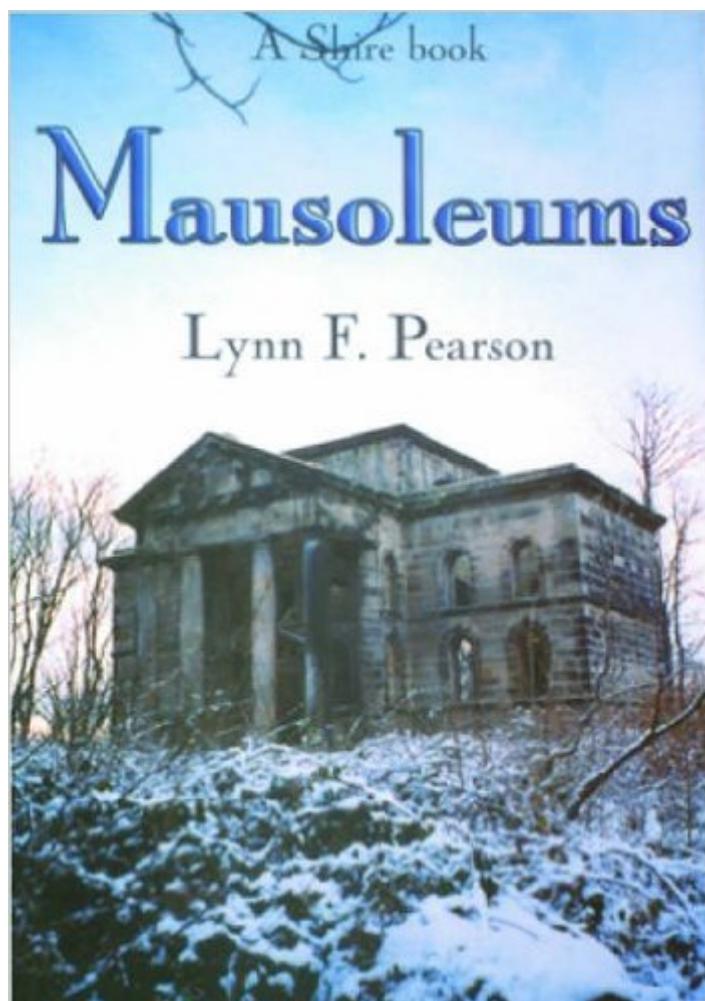


The book was found

Mausoleums (Shire Library)



Synopsis

Mausoleums magnificent, monumental tombs are often haunting, powerful buildings in evocative sites. The author reveals their history, beginning with the great tomb at Halicarnassos built for King Mausolos of Caria by his wife Queen Artemisia in the fourth century BC, which gave the monuments their name. She explains the details of their architecture, ranging from massive Egyptianate landmarks through elegant Georgian temples to lavishly decorated Victorian tombs, and considers the motives of mausoleum builders. A substantial, well-illustrated gazetteer of over 150 examples in Britain completes the book, leading the reader on a journey from the remote Sinclair Mausoleum in the north of Caithness a tiny castle known as Harold's Tower to the hugely ornate Royal Mausoleum at Windsor.

Book Information

Series: Shire Library

Paperback: 40 pages

Publisher: Shire Publications (March 4, 2008)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0747805180

ISBN-13: 978-0747805182

Product Dimensions: 5.9 x 1 x 8.3 inches

Shipping Weight: 3.7 ounces

Average Customer Review: 4.0 out of 5 stars See all reviews (1 customer review)

Best Sellers Rank: #179,006 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #26 in Books > Arts & Photography > Architecture > Buildings > Religious Buildings #136 in Books > Law > Criminal Law > Forensic Science #14589 in Books > Medical Books

Customer Reviews

This is interesting. I personally would want a Mausoleum on property. The way to get the most out of it is to research the information within the limited commentary. Incidentally, the cover Mausoleum bares some resemblance to the guest house used by Barnabas in the 60's creepy soap opera "Dark Shadows." It's the Delaval Mausoleum I'm talking about.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Mausoleums (Shire Library) Cathedrals of Britain (Shire Library) Fashion in the Time of William Shakespeare: 1564-1616 (Shire Library) The Shakers: History, Culture and Craft (Shire Library)

USA) Buttons (Shire Library) British Campaign Medals 1815-1914 (Shire Library) Victorian Souvenir Medals: Album 182 (Shire Library) Flax and Linen (Shire Library) Tatting (Shire Library) Old Lawnmowers (Shire Library) Mail-Order Homes: Sears Homes and Other Kit Houses (Shire Library USA) Thatch and Thatching (Shire Library) The Arts and Crafts Garden (Shire Library) British Sheep Breeds (Shire Library) Harley-Davidson: A History of the World's Most Famous Motorcycle (Shire Library USA) Pottery of the Southwest: Ancient Art and Modern Traditions (Shire Library USA) Golfing Bygones (Shire Albums) .NET Framework Standard Library Annotated Reference, Volume 2: Networking Library, Reflection Library, and XML Library Architecture and Design Library: French Country (Arch & Design Library) Architecture and Design Library: Mediterranean Style (Arch & Design Library)

[Dmca](#)