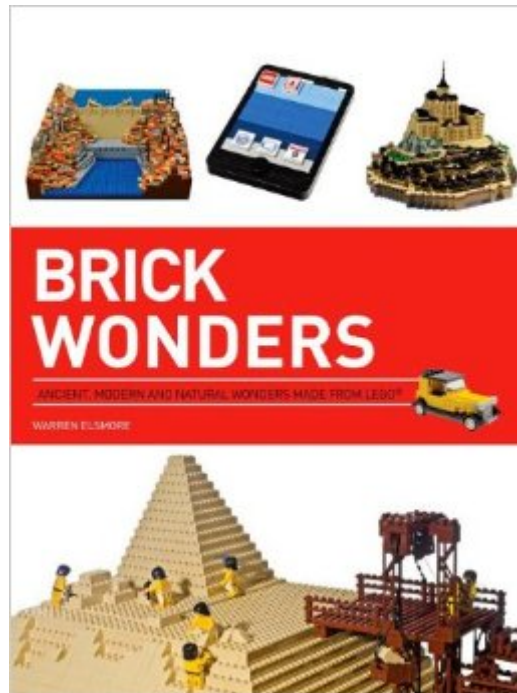


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Brick Wonders: Ancient, Modern, And Natural Wonders Made From LEGO (Brick...Lego)



Synopsis

Barron's best-selling Brick City was a study of the world's most famous buildings in LEGO form. Now, master modeler, and LEGO aficionado, Warren Elsmore, takes the humble LEGO brick on another global tour, this time to recreate the stunning wonders of the ancient, natural, and modern world. Inside Brick Wonders, Elsmore presents helpful tips for neophyte LEGO modelers (such as where to buy the most useful bricks and how to build to scale) along with plans for constructing specific models. Vivid photos of completed LEGO models are stunning to view and include: The Great Pyramid of Giza The Hanging Gardens of Babylon The International Space Station The Panama Canal The Grand Canyon The Great Barrier Reef Featuring helpful drawings of structural details to guide model builders, Brick Wonders presents a modeler's panorama of the world's most breathtaking wonders. More than 400 full-color instructional and inspirational images throughout. **BONUS POSTERS:** Enclosed with the book are two dramatic posters featuring LEGO's® model photos of the Wonders of the World. The posters, which are suitable for framing, unfold to 17 1/2" x 24 3/4".

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I'm continually amazed by Warren Elsmore's LEGO creations, and his latest book continues that amazement. Brick Wonders: Ancient, Modern, and Natural Wonders Made from LEGO is a great book that shows the incredible things that can be created using LEGO bricks (and a lot of

ingenuity).Contents:Introduction: Welcome to Brick Wonders; Where to buy LEGO; Building Tips; CAD Modeling; Freestyle; Instructions; Naming Bricks; Building for Strength; Practice Project; Mosaics; Sorting and Storing; Online ResourcesAncient Wonders: Great Pyramid of Giza; Hanging Gardens of Babylon; Statue of Zeus and Olympia; Temple of Artemis; Mausoleum of Halicarnassus; Colossus of Rhodes; Lighthouse at AlexandriaHistoric Wonders: Great Wall of China; Machu Picchu; Old London Bridge; Mont Saint-Michel; Petra; Stonehenge; Angkor WatModern Wonders: Modern Medicine; Panama Canal; Hoover Dam; Modern Communication; Transportation; Internet; International Space StationNatural Wonders: Aurora Australis; Great Barrier Reef; Grand Canyon; Matterhorn; African Savanna; Ha Long Bay; Niagara FallsIndex; Credits and ResourcesWarren's book is a mix of completed models and instructions on how to build smaller elements related to the main model. For instance, his Old London Bridge model is complex and detailed, definitely not something that you'd undertake on your own. But there are instructions included on how to build a small medieval house that would look right at home on the bridge. Another example would be the Panama Canal. That's a huge lock and ship model. But he provides instructions on how to build the tug train and a shipping container.

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