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5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Jewellery of Tibet and the Himalayas By Lilly Ford This a beautiful book depicting an exquisite collection of jewellery at the VA museum. The pieces illustrated are exceptional in their details, and the photos are colorful and clear to reveal the artistic details and the immaculate craftsmanship. There are also some photos showing the native population wearing their jewels to show how each piece is used. The text is also informative and accessible and puts the illustrated pieces into their wider historical and sociocultural contexts. A highly recommended book on rather a narrow subject and would appeal to anyone with passion for jewelry and fine arts.

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The beautiful jewelry of Nepal, Tibet, and the Himalayas is extraordinarily evocative, with vibrant combinations of gold and silver embellished with turquoise, coral, amber, and pearls. Lavishly illustrated, this book celebrates the

beauty of the jewelry and tells the overlapping stories of trade, conquest, faith, and fortune that lie behind it. Many of the stunning pieces featured here were specially photographed for the book.

About the Author John Clarke is a curator in the VA's Asian Department, specializing in the art of the Himalayas.