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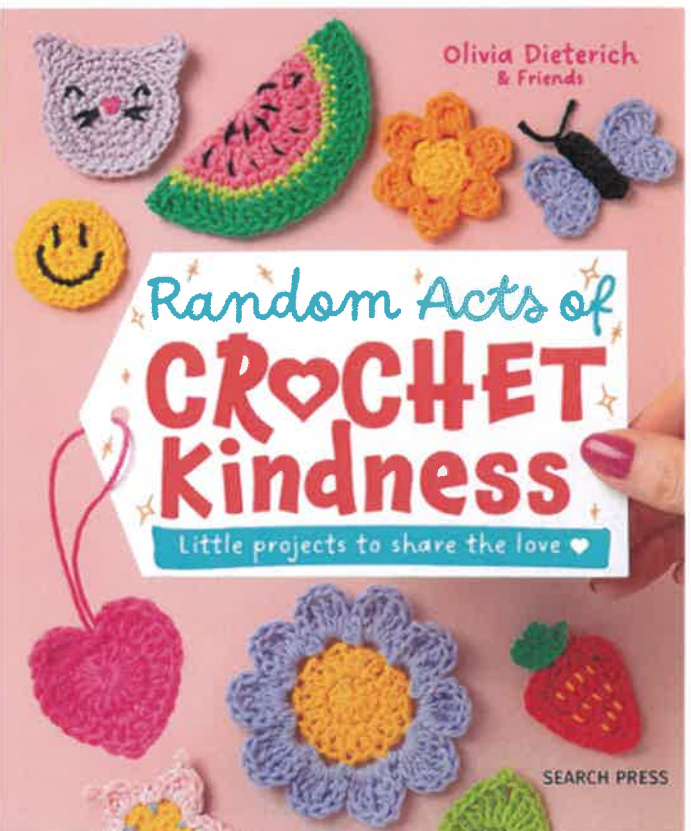
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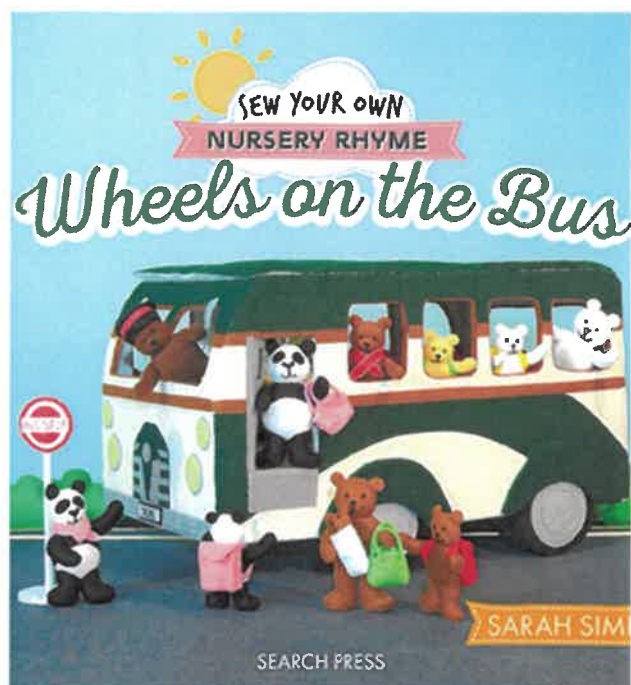
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Create and customize your own colourful beaded jewellery!

Simple to make and right on trend, these fun beaded projects add the perfect finishing touch to any outfit and make wonderful personalized gifts.

Start off with simple projects such as elasticated friendship bracelets and hoop earrings, then move on to making stunning charm necklaces, tassel earrings and rings. Make coordinating pieces, mix and match, and then experiment with different beads



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The wheels on the bus go round and round - all day long! Bring this beloved nursery rhyme to life in tactile, easy-to-sew felt: perfect for play time and story time! Jump aboard this fabulous playtime bus, and join a collection of busy little bears on an exciting day out around town. Discover how to make the bus (complete with windscreen wipers to swish and a horn to beep, not to mention wheels that really do go round and round), the bears, a stretch of road to make as long or short as you like, and even a bus stop for picking up and dropping off passengers

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Knitted with Norwegian and Icelandic wool fibres to repel water and cold, and featuring designs and colours inspired by the wild north of Norway, this is the ultimate knitting book for outdoor adventurers.

