

The Art of Modern Conjuring (Paperback)

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COSIMO CLASSICS, 2006. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. The reader, if he follows diligently the instructions that I will give him, will be able in a short time to astonish his numerous friends with his acquired knowledge. Of course, he cannot expect to be a Robert Houdin. in a week, a month, or even year, because a wizard is not to be made in a day. -from the Introduction From the basics of palming coins and pretending to shuffle cards to the sophisticated trickery of convincing ladies to float in midair and spirits to manifest themselves, this charming book, first published in 1886, is a fascinating guide to the magician s stock in trade: his secrets. As slyly subversive in his day as today s magic tell-alls Penn and Teller, the author reveals: . how to nail a secretly chosen playing card to the wall . how to produce a shower of sweets from a borrowed handkerchief . how to produced a dozen babies from a top hat . how to pass an egg into a bottle . how to change a bottle of wine into a vase of flowers . how...



Reviews

This publication is amazing. It is definitely basic but shocks in the fifty percent of your publication. You wont feel monotony at anytime of your own time (that's what catalogues are for concerning if you question me). -- **Prof. Kirk Cruickshank DDS**

This kind of book is every little thing and taught me to looking ahead of time and a lot more. I am quite late in start reading this one, but better then never. I found out this book from my dad and i encouraged this pdf to find out. -- Justus Hettinger