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# Stars Of Magic



## Synopsis

The best and most influential book on Close-Up Magic. If you have not read and learned the magic contained in this book you have no business calling yourself a close-up magician. The magic by John Scarne, Dai Vernon, Bert Allerton, S. Leo Horowitz, Emil Jarrow, Francis Carlyle, Dr. Jacob Daley, Tony Slydini, Ross Bertram, Nate Leipzig, and Max Malini helped shape the art of close-up magic as we know it. It has often been said that mastering the magic in this book will make you an accomplished close-up and sleight-of-hand artist. In many ways, it contains all the magic you need to build a professional caliber repertoire. Many have earned a living performing these routines and now you can too. Includes: 41 incredible routines by 11 incredible artists, a historical introduction and a bonus section with private correspondence related to the Stars Of Magic. Second Edition. First Paperback Edition. Published by Meir Yedid Magic in 2017. 176 pages written by George Starke, Dr. Jacob Daley, Bruce Elliott and Meir Yedid. 378 photographs by George Karger. Softcover, perfect-bound. All of the routines were originally sold as separate manuscripts. Purchased separately they would have cost you US \$98.00.

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## Customer Reviews

As I understand, this was a series of effects by top magicians of the day. Lou Tannen bought the series, compiled them into book form, published the book, and sold them from his magic shop in New York City. When I was in high school, I asked the librarian if she would order the book for the school, as I couldn't afford it. After months of waiting, it arrived! It was well worth the wait! Magic with cards, coins, cigarettes, handkerchiefs, and more... all by masters of the art that are now no

longer with us... but still fill the literature. Lots of pictures to make everything clear! Fantastic! The rights appear to have been sold to Paul Fried of D. Robbins, Inc., a wholesaler of magic, books, and novelties. Finally, the rights seem to have been purchased by Meir Yedid of MYMagic. He "cleaned up" the pictures making them sparkle as if they were taken yesterday! Folks... this is a classic treatise of great effects... not for the beginner, but certainly for intermediate and up magicians. You can't go wrong, plus it's a great introduction to yesterday's masters of magic!

This book is talked about all the time in the magic community and for good reason. The effects inside are easy to adapt to "modern" settings. They require a lot of time to put the words into actions but will give so much more than you have to put into it. If you want to learn good magic this is a great place to find it. I would recommend getting some basic coin and card books as well to speed up the learning process.

This was a replacement for the copy I had had for many years. I loaned it out and never got it back. It has so many excellent sleight-of-hand tricks that it's worth the replacement cost. It is such a good book that I replaced it at about the same cost as the original, bought at least thirty years ago.

One of my favorite books. These tricks you can carry with you anywhere and they never stop astonishing people

As a beginner diving into the world of magic, I bought Stars of Magic along with a few other magic books. This book gives a great backstory behind each trick and has neat pictures. However, many of the tricks explanations were difficult to understand before reading other books. (Magic digest, J.B Bobo Modern Coin Magic) I suggest this book as a 2nd/3rd buy. Great book nonetheless

Awesome book ,classic magic to be learned . This is a book all magicians should have in there collection !

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