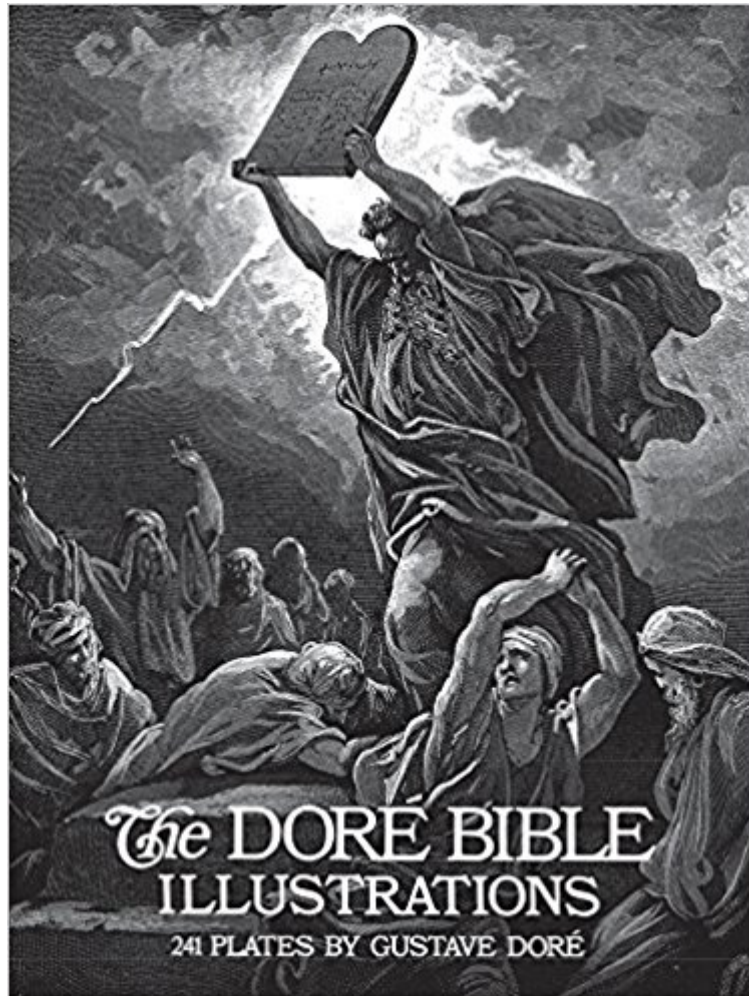




The book was found

The Dore Bible Illustrations



Synopsis

Nowhere but in the Bible were dramatic textual material and the artistry of Gustave Doré more perfectly matched. The Book of Books seemed to unleash a new power of creation in Doré not apparent in his previous work. In the Creation scenes, the horrifying visions of the Flood, the battle sequences with their monumental crowds, the plates depicting the life of Jesus – many of which have now become the standard iconography – and finally the vision of the New Jerusalem, Doré reached the fullest expressions of his extraordinary talent. This book collects all 241 plates long out of print that Doré executed for the Bible. In these plates, reproduced from outstanding early editions, the artist not only captures the dramatic intensity of the Scriptures, but sustains it longer than any other single artist was able to do. In addition, Doré reimagined all the scenes, so that what he produced was not a mere reworking of what centuries of other artists had already done, but a new and fresh visual interpretation of the Bible. Each plate is accompanied by the verses from the Authorized (King James) Version of the Bible that the scene depicts, and an Introduction by Millicent Rose covers Doré's life and art in general. This is a sumptuous book that everyone, from those interested in Scripture to lovers of great art, will be proud to possess.

Book Information

Series: Dover Fine Art, History of Art

Paperback: 241 pages

Publisher: Dover Publications; Illustrated edition (June 1, 1974)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 048623004X

ISBN-13: 978-0486230047

Product Dimensions: 9.1 x 0.6 x 12 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.8 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.5 out of 5 stars 61 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #316,790 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #81 in Books > Arts & Photography > Graphic Design > Printmaking #113 in Books > Arts & Photography > History & Criticism > Themes > Religious #174 in Books > Arts & Photography > Individual Artists > Artists' Books

Customer Reviews

Nowhere but in the Bible were dramatic textual material and the artistry of Gustave Doré more

perfectly matched. The Book of Books seemed to unleash a new power of creation in Doré not apparent in his previous work. In the Creation scenes, the horrifying visions of the Flood, the battle sequences with their monumental crowds, the plates depicting the life of Jesus – many of which have now become the standard iconography – and finally the vision of the New Jerusalem, Doré reached the fullest expressions of his extraordinary talent. This book collects all 241 plates – long out of print – that Doré executed for the Bible. In these plates, reproduced from outstanding early editions, the artist not only captures the dramatic intensity of the Scriptures, but sustains it longer than any other single artist was able to do. In addition, Doré reimagined all the scenes, so that what he produced was not a mere reworking of what centuries of other artists had already done, but a new and fresh visual interpretation of the Bible. Each plate is accompanied by the verses from the Authorized (King James) Version of the Bible that the scene depicts, and an Introduction by Millicent Rose covers Doré's life and art in general. This is a sumptuous book that everyone, from those interested in Scripture to lovers of great art, will be proud to possess. Dover (1974) original publication.

French illustrator Gustave Doré (1833 – 1883) began his prolific career at the age of 15, and his dramatic engravings have exercised an incalculable influence over latter-day artists. The remarkable scope of his work ranges from Milton, Dante, and the Bible to Rabelais, Shakespeare, and street scenes of 19th-century London.

for for study of this great master .

