ok, I bought these to fill out an order to get free shipping on some add on items. But they are really great for stocking stuffers. Bought this one for my 5 year old granddaughter who is very much into dancing and I think will enjoy these. Can never have too many bookmarks!

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