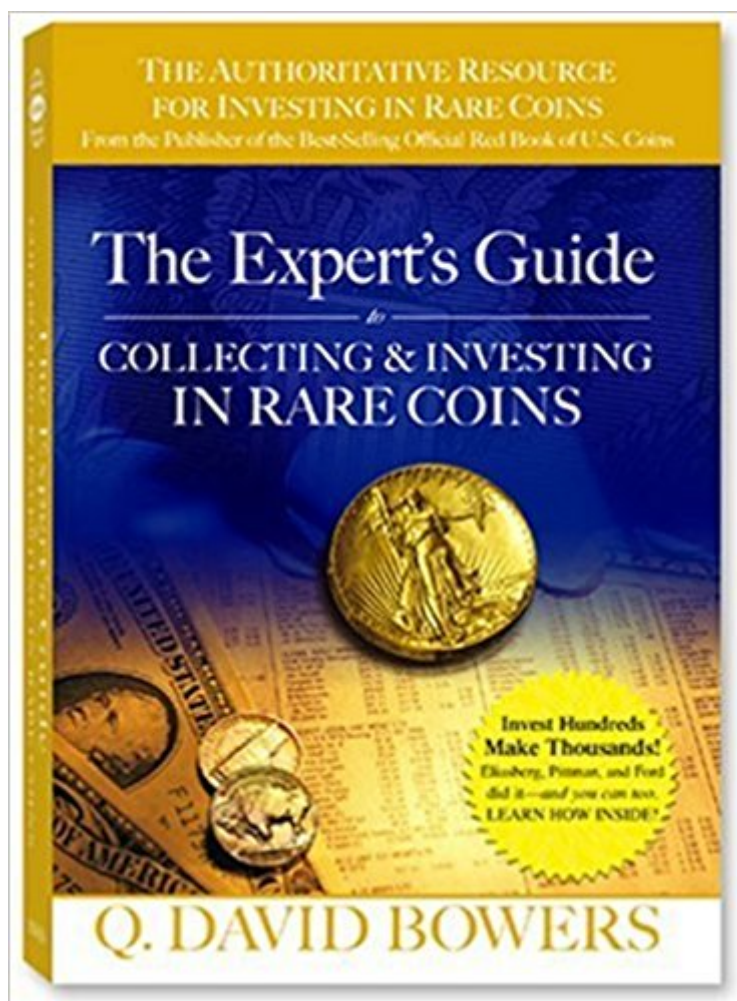


The book was found

The Experts Guide To Collecting & Investing In Rare Coins



Synopsis

This hardcover book is a comprehensive insider's look at not only rare coins, but also tokens, medals, and paper money. At 34 chapters and nearly 700 pages, it covers everything from grading to determining values to techniques of smart auction bidding. More than 1,300 photographs and illustrations, both black and white and in full-color galleries, complement the text, showing the people, places, and coins described. Bowers' engaging case studies, strategies, and insider tips make the book an invaluable "how to" for today's marketplace. Chapters are devoted to copper, nickel, silver, and gold coins; dynamics of the coin market; fads, trends, cycles, and predictions; conserving and protecting your collection; how to be a smart seller; and more.

Book Information

Hardcover: 655 pages

Publisher: Whitman Publishing (October 31, 2005)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0794819206

ISBN-13: 978-0794819200

Product Dimensions: 6.3 x 1.6 x 9.3 inches

Shipping Weight: 2.3 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.5 out of 5 stars 42 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #760,708 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #26 in [Books > Crafts, Hobbies & Home > Antiques & Collectibles > Coins & Medals > Paper Money](#) #1074 in [Books >](#)

[Reference > Encyclopedias & Subject Guides > Antiques & Collectibles](#)

Customer Reviews

I read "Gold Rush: How to Collect, Invest & Profit With Gold Coins" by Mitch Battino and Arlyn Sieber (see my review of that book) prior to reading this book by Q. David Bowers. I'm glad I did because while the Gold Rush book was a very big disappointment, it made me realize just how truly good Mr. Bowers book is. I have to be honest, coin books are generally NOT books that you read from beginning to end and find that you can't put down. This book is an exception - I couldn't put it down and I read the entire book from beginning to end. Although I've been collecting for years, one thing I enjoyed about this book was that some of those obscure numismatic terms that other authors assume you know, Mr. Bowers will stop and take a sentence or two to explain the term. I really appreciated that. Plus, where the Gold Rush book failed in the "How to Collect, Invest, and Profit," this book did an excellent job of showing how to do just that. It is not a price guide with outdated

prices. It is an excellent reference guide with information that will never get old. This book will still be great 10 years from now. This book has excellent chapters with hands-on advice and great stories to help explain coin market cycles, determining coin prices and value (not a list of coin prices like other books but goes into things like grading, rarity, and demand), history of the coin market and predicting the rare coin market, techniques for buying and selling, and chapters on collecting advice for everything from gold coins, commemorative coins, to paper money and tokens and medals. The only thing I would point out is that this book sticks to the U.S. rare coin market and does not discuss World coins. I own more than a few coin books and this book has shot up to the top of my list as the "must have" book. Whether you are a new or experienced collector or investor (aren't we all really both), you will enjoy and profit from this book. In the future, when I'm asked by new collectors what is a good book to get, this will be the book I recommend.

