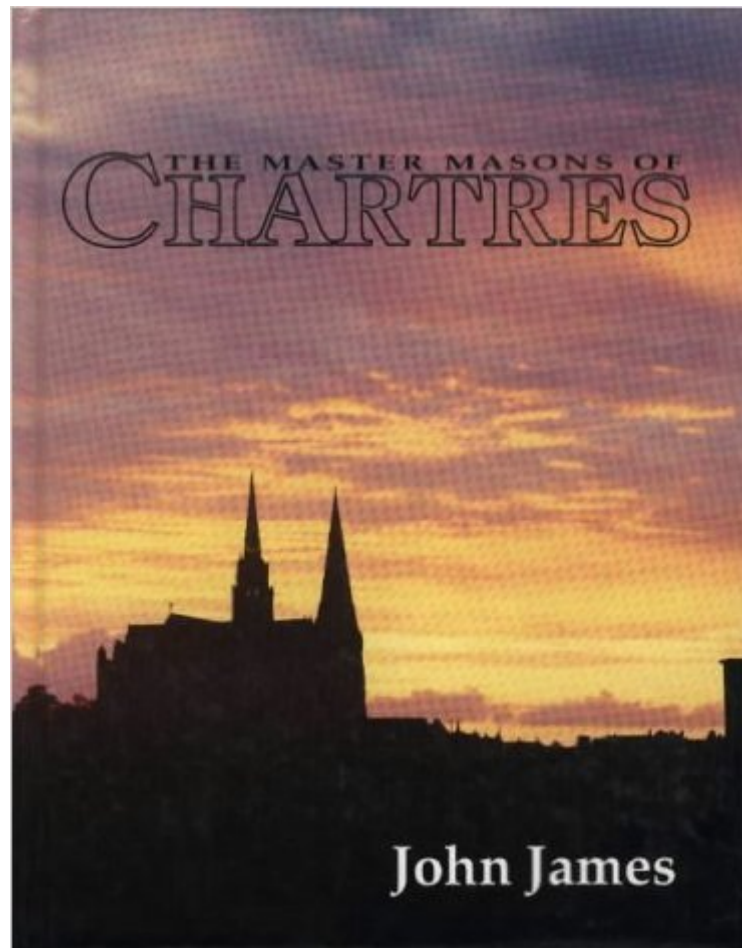


The book was found

The Master Masons Of Chartres



Synopsis

James' analysis of Chartres is likely to be the best and most detailed we shall have.' JOURNAL OF ARCHITECTURAL HISTORIANS The great cathedral of Chartres is the most impressive and exciting building surviving from the middle ages, and is preserved almost intact. Yet we know nothing of the men who created it. John James, in this masterpiece of detection, shows how he came to identify the master masons from the stones themselves. His meticulous 'reading' of the cathedral has revealed much about those men: how they solved problems of engineering and design, how they raised two-ton stones forty metres into the air, and how one mason controlled over 300 men in this gigantic workshop. JOHN JAMES is an Australian architect. His first visit to Chartres, in 1969, led to a continuing passion for the early Gothic buildings of northern France, and he has been 'reading their stones' ever since.

Book Information

Hardcover: 208 pages

Publisher: West Grinstead Publications (February 7, 1991)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0646008056

ISBN-13: 978-0646008059

Product Dimensions: 0.8 x 7.5 x 9.8 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.7 pounds

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #707,903 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #126 in [Books > Arts & Photography > Architecture > Buildings > Religious Buildings](#) #1126 in [Books > Textbooks > Humanities > Art History](#) #1528 in [Books > Engineering & Transportation > Engineering > Reference > Architecture](#)

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

The Master Masons of Chartres Cathedrals Built by the Masons Mont-Saint-Michel and Chartres (Penguin Classics) Universe of Stone: A Biography of Chartres Cathedral Chartres Cathedral Cathedral of the Black Madonna: The Druids and the Mysteries of Chartres Master Planning Success Stories: How Business Owners Used Master Planning to Achieve Business, Financial, and Life Goals (The Master Plan Book 2) Nutri Ninja Master Prep Blender Smoothie Book: 101 Superfood Smoothie Recipes For Better Health, Energy and Weight Loss! (Ninja Master Prep, Nutri ... Ninja Kitchen System Cookbooks) (Volume 1) Master the Miller Analogies Test 2004 (Arco

Master the Miller Analogies Test) Master the Miller Analogies Test 2002 (Arco Master the Miller Analogies Test) Master the Veterinary Technician National Exam (VTNE) (Peterson's Master the Veterinary Technician National Exam) Master the Mat 2001: Miller Analogies Test (Master the Mat: Miller Analogies Test, 8th ed) Master the Miller Analogies Test 2006 (Arco Master the Miller Analogies Test) Master The Officer Candidate Tests: Targeted Test Prep to Jump-Start Your Career (Peterson's Master the Officer Candidate Tests) Master the Case Worker Exam (Arco Master the Case Worker Exam) Master the ASVAB (Master the Asvab (Book Only)) Master the Civil Service Exams (Peterson's Master the Civil Service Exams) The Unfettered Mind: Writings from a Zen Master to a Master Swordsman Master the SSAT & ISEE (Peterson's Master the SSAT & ISEE) Pro Flash Manual: A Michael Willems Dutch Master Class Manual (The Michael Willems "Dutch Master Class" series Book 2)

[Dmca](#)