

# All Buttons Great and Small

*A compelling history of the button, from the Stone Age to today*

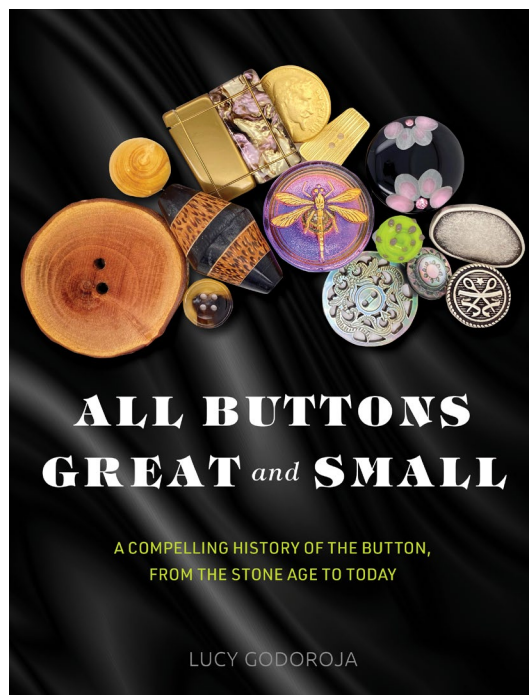
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## KEY POINTS

- The perfect gift for anyone interested in fashion and design, from students to seasoned button-collectors.
- Encompasses both the more commonly celebrated antique buttons as well as the production, longevity and design of contemporary buttons.
- Beautiful images of buttons from across the world are paired with engaging text to create the ultimate gift and reference book, to be dipped into or read all at once.

*Have you ever looked at a button and wondered about its history? Where it's from? The craftsmanship involved in its creation? In All Buttons Great and Small, author Lucy Godoroja takes readers on a visual tour of buttons, offering fascinating insights into their peculiar history and sharing an appreciation of their design and meaning.*

*From the exquisite to the different to the ordinary, the study of buttons offers a world of delight. This collection of quirky and beautiful images alongside intriguing stories ranges from antiques to today's modern creations, giving Godoroja a wealth of button design, material and meaning to discuss.*

## ABOUT THE AUTHOR

**Lucy Godoroja** has always had an interest in the creative process, whether through the handicrafts of sewing and needlework or jewellery making, to the design of large or small objects. A serendipitous meeting in Amsterdam with a button shop owner inspired her to open her own button shop in Newtown, Australia, called 'All Buttons Great and Small'. There followed both a career path and a life of shared stories and exchanged ideas ... and buttons. All Buttons Great and Small is Lucy's first book.

*All Buttons Great and Small also showcases the craft and production of contemporary buttons in the hopes of inspiring a new era of button-makers, admirers, and users. There is an exciting challenge ahead, with the fusion of old and new technologies and the issues of sustainability that have permeated the fashion world.*

*Full of fascinating facts and crafty inspiration, it is the perfect gift for designers, sewers, collectors, and anyone else who shares an interest in buttons.*

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