The 23 timeless designs feature polar bears, the Arctic sun, Hopi dreamcatchers, snowflakes, sled dogs and falling snow, all inspired by the Scandinavian climate and indigenous people of best-selling author Linka Neumann's native Norway.

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Arne & Carlos are back – with 65 brand-new festive baubles to knit, inspired by the magic of a Norwegian winter!

Best-selling and globally beloved knitters Arne & Carlos have created 65 charming new knitted designs so that you can bring a touch of a Scandinavian winter into your own home this festive season. Each of the seasonal balls is adorned with stylish, colourful motifs to make your tree sparkle with festive cheer, and would make a stunning Christmas gift for friends and family.

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Knit a stylish collection of contemporary, colourful sweaters and cardigans from popular author Melanie Berg (Mairlynd). Discover 13 unique designs to suit your style and make you smile!

From rummaging through vintage wardrobes to knitting bespoke pieces, this collection is inspired by Melanie Berg's personal journey of discovery and creativity. Each of the 13 cozy knits has been carefully selected for its special features – be it innovative construction, a clever button trick, or the exceptional qualities of a particular yarn.

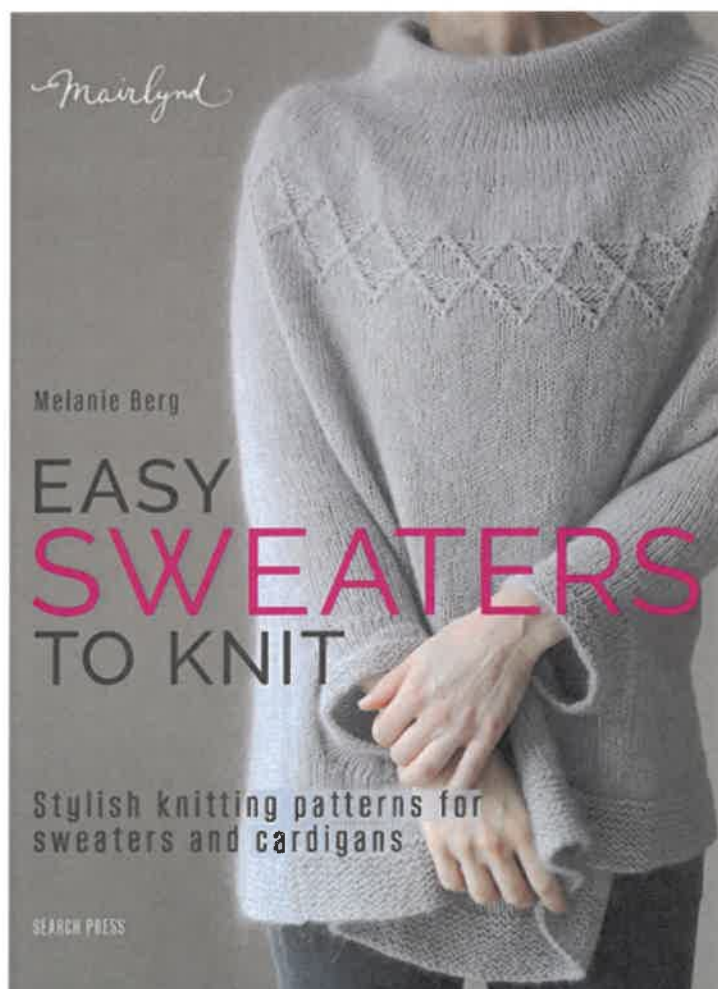
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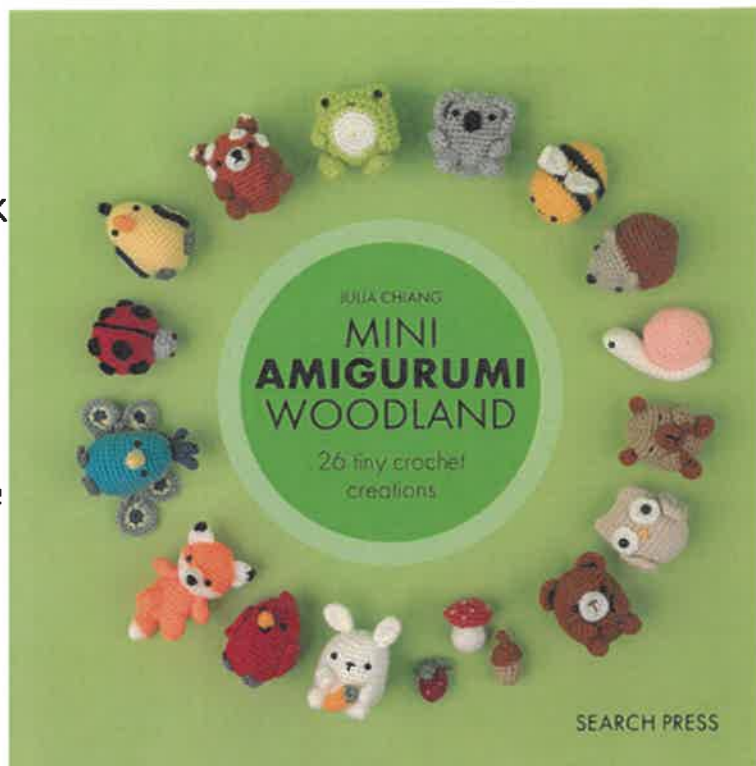
The practical, pocket-sized manual that every knitter needs, from Morgane Mathieu of popular knitting blog 'Trust the Mojo'.

