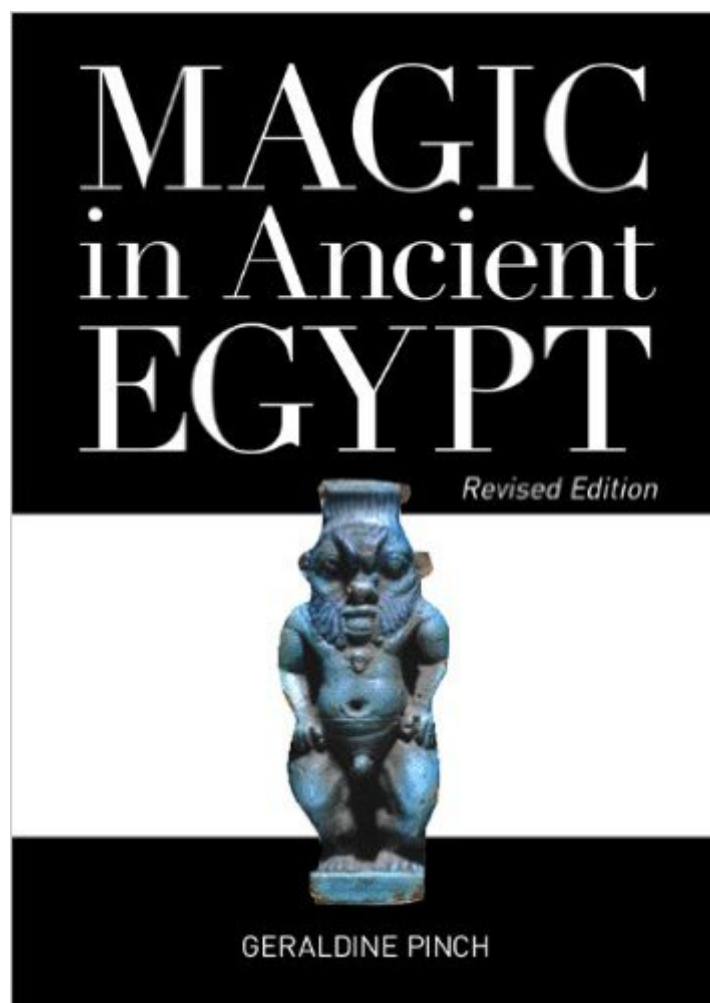


The book was found

Magic In Ancient Egypt: Revised Edition



Synopsis

The Egyptians were famous in the ancient world for their knowledge of magic. Religion, medicine, technology, and what we would call magic coexisted without apparent conflict, and it was not unusual for magical and "practical" remedies for illness, for example, to be used side-by-side. Everyone resorted to magic, from the pharaoh guarding his country with elaborate magical rituals to the expectant mother wearing amulets to safeguard her unborn child. *Magic in Ancient Egypt* examines the fascinating connections between myth and magic, and the deities such as Bes and Isis who had special magical importance. Geraldine Pinch discusses the techniques for magic, its practitioners, and the surviving magical texts, as well as the objects that were used in magic—figurines, statues, amulets, and wands. She devotes a chapter to medicine and magic, and one to magic and the dead. Finally, she shows how elements and influences from Egyptian magic survived in or were taken up by later societies, right up to the twenty-first century.

Book Information

Paperback: 192 pages

Publisher: University of Texas Press; Revised Edition edition (March 1, 2010)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0292722621

ISBN-13: 978-0292722620

Product Dimensions: 6.8 x 0.4 x 9.5 inches

Shipping Weight: 1 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.4 out of 5 stars— See all reviews— (10 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #924,566 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #201 in Books > History > World > Religious > New Age, Mythology & Occult #815 in Books > History > Ancient Civilizations > Egypt #1826 in Books > Religion & Spirituality > Occult & Paranormal > Magic Studies

Customer Reviews

A wonderful book on how the people of ancient Egypt viewed the world around them and the ways they sought to cope. Religion and magic are intertwined in the ancient world, as were magic and medicine. A good book for both the casual reader and the researcher. Full of fascinating bits of information, yet easily understandable. If you're interested in life in ancient Egypt, this book belongs on your bookshelf!

I found this book very informative and interesting. As a practitioner of Egyptian Magic and an

Anthropology/Archology student,I found it easy to read,and it covers all aspects of Egyptian Magic. Ms.Pinch uses different texts to back up what she writes about.If you are looking for written ritual it's not in the book,but the information is there for you to write your own if you wish.I highly recomend this book to any one interested in Egyptian Magic.Ms.Pinch shows Egypt as it was a civilization which showed no distinction between everyday life and magic.

Pinch delivers a solid book explaining the practical aspects of Ancient Egyptian magic. The book is written so that both an academic and a "normal" ;-) person can easily understand the thought behind the magic. Check out the terrifying love spell!

A great overview of the ancient Egyptian approach to magic revealed in down to earth terms. A must-have book for any student of the Egyptian Mystery Tradition and required reading for students of the Temple of Khem

The revised edition of Magic in Ancient Egypt provides a fine survey discussing Egyptian techniques for magic, practitioners, and surviving magical texts. From medicine to how influences from early Egyptian magic survived to influence later societies into modern times, this provides a scholarly approach to Egyptian deities: though it's more likely to be picked up by new age collections, serious Egyptian history holdings also need this in-depth survey!

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

Magic Cards: Magic the Gathering - 33 Killer Tips from a Magic Master! (Magic Cards, Magic the Gathering, Magic Decks, Magic the Gathering Tips, Magic Card Tips, How to Play Magic, Magic)
Magic in Ancient Egypt: Revised Edition Alexander: The Great Leader and Hero of Macedonia and Ancient Greece (European History, Ancient History, Ancient Rome, Ancient Greece, Egyptian History, Roman Empire, Roman History) The Art of Ancient Egypt: Revised Edition Everyday Life in Ancient Egypt (JR. Graphic Ancient Civilizations) Ancient Peoples of Africa: From Egypt to the Great Zimbabwe Empire - History for Kids - Children's Ancient History Books History and Activities of Ancient Egypt (Hands-on Ancient History) Prophets and Prophecy in the Ancient Near East (Writings from the Ancient World) (Writings from the Ancient World) Prophets Male and Female: Gender and Prophecy in the Hebrew Bible, the Eastern Mediterranean, and the Ancient Near East (Ancient Israel and Its ... Literature Ancient Israel and Its Litera) Bodies of Knowledge in Ancient Mesopotamia: The Diviners of Late Bronze Age Emar and their Tablet Collection (Ancient Magic and Divination) Ancient Greece and the Olympics: A Nonfiction Companion to Magic Tree House

(Magic Tree House Fact Tracker) Magic Tricks from the Tree House: A Fun Companion to Magic Tree House #50: Hurry Up, Houdini! (Magic Tree House (R)) MAGIC TRICKS: How to do easy illusions and magic card tricks for kids (magic, tricks) History of Interior Design and Furniture: From Ancient Egypt to Nineteenth-Century Europe Ancient Egypt Transformed: The Middle Kingdom The Complete History of Costume & Fashion: From Ancient Egypt to the Present Day Historical Wig Styling: Ancient Egypt to the 1830s (The Focal Press Costume Topics Series) Egypt, Greece, and Rome: Civilizations of the Ancient Mediterranean The Woman Who Would Be King: Hatshepsut's Rise to Power in Ancient Egypt Ancient Egypt Sticker Book IR

[Dmca](#)