A useful book for someone who has been away from coin collecting for a while. No need to read every page, though some may in fact do so. The coverage is broad, though not always in depth. However, the book makes ample use of references, so the reader is steered to further reading in areas of particular interest. Well written, rather homey writing manner. Makes for easy reading, in spite of the length and breadth of the book. A useful book for future reference, and for guidance to more in depth reading.

This is a must have book for all coin collectors. It discusses the difference between investors and collectors and how one can become the best of both worlds, a COLLECTOR/investor. A wise collector can result in one becoming an investor as an after thought. The book is loaded with coin-related information that is too much to mention here but all valuable. The book has the history of the US instilled as part of the coin information. This is a book hard to put down. I have read many "coin-related" books but seldom find one interesting and informative enough (at least for me, to see my way thru from cover to cover. This book is a rare exception. BUY!

Q. David Bowers has a writing style that draws you in. He has a very conversational writing style which holds your interest. This book is a must read for anyone gaining a genuine interest in coin collecting. I am just getting interested in numismatics and I believe reading this book cover to cover will prepare me well to do this hobby the right way. It is invaluable information. I love history, and tying the history of the times around the minting of coins will make this an extremely interesting journey.

Mr. Bowers Does it again... This is at least his Fourth iteration on this subject; "Collecting rare coins for profit-1975

I purchased this book for my ex husband as I know he is interested in coins. Not knowing what I was buying - I chose this book as it looked interesting and had "expert's guide" in it. When my ex got the book - he called and asked me if I knew about the author and I said no. He told me that the author is one that he follows as he (the author) is very knowledgeable about coins and Morgan dollars. He was impressed with my choice. He didn't have this book so it was a win win situation!

Informative Book. I enjoyed it.

I bought this for my dad for a gift and he was very happy with the book. It gives a lot of information about coins.

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

Gold, Silver and Rare Coins: A Complete Guide To Finding Buying Selling Investing: Plus...Coin Collecting A-Z: Gold, Silver and Rare Coins Are Top Sellers on eBay, and Etsy The Experts Guide to Collecting & Investing in Rare Coins Stamp Collecting For Geek's ; Stamp Collecting For Beginners How To Learn All About Stamp Collecting Techniques Along With The Stamp Collecting Lingo And How To Find Values Of Your Collection Coins, medals, and seals, ancient and modern: Illustrated and described : with a sketch of the history of coins and coinage, instructions for young ... and American coins, medals and tokens, &c The World Encyclopedia of Coins & Coin Collecting: The definitive illustrated reference to the world's greatest coins and a professional guide to ... collection, featuring over 3000 colour images Real Estate: 25 Best Strategies for Real Estate Investing, Home Buying and Flipping Houses (Real Estate, Real Estate Investing, home buying, flipping houses, ... income, investing, entrepreneurship) Coin Collecting for Fun & Profit: The Fast and Fun Way to Make Money Collecting Coins 2015 Rare Stamp Experts Official Training Guide: Includes on-line digital 2015 catalogue with values of used US and UK classic stamps (Summer Edition Series One - 2015) Cherrypickers' Guide to Rare Die Varieties of United States Coins: 1 (An Official Whitman Guidebook) Cherrypickers' Guide to Rare Die Varieties of United States Coins, Sixth Edition, Volume I Cherrypickers' Guide to Rare die Varieties of United States Coins, Volume II A Guide Book of United States Coins 2015: The Official Red Book Spiral (Official Red Book: A Guide Book of United States Coins (Spiral)) Warman's U.S. Coins & Currency Field Guide

(Warmans U S Coins and Currency Field Guide) Coin World 2014 Guide to U.S. Coins: Prices & Value Trends (Coin World Guide to Us Coins, Prices & Value Trends) The Handbook of Alternative Assets: Making money from art, rare books, coins and banknotes, forestry, gold and precious metals, stamps, wine and other alternative assets Coin Hunting Made Easy: Finding Silver, Gold and Other Rare Valuable Coins for Profit and Fun Rare Finds: A Guide to Book Collecting 2017 North American Coins & Prices: A Guide to U.S., Canadian and Mexican Coins Warman's Coins & Paper Money: A Value & Identification Guide (Warman's Coins and Paper Money) Warman's U.S. Coins & Currency Field Guide: Values and Identification (Warman's Field Guides U.S. Coins & Currency: Values & Identification)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)