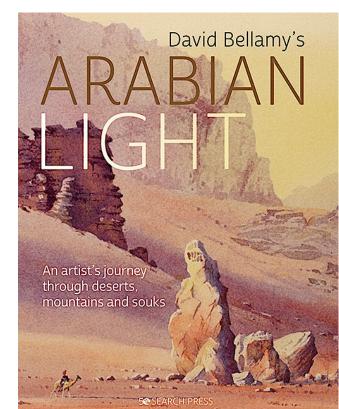
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# David Bellamy's Arabian Light

An artist's journey through deserts, mountains and souks

### **David Bellamy**

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#### **Key Selling Points**

- An enthralling read by the world-renowned artist and best-selling author of Arctic Light
- David Bellamy's books have sold over 60,000 copies worldwide
- Dozens of the author's breathtakingly beautiful paintings of the Middle East, painted during his various expeditions to the region
- Provides a compelling insight into a fascinating region
- David's Middle Eastern subjects were frequently exhibited at the prestigious Mathaf Gallery in Belgravia, a specialist in Orientalist work.

#### Description

#### Explore the deserts, mountains and souks of the Middle East, with best-selling author and artist David Bellamy.

Following on from David's highly acclaimed *Arctic Light*, this book provides an intriguing and often entertaining insight into South Arabia and the Swahili Coast, Jordan, Lebanon, Dubai and Oman. It describes the history, culture, customs and geography of the region and the daily life of its inhabitants, as viewed through the eyes of a world-renowned watercolour artist and life-long adventurer. Filled with personal anecdotes and humour, David Bellamy's unique account shines a light on the Middle East and highlights the incredible beauty and fascinating culture of this much-neglected region.

David's stunning artwork, that he painted during his various expeditions, features throughout the book and captures perfectly the diverse and majestic nature of the region. Watercolourists will be inspired by the author's awe-inspiring ability to depict sweeping vistas and create a sense of space in his paintings, and to capture the very essence of a place through his art.

#### About the Author

David Bellamy has always been fascinated by the world's wild places. An artist-explorer for the modern age, over the course of his lifetime David has mounted expeditions and adventures across this alluring, expansive and complex region. Highly regarded as a teacher of art, he has a tremendous following among leisure painters in the UK and abroad. He gives demonstrations and talks, produces successful DVDs, has written many books on watercolour painting and is a regular contributor to art magazines. David lives in Builth Wells, Wales.

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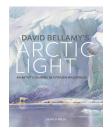
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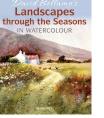
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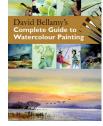
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