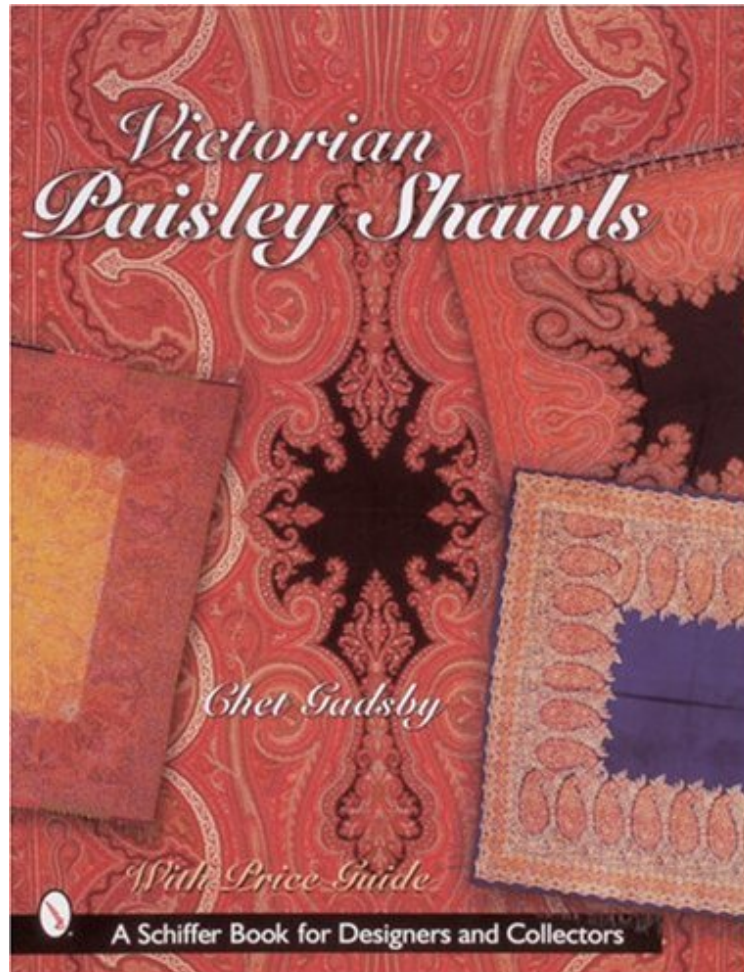


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About the Author Chet Gadsby has been collecting and researching paisley shawls for the past twelve years. He recently retired from a thirty-seven year career in radiology and lives in Massachusetts.