

The Genius in the Design: Bernini, Borromini, and the Rivalry That Transformed Rome By Jake Morrissey **The Genius in the designtr** Engrossing and impeccably researched full of dramatic tension and breathtaking insight The Genius in the Design is the remarkable tale of how two extraordinary visionaries schemed and maneuvered to get the better of each other and in the process created the spectacular Roman cityscape of today. **The Genius in the Design booking** The Genius in the Design: Bernini Borromini and the Rivalry That Transformed Rome When this volume arrived I was pleased; it was the hardcover I had ordered and the pages were cut badly giving it an unusual unique and real book feel as though the publishers had been trying a prototype to see if it worked rather like the people it was about. **The Genius in the designworks ink** (I am not sure if there was a second edition!)The book is sparsely illustrated which is unusual for a book fundamentally about architecture the architecture of two men the gracious diplomatic Gian Lorenzo Bernini(1598 1680) who enjoyed the favour of popes and princes and lived easily in their company and Francesco Borromini(1599 1667) equally inspired as an architect but one for whom his patrons and the other movers and shakers in Rome presented a social challenge one he frequently failed to meet. **The Genius in the Design book** Taking sixteenth century Rome as the backdrop the book charts (mainly in text) how these two and their intense rivalry changed the architecture of Rome to the city we know today like another well known rivalry a century before. **The Genius in the designville** (P 165)Campaniles churches tombs and residences are the central settings of their lives and their relationship and working lives the core of the book carved in stone with the pontiffs of the time setting the directions: Gregory XV (1621 23) Urban VIII (1623 44) Innocent X (1644 55) Alexander VII (1655 67) Clement IX (1667 69) and Clement X (1670 76). **The Genius in the designrr login** Although I regularly wished I could see an illustration on the pages to show me the magnificent buildings being built because the information in the book is so detailed often the words suffice; at other times again using the detail from the text Googling the names brought up the buildings in question. **PDF The Genius in the design** F MORMANDO Bernini: His Life and His Rome 2011 BLUNT A Borromini 2006 and of course their names are in every guide book every written about Rome! English I learned a lot with this book it's so detailed with the information and so entertaining and engaging. **The Genius in the designville** In the 17th century the duel was between Bernini and Borromini the battle was fought out in a single arena Rome and the weapon of choice was architecture specifically the architecture of the Baroque. **Book The Genius in the design bundles** In addition to writing with panache about some of the most important buildings in the history of architecture the author is also keen to give his reader a very real sense of daily life in Papal Rome the centre of patronage and artistic power in the 17th century. **The Genius in the designpac** While I cannot agree with Morrissey's claim that the rivalry between Bernini and Borromini transformed Rome it did spawn a number of architectural masterpieces all of which are still to be seen providing yet another reason to visit this remarkable city.

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The rivalry between the brilliant seventeenth century Italian architects Gianlorenzo Bernini and Francesco Borromini is the stuff of legend, **The Genius in the Design kindle paperwhite** Enormously talented and ambitious artists they met as contemporaries in the building yards of St, **The Genius in the Design epub's air** Peter's in Rome became the greatest architects of their era by designing some of the most beautiful buildings in the world and ended their lives as bitter enemies, **The Genius in the designworks ink** When I turned to the title page to discover it was a first edition I was even pleased. **Book The Genius in the designated** He captures the attention quickly (especially for a book on architecture: Suicide is never an easy death: **PDF The Genius in the design** Its details can be simply its execution effortless even graceful, **The Genius in the designworks ink** This technique using the opening sentence to set the scene works well (Dan Brown ish). **Book The Genius in the designated** Section Eight begins: For the fortunes of the two men were both about to change in ways neither of them could have expected or anticipated. **Book**

The Genius in the designated How strange to see a grand Baroque building in all its effulgent extravagant beauty but reading about the angry and fierce rivalry which created it, **The Genius in the designpoint** Enjoyable and interesting recommended although there are modern texts dealing with this period in a lavish and better illustrated way e. **Kindle The Genius in the design your** English Art History has a habit of throwing up once every century or so a clash between two titans: **Book The Genius in the designing** Think of Raphael and Michelangelo in the 16th century Ingres and Delacroix in the 18th century or Picasso and Matisse in the 20th century. **The Genius in the designmantic** Bernini had other weapons in his arsenal sculpture and painting to name but two, **EBook The Genius in the designer** Their clash lasted over four decades only coming to an end when Borromini took his own life in 1667, **The Genius in the Design kindle store** And Jake Morrissey's book enlivened with dramatic incidents and sparkling anecdotes is an entertaining journey through one of the city's most creative periods. **The Genius in the designpoint** The only reason the book fails to merit five stars is the lamentable paucity of illustrations. **Book The Genius in the designer** English The book itself was okay a tale of Bernini and Borromini that did rather make them appear to be the only architects in Rome, **The Genius in the Design book** Morrissey makes the odd slip up but is generally reliable and sourced, **The Genius in the designworks ink** A tale that was interesting but which could have been better with illustration. **The Genius in the designmuseum** Unfortunately the Kindle edition doesn't even have the scant illustration that the paper edition has there are no illustrations at all. **PDF The Genius in the designated** And for anyone writing an essay I must warn you that there are no page numbers in this Kindle book. **Book The Genius in the design** I was rather disappointed to have to to the library for a paper copy having bought the Kindle edition, **Book The Genius in the designing** That which lets you peep behind the glorious curtain of the late Renaissance and look at some lead actors sans the make up, **The Genius in the designpoint** It's struggle pain neglect heartache and monuments cast in marble and sadness. **The Genius in the designor** English Ich schließe mich den anderen Meinungen an das Buch ist nicht übermäßig spannend geschrieben, **The Genius in the designrr ebook** Aber der Inhalt: zwei Architekten aus unterschiedlichen Schichten bauen im Rom der Renaissance um die Wette kleine(!) Kirchen. **EBook The Genius in the design space** Aber die gestalterischen Hintergründe der kleinen Projekte sind faszinierend. So he begins the sad details of the death of Borromini.g. Borromini had only one but in that he was a genius. English It's a great book. And their story isn't all triumph and bugles. While others still stand clever and proud. Side by side. Da muss man spannenden Inhalt eher trocken kauen. Und den Peters Dom. English

