



# The Book of INCENSE

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Right now, Japanese incense is highly regarded because of its subtlety and beauty. Its strategy is broad and eclectic. Incense has a long history in Japan. With the current popularity of aromatherapy and other uses of scent for rest and pleasure, this new trade paperback edition of *The Book of Incense* comes at a the majority of opportune time. At the ancient courtroom, men and women alike scented their kimono, their areas, and even their composing paper with signature blends of incense that admirers were sure to mention later in their like poems. Morita encourages visitors to choose from among sun and rain of Japanese olfactory background, and to borrow the parts they like and utilize them as they see match. She describes the different ingredients, explaining how to blend blends and sample numerous mixtures, and discusses how to play traditional literary games concerning incense. She also introduces Koh-do, or the "incense ceremony," which fans still perform today. *The Publication of Incense* is the first book obtainable in English that targets the incense traditions of Japan. It is must reading for anybody who would like to gain a brand-new awareness of the significance of scent, and find out steps to make optimal usage of the feeling of smell in our everyday lives.



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She will need to know how exactly to answer their countless questions. The Tale of Genji is central to the ceremony; I really liked this book I must say i liked this book.I bought this book as something special for an extremely dear Japanese woman who has begun working for the big incense company Shoyei-do, within Kyoto. She'll meet many foreigners as part of her job.Easy to read That is a book for the individual who is truly interested in the Japanese incense ceremony, and the meaning of the various scents. Five Stars Fast delivery and exceptional value The book of incense Interesting little book. Easy to read; Good book to read if your planning a trip to Japan as incense is indeed much part of Japanese culture and history. Nice layout with color and B& Incense Great Five Stars Great book A great introduction to anyone who is interested in Incense.W photographs illustrating the Art Of Incense and its introduction to Japan. How big is the box makes it an ideal summer reading. It also has good references and beginning pointsfor further research in to the subject matter. the reader will get plenty of information on this, and why it is so. It is definitely an older book so that it covers most of the older Japanese methods that i love and find interesting. This publication will go quite a distance towards assisting her. quite enjoyable for anyone. Summary of Kodo artwork at its best Very informative book on the subject of ancient art of Kodo and how to benefit from the fragrance in Japanese custom. Must read for those who love fragrance. great insights into background and art of Book seeing that described, great insights into history and art of incense GREAT Publication ! Item met all goals... A high-quality product delivered promptly. for japanese tradition lovers What a wonderful book, i simply finish reading it today, is fine, i lived in Japan for a long period, & most of my amount of time in Tokyo, when i go to the temples or locations, just makes me consider all this while i'm reading recommended 100% Quality Product.



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