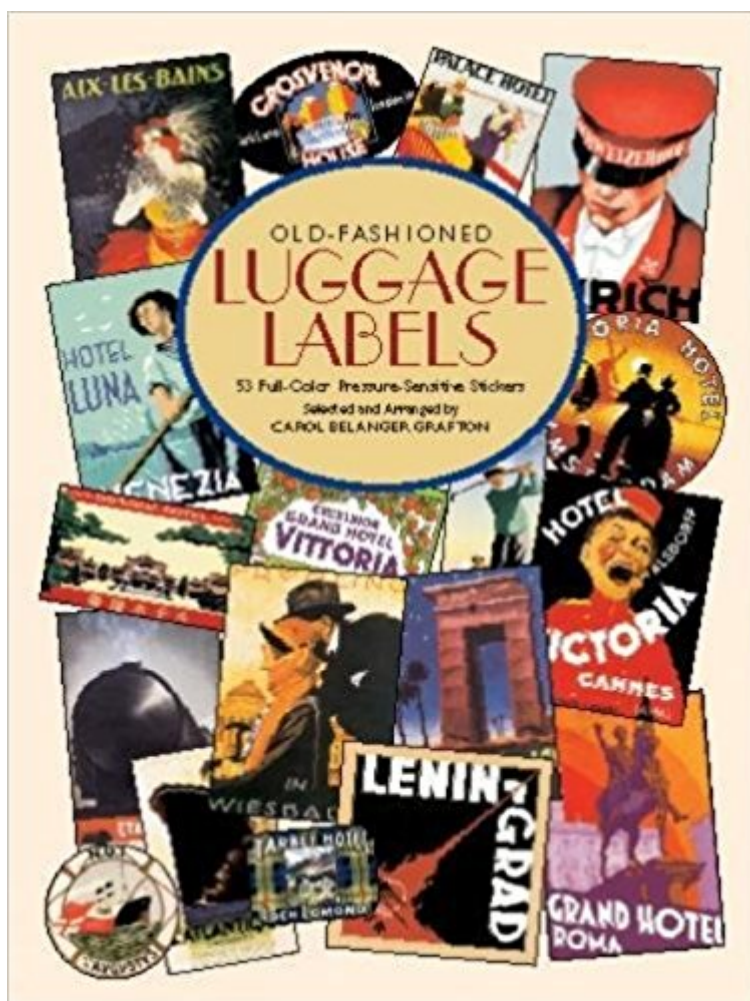


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Old-Fashioned Luggage Labels (Dover Stickers)



Synopsis

A traveler might be lost without luggage, and luggage might be lost without a label. These reproductions of vintage luggage labels date from an era before supersonic jets, e-tickets, and suitcases that fit into the overhead bin. Stylish declarations of social status, they recall an age when travel promised luxury, adventure, and excitement. This treasury of antique luggage labels contains 53 colorful stickers from the heyday of the genre, which flourished from 1910 to 1940, until World War II brought tourism to a virtual halt. The privilege of travel belonged chiefly to the wealthy in the first half of the twentieth century, and these elegant stickers recall the grand hotels of Rome, Cairo, London, Amsterdam, Zürich, and other cities, in addition to carriers from around the globe, including Air France and Matson Steamship Line. Today these labels document a bygone age, and their reflections of a more gracious era in travel as well as their visual appeal make them highly prized by collectors. They're also a great way to add a touch of well-traveled sophistication to any arts and crafts project.

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Customer Reviews

I'm very pleased with these luggage labels! The colors are vibrant, and the glossy paper is of good quality. Having read the multiple negative reviews about poor adhesive, I offer this suggestion: Scan each label separately and print out as needed, then add your own adhesive. (I bought these

primarily for scrapbooking projects). If you scan these at high resolution and use quality paper to print them, you should be able to replicate the lovely colors--not to mention being able to scale them to your desired size. I think these labels are beautiful and quite a bargain!

I needed to cover several patches on a bonded "leather" (this stuff is NOT leather) chair. So, I decided to temporarily apply these stickers, for some contrasts. The chair will eventually be reupholstered, so this is a great temporary fix. The labels are really cool too - depicting some interesting places!

Great selection and easy to put on. I wanted something to tell my luggage apart from others that look the same and these did the trick.

May be OK for paper, but did not stick to any other clean, smooth surface. Curled up and fell off. Should have stronger glue.

loved it, was put on a suitcase for my niece for her wedding shower.perfect

Nice set of tags, beautifully printed, though a little on the small side.

These worked so well, none fell off as other reviews stated, but then again I was actually pressing them onto the little cereal-box suitcases I made. They look so original and unique and the kids LOVED seeing where their "suitcases" went. I would totally buy these again!

They're really cool stickers but most of them came off after one use. I would've thought the glue would be stronger. Maybe they're not meant to be used on luggage that's handled roughly. They look great but wish they would stay on longer.

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