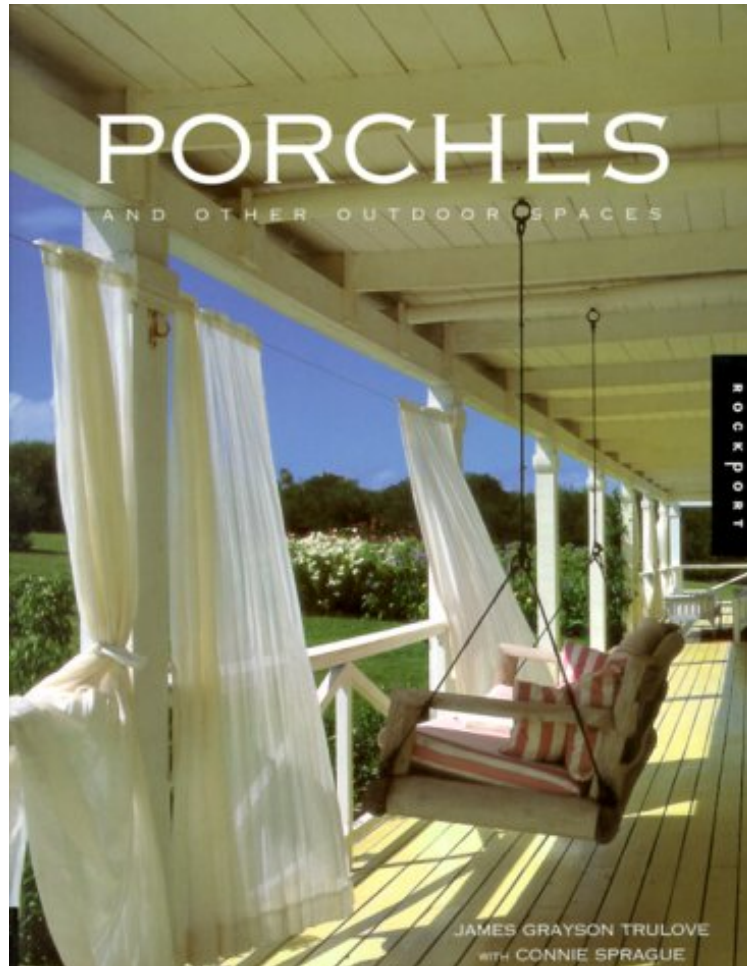


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great Ideas...not DIY By M. Johnson I bought this expecting it to be a DIY book. It is not, but has some beautiful pictures of existing porches, decks, and other outdoor living spaces. Had I flipped through the pages in a brick-and-mortar store I would have known it was not what I wanted. 19 of 21 people found the following review helpful. Fulfilled my fantasies about porches By A Customer "Porches and Other Outdoor Spaces" is a well-organized book filled with photos of many types of porches. The text is helpful and easy to read. The photos, with minimal captions, speak for themselves. The book provides many decorating ideas within the context of a porch's intended function. I will definitely go back to this book whenever I want relaxing visuals.

Porches are wonderful places to embrace the seasons, entertain friends, or dine with loved ones. In these pages you

will find fresh ideas for making the most of your porch whether its traditional or contemporary; a place you use for entertaining or for sleeping. Includes decorating ideas for creating atmosphere, interior design techniques specially adapted for the shelter of the porch, and planning ideas for the perfect porch. Whatever your budget or style, this essential sourcebook will inspire you with porches that are delightful to live with and easy to achieve.

From Library Journal These books take a detailed look at two parts of the home. Porches gives a brief history of trends, types, and uses, while Sleeping Spaces focuses on the bed, discussing history, bedding choices, and nap and rest areas in the home. The strength of both books is the lavish color photographs that depict numerous examples of porches or beds in all different types of styles. Both will be useful in amateur and professional interior design collections.

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