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Maureen Soens : Italian Plaster Techniques before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Italian Plaster Techniques:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Outstanding book of Italian (aka "Venetian") Plaster techniques, ideas, photos...By WBC CoachAs far as I know there is no difference between "Italian" and "Venetian" plaster techniques so I assume this book is describing both. Either way, I purchased the book to learn more about the look and the use of this technique as well as how to do it. This book delivers on all counts. It is filled with beautiful photos of rooms and coloration effects and even shows enough for the decorating professional. Very well done. I haven't figured out which walls I want to do this on yet but it will be tried, probably on my forthcoming "up-scale DIY" dining room remodel. For anyone interested in this specialized technique, buying this book is a no-brainer that will not disappoint.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Italian Plaster TechniquesBy Alana CampbellThis book on plastering is everything I hoped it would be and more. We have a vintage home we have been rennovating and loved the creative

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Once reserved for highly trained artists, the techniques for creating Italian plasterwork are now available to all. With the help of the newest user-friendly materials, and these incredibly detailed and wonderfully illustrated instructions, do-it-yourselfers can easily create exquisite wall treatments. The focus here is on acrylic plasters--particularly Polished or Venetian Plaster and Textured Plaster--and their many possible applications. Find out about tools, color schemes, and surface preparation, as well as every single step involved in applying the plaster. Drying times, adding a topcoat, burnishing, polishing, and glazing: it's all covered. Do crosshatch, stenciling, Venetian lace patterns, and lots more. The lovely finishes range from old world Tuscany to contemporary iridescent, and they're displayed in inspirational photos of finished homes.