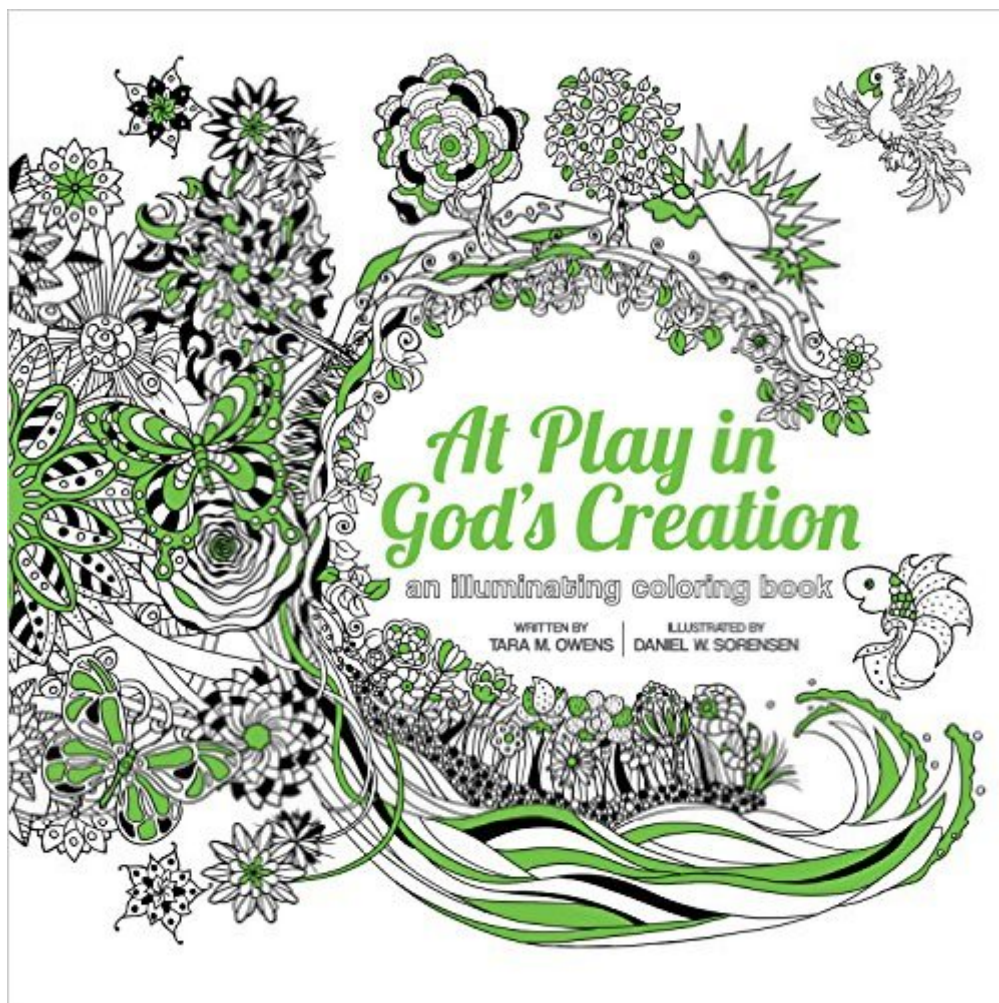


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# At Play In God's Creation: An Illuminating Coloring Book



## Synopsis

Introducing a quiet, sometimes-playful, always meditative way to engage with God through color, creativity, and prayer. At Play in God's Creation creates a meditative journey for the word-weary that celebrates the creativity within. This remarkable book integrates evocative, searching drawings with brief prompts and spiritual intentions. Color-ers and spiritual seekers are taken on a journey through dark, arched passageways and spacious open fields. They will fill the paths with their own designs, or follow the way of the One who went before. This imaginative, spiritually rich addition to the growing genre of coloring books for adults encourages color and contemplation, allowing a safe and comfortable place for anyone to find their way in prayer and silence. Many will spend hours filling in the pages with their own vivid imaginings, meeting God even as He slips between stained glass and sycamores.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

This is a beautifully drawn contemplative coloring book. Imagine you are on a journey, maybe toward God but also maybe toward the center of your own heart. At Play in God's Creation takes you through the natural world of forests, mountains, oceans so wonderfully rendered you'll want to spend a whole month living it its pages. The happy animals, in my opinion the strongest parts of the illustrations, are incredibly fun to look at as well as color. The prayers, quotes from the saints, and spiritual directives are absolutely wonderful, too. A strong complement to the images. Artist Daniel Sorensen is great new talent to keep an eye out for. I have a feeling this coloring book will be talked

about for a long time to come...

I love this beautiful book. With gorgeous illustrations that remind me of the ancient Celts (and my favorite animated movies, "The Book of Kells" and "The Song of the Sea") along with thought-provoking, contemplative wisdom, "At Play in God's Creation" is the perfect purchase or gift for anyone interested in adding a more creative dimension to their spiritual life. Highly recommended!

I was looking forward to this book when I heard that it was coming out. I was just a bit concerned that it wouldn't add anything to the already flooded adult coloring book market. But when I actually received it (as a birthday gift), I was thrilled to discover that it is head-and-shoulders above any other coloring book out there. Not only is it because the drawings are exquisite in their detail and beauty, but more so because of the intention that this is primarily a book to draw you into a state of worship, contemplation and prayer. For this book, the act of coloring, which is already intended to be meditative, is enhanced by the focus of the writing and the images. Thoughtful quotes from some of the most prayerful Christians in the history of the church are entwined in the illustrations that bring the quotes to life. The result is an experience of being drawn into the wonder of God's beauty and peace. This book would make a tremendous gift for someone who loves Christ and wants to experience a delightful way to draw closer to God in prayer.

I love this book! It has lovely illustrations that are fun to color and at the just-right difficulty that is so hard to find. The focus on contemplative prayer is a unique perspective for a coloring book, and it finds a nice balance between that and being just plain fun to color.

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