For five measly bucks you get all of Doré's biblical illustration that were in the Doré's Bible of the late 1800s. The pictures take up a whole page and sometimes two. Yeah some of the prints are a tad poor but not as bad as people made it out. These are not original prints and only a baboon would compare it to an original. But you get a lot of pretty good quality prints for as much as a happy meal would cost. So it's well worth the money. I mean if it were like \$500 then yeah sure I'd be pretty red in the face but it's only \$5. If you want to see all of Doré's bible prints then get it. If you're a more rare prints collector, what are you doing here? Go out and hunt for those rare copies and quit trying to cheat.

The detail in each image is amazing.

Gustave Dore is an artist without comparison. I cannot think of any artist who created the style for how centuries of people would imagine works like the Bible and Dante's Divine Comedy. He illustrated Paradise Lost, Don Quixote, and even children's fairy tales. Iconic works with icons of such lasting impressions that still today we continue to depict such epic and notable scenes with much the same characteristics. This collection of Dore's Bible illustrations is complete. Every depiction, a full page in size, and even accompanied by a Bible verse, expels his excellence. It is perfection in its minimalism. The image is alone to be poured over and awed at. It is amazing how Dore was able to capture the spiritual essence of the Bible's stories. Each depiction offers a scene where words are no longer necessary. This is a wonderful collection for any one with an interest in art, religious or otherwise.

Dore's illustrations are quite beautiful. and this book is a great, reasonably priced collection. I bought this as a gift for a friend. The book did come with a large blemish on one page, though, so I am only giving it four stars. The blemish was a weirdly folded extra long page? It was very strange. It didn't cause any harm to the illustrations though, so I suppose it is fine.

Have to agree with the other reviewers on this one. Illustrations are beautiful but faded. Gave it as a gift, thankfully they loved it.

I purchased this book hoping to use it for illustrations on my Christian blogs. The pictures are great, though I may not use them as much on my blogs as I had hoped.

I have looked at this drawings over and over again and they amaze me every time. Wonderful artist. No one draws like he does. They are all black and white, very detailed, big pictures. Very satisfied with my purchase. Makes you hungry to draw! Would buy from this seller again. Book arrived in tip-top shape.

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

The Dore Illustrations for Dante's Divine Comedy (136 Plates by Gustave Dore) The Dore Bible Illustrations The Bible: The Complete Guide to Reading the Bible, Bible Study, and Scriptures (bible, religion, spirituality, holy bible, christian, christian books, understanding the bible) The Bible Study for Beginners Series: Learn the Bible in the Least Amount of Time: The Bible, Bible Study, Christian, Catholic, Holy Bible, Book 4 Bible Brain Teasers for Adults (4 Book Set includes: Bible Crossword Puzzles; Bible Games; Bible Quizzes & Puzzles; Bible Word Search Puzzles) Nautical Illustrations:

681 Royalty-Free Illustrations from Nineteenth-Century Sources (Dover Pictorial Archive) Babes of the Year: Illustrations in Colors and Monotint (Children in Art Book with color illustrations) 1001 Humorous Illustrations for Public Speaking: Fresh, Timely, and Compelling Illustrations for Preachers, Teachers, and Speakers My Little Bible Box: Little Words of Wisdom from the Bible; Little Blessings from the Bible; Little Psalms from the Bible Hi! I Am Noah, Noah, Beginner's Bible Story Book, Noah and the Ark, Noah and the Flood, Board Book, Bible Hero from the Favorite Bible Charater Series (Bible Figure Books) The Complete Parallel Bible with the Apocryphal/Deuterocanonical Books: New Revised Standard Version, Revised English Bible, New American Bible, New Jerusalem Bible BIBLE: How You Study And Find The Hidden Secrets Within The Bible, The Beginners Guide To Understanding The Old Law Jesus Teaches, The Universe Laws Jesus ... The Bible, Law Of Attraction, Bible Study) Easter Kid's Audio Bible-Free Easter DVD a 2nd Free Audio Bible on MP3-Bible Stories for Kid's-Bible Stories for Children with 103 Kid's ... Home School Curriculum 15 Audio CDs-1MP3-1DVD Smith's Bible Dictionary: More than 6,000 Detailed Definitions, Articles, and Illustrations Bible English: Chapters on Old and Disused Expressions in the Authorized Version of the Scriptures and the Book of Common Prayer: With Illustrations from Contemporary Literature Inspired By . . . The Bible Experience: The Complete Bible, Audio CD: A Dramatic Audio Bible Performed by 400 of Today's Biggest Stars New American Bible Catholic Bible Edition. Catholic Audio Bible on 14 CDs Digitally recorded word for word from the sacred texts without distracting ... case and individual protective postions. KJV NT Scourby CD with Free Indest Book Holy bible King James Version Audio Bible-Audio Bible on CD-KJV New Testament by Alexander Scourby Digital ... Stories come to life word for word A Complete Bible Reference Study Library (4 in 1): [Illustrated]: KJV Bible with Strong's markup, Strong's Concordance & Dictionaries, Lexicon Definitions, and Bible word index KJV Bible with Comprehensive Strong's Dictionary (3 in 1): [Illustrated]: KJV Bible with Strong's markup, Strong's dictionary with Lexicon definitions, Bible word index

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)