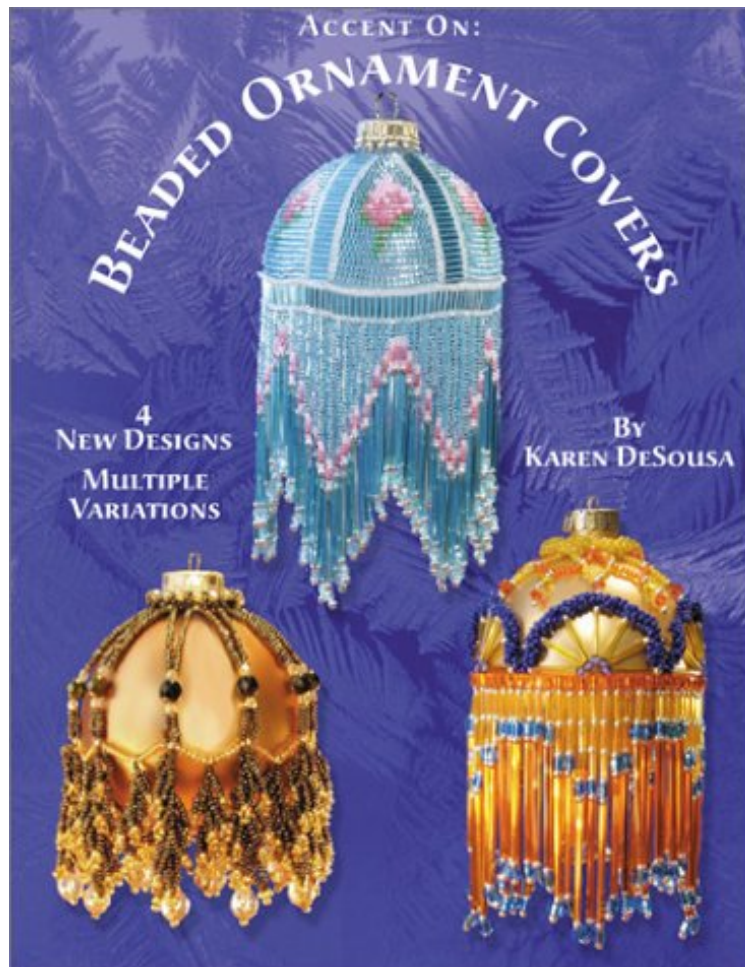


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Detailed instructions to make beautiful beaded ornament covers using easy-to-find beads. The book contains four different designs with many variations. Step-by-step instructions are enhanced with large color diagrams. Book includes lots of helpful hints for the beginning and experienced beader.

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