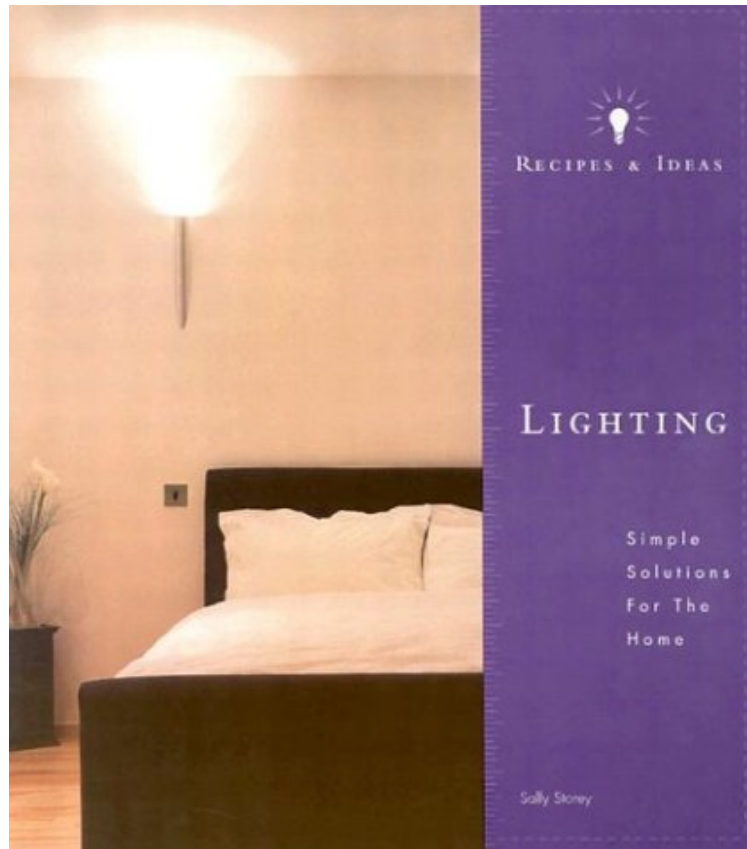


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Sally Storey : Recipes and Ideas: Lighting: Simple Solutions for the Home (Recipes Ideas) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Recipes and Ideas: Lighting: Simple Solutions for the Home (Recipes Ideas):

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Brief but great for the price. By Tinsley It's more detailed and comprehensive than other lighting design books I've picked up. The book covers a range of topics that you can't find answers from online. Including my favorite, when and where should you use frosted bulbs and where you should definitely use clear. If you google that question, you'll get a variety of answers, even people claiming to be experts because they are electricians. My husband is a master electrician, and I can promise you, lighting design instruction is skimmed over in their education. Their education is focused on the mathematical/engineering aspect of lighting, which does cover lighting design, but it doesn't really go into the deeper tricks of making a house warm and your guests look attractive. So, as we're pouring thousands into lighting in our house, I feel a responsibility to make it a wrinkle-free, skinny, environment, while he's trying to make it as white and bright as possible. That's why I picked up this book. It's difficult to find real comprehensive lighting design information online, other than very basic ideas,

which are more common sense than anything. Like, using low sconces around mirrors to illuminate faces and not cast shadows, exaggerate wrinkles, etc. I really want to know what type of bulb, lamp, placement, luminous intensity, and manufacturer is being used in the dressing rooms of certain stores that make you look so awesome in their clothes. This book addresses some of these concepts and it also gives a fantastic reference in the back, so you can go to the websites of some legitimate lighting design companies and manufacturers and get more information. So, overall, I'm really happy with my purchase. For the price, it was worth it, and I did learn a bit. It's not a text book, but it's detailed for its size. Also, pictures are wonderful, they include traditional, contemporary, and transitional homes. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Easy to understand and impliment, creative

By James Preston This book is a quick read and packed with creative ideas for the homeowner and interior design students. It is not an indepth study of lighting but more of a useful handbook. The organization of the information by room brings the reader right to the point without a lot of information clutter. I would also recommend this book to computer graphic artists who want the basics of residential lighting for their projects. - jim4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. Very Good, but no measurements

By Ahmed M. Elnaggar The book is great, very good script, pictures and general ideas, explaining thoroughly the concept of how lighting in a room works: using general, task and feature lighting effectively. It lacks though exact measurements for placing lights at certain distances from walls, only mentioning, for example, that distance from wall depends on height of ceiling. Summary: good one to have.

At last--a comprehensive, practical reference for all your lighting needs. Recipes Ideas: Lighting shows you how to transform any space using the elusive element of light. Organized room by room, this generously illustrated guide offers creative lighting solutions for a wide range of needs. With essential know-how, inspiration, and a dozen specific projects for solving familiar lighting problems, Recipes and Ideas: Lighting will show you how to make the small changes that can make a big difference in your home.

.com From notable designer Sally Storey comes Recipes Ideas: Lighting, Simple Solutions for the Home, a book full of innovative ideas for lighting every area around your home. The introduction functions as a mini-course in professional lighting techniques, going far beyond the standard one-overhead-light-per-room and discussing the possibilities of downlighting, wall-washing, and several other important lighting tools. Other chapters are divided into individual rooms, covering general needs (bright lights in the bath, reading lamps in the bedroom) and presenting a variety of unusual solutions. Most of the ideas involve installation of new lighting fixtures--this is not a book showing you how to make a pretty new lampshade for that old table lamp, but rather one that will show you how to choose among lighting options to achieve very specific effects. One lovely picture, featuring a crystal chandelier, shows tiny recessed spotlights designed to highlight the actual crystals as art, rather than merely a fancy dining room light. Storey obviously has a great understanding of the practical needs for lighting around the home, and her suggestions on task lighting for the office or kitchen are both striking and useful. The last chapter is a practical guide featuring checklists, safety hazards, and explanations of different bulbs and control switches--master this section, and you'll whisk through that maze of light bulbs at the hardware store, knowing exactly which ones you need, and why. --Jill Lightner "Packed with creative ideas for the homeowner and interior design students." -Customer review