From casting on to casting off, The Knitting Companion is your indispensable guide to mastering the art of knitting. This comprehensive mini guide is packed with clear instructions and beautiful photographs, making it perfect for both beginners and experienced knitters. This gorgeous little book contains tips, techniques and trusted advice on everything from reading a yarn label and choosing your needles to adapting a pattern and picking up stitches. Whether you are knitting your first project or your fiftieth, this comprehensive mini guide is a treasure trove of knowledge, perfect for dipping in and out of for quick reference.





26 adorable woodland creatures to crochet, from squishable frogs and foxes to super-cute bunnies and bees. Perfect for beginners, this simple book uses only a handful of stitches and contains clear, easy-to-follow instructions to get you started. Using only tiny amounts of yarn, but bursting with character and fun, these adorable amigurumi makes will bust your stash and melt your heart! Simply follow the short illustrated techniques section to create a whole forest filled with sweet furry friends, leaves, acorns and flowers!



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Create 2 super-cute amigurumi animals using this complete kit from best-selling crochet designer Sarah Abbondio. The perfect gift for crafters, this all-in-one kit contains the yarn, tools and patterns needed for 2 of Sarah's most popular designs (a cheeky elephant and jolly octopus), plus 2 bonus patterns to enjoy (a sweet turtle and colourful peacock). Suitable even for complete beginners, with all the key techniques included with the patterns in a handy booklet.

2 popular, adorable animals to crochet: features 2 of Sarah Abbondio's most popular animals from her beloved, quarter-million-selling series (the elephant and octopus), plus 2 bonus patterns (turtle and peacock).

The perfect gift for amigurumi fans: this all-in-one box of cute has everything you need to get started, including all the necessary yarn, a hook, a needle, four safety eyes, a stitch counter and plenty of toy filling.

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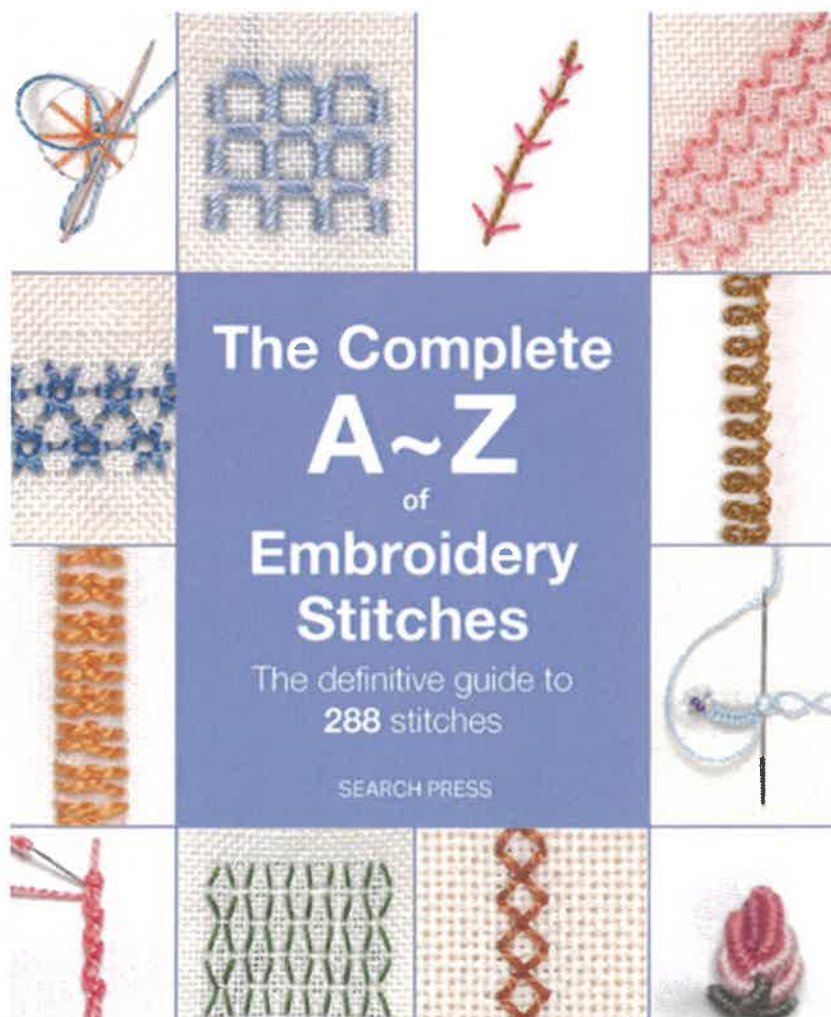
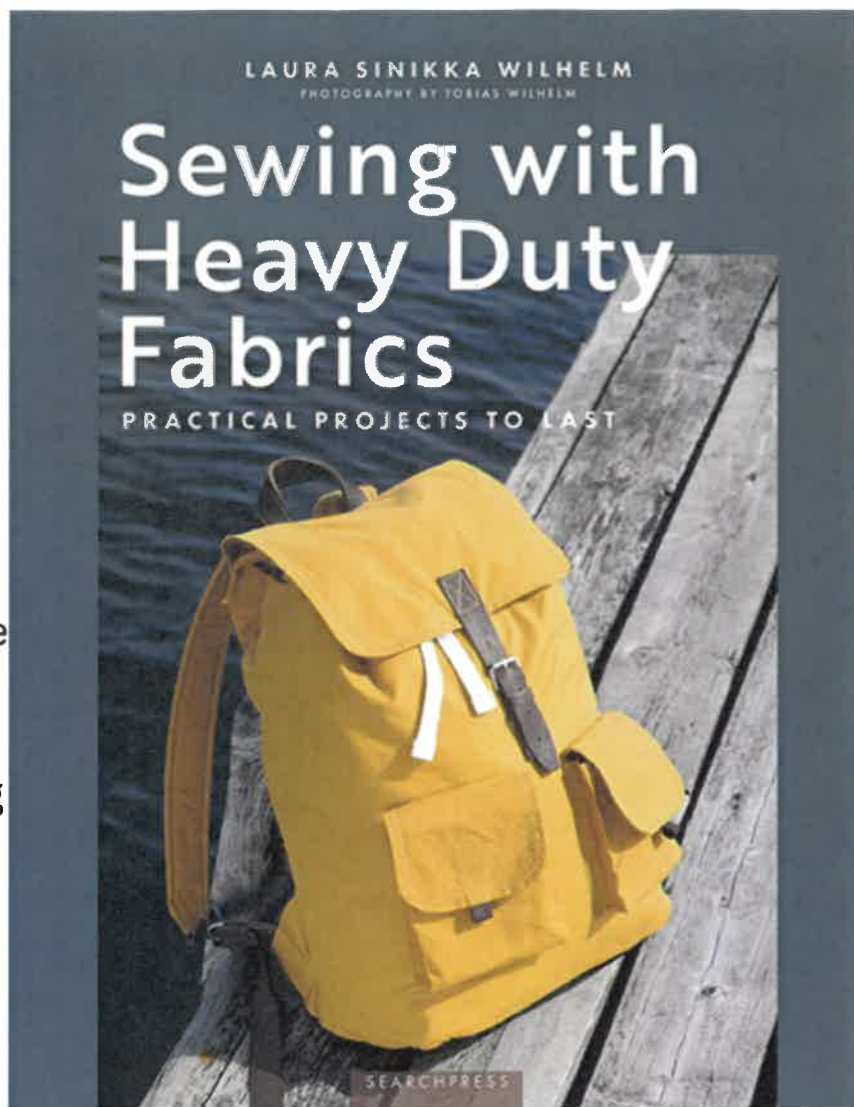
Discover 18 contemporary, unisex sewing projects made from heavy duty fabrics that are stylish, practical and designed to last a lifetime.

Every project in this stunning book features heavy duty fabrics, including canvas, waxed cotton, leather and upholstery-weight: fabrics that are functional but elegant, age gracefully, acquire character in the process, and can be used and loved for a lifetime.

Contained within are all the techniques needed, explained using clear, simple steps



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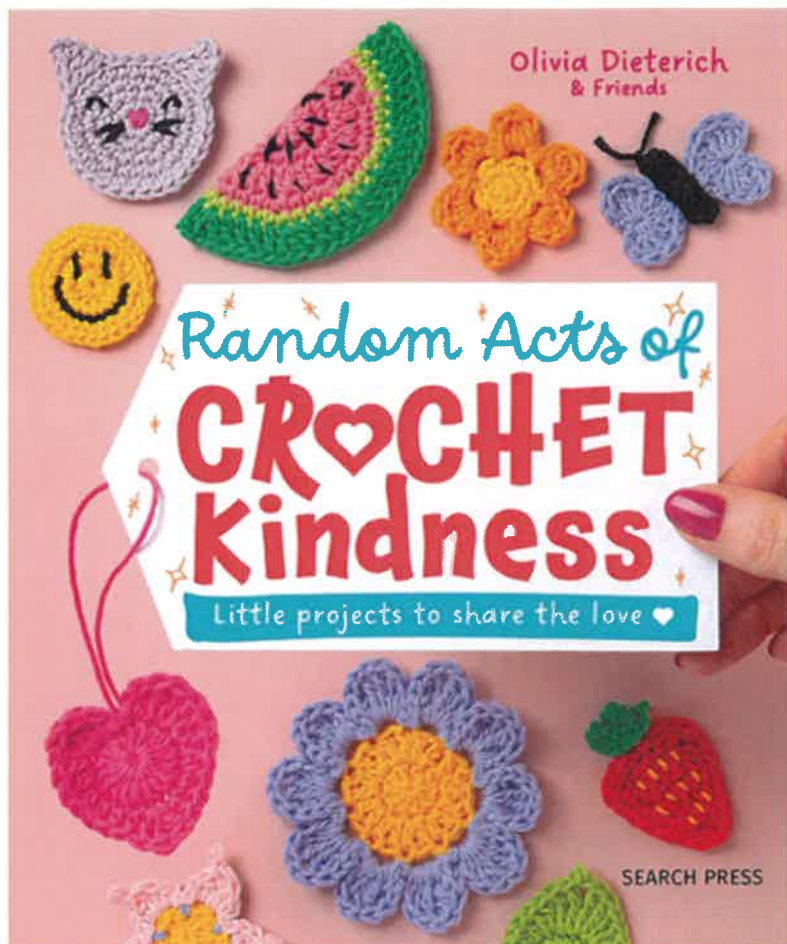


The must-have stitch dictionary for every embroiderer. Over 280 essential embroidery stitches curated from the best-selling A-Z of Embroidery Stitches books, from the expert team at Inspirations Studios. Learn to work over 280 embroidery stitches, for the beginner through to the advanced embroiderer, with this comprehensive step-by-step stitch dictionary.

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Discover the worldwide movement spreading kindness and love through the power of crochet!

Create 25 sweet and simple crocheted items to label with love and place in your local community, ready to brighten someone else's day.

Random Acts of Crochet Kindness (RAOCK) has a simple purpose: create something special and then leave it out in the world for someone else to pick up and enjoy. These tiny acts of everyday magic have captivated fans worldwide - the #RandomActsOfCrochetKindness hashtag has been used by countless people sharing their testimonies of being touched by the thoughtfulness of strangers.

Gnomes sweet gnomes! 20 colourful crocheted gnomes to make, gift and love, from best-selling author Val Pierce.

Welcome to Val Pierce's world of amigurumi gnomes to crochet!

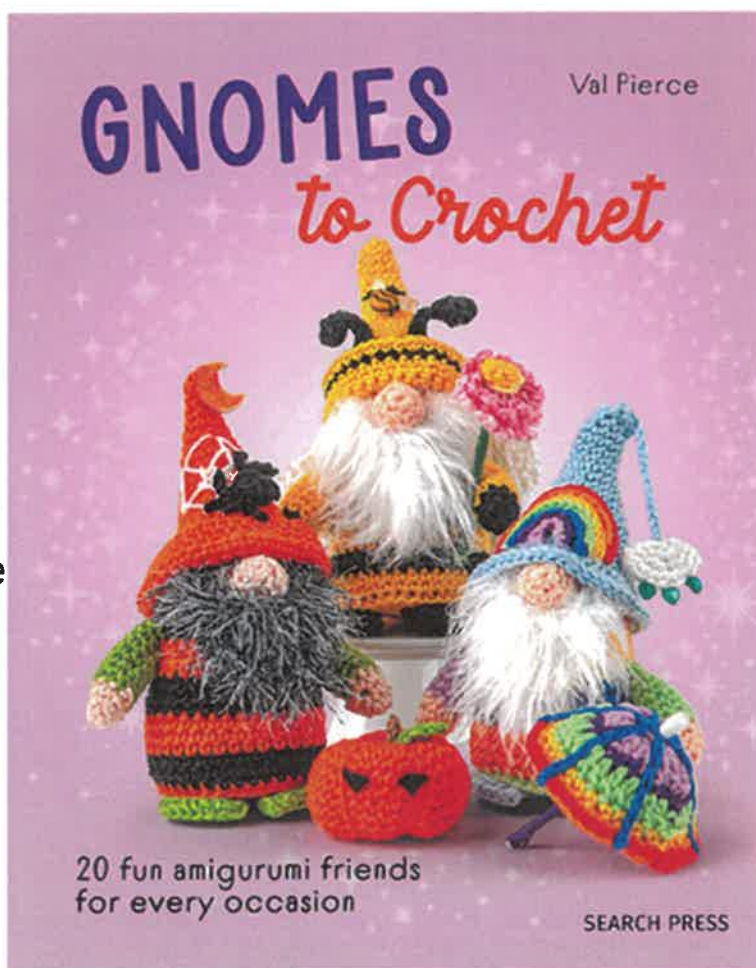
Beginner-friendly, whimsical and bursting at the seams with fun, these adorable gnomes are brilliant stash-busters and make thoughtful gifts your loved ones will cherish.

With an average height of between 14 and 16.5cm (5.5-6.5in), plus the smaller keyring and larger pillow projects, these friendly little gnomes are the perfect way to make use of your yarn stash.

