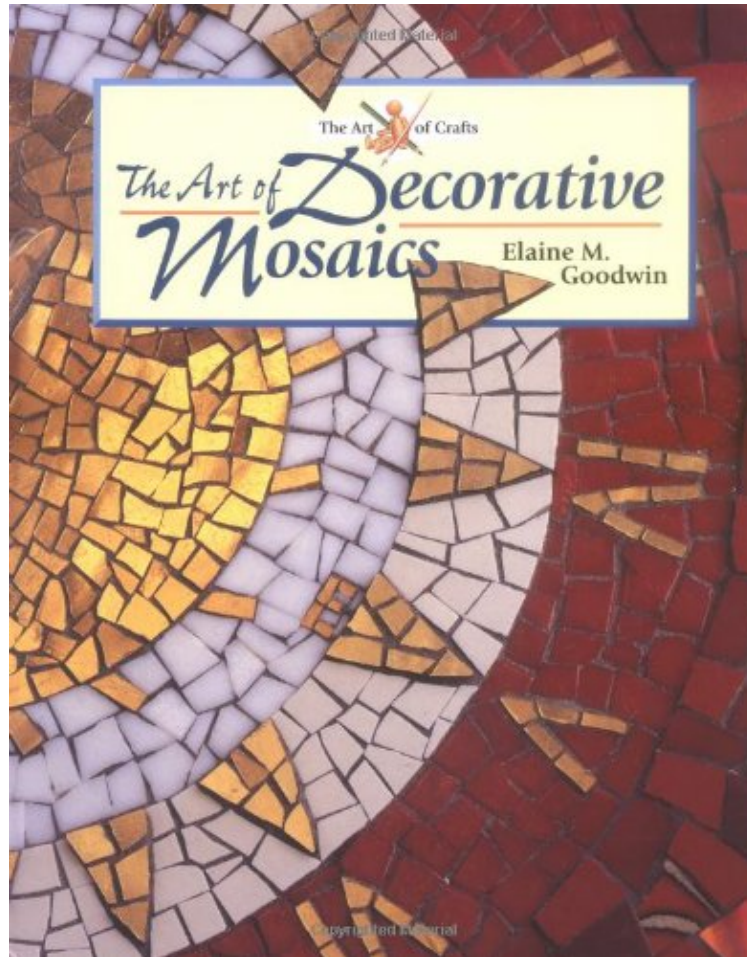


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About the Author Elaine M. Goodwin is the author of *Classic Mosaic*, *Decorative Mosaics*, *The Human Form in Mosaic*, and *Mosaic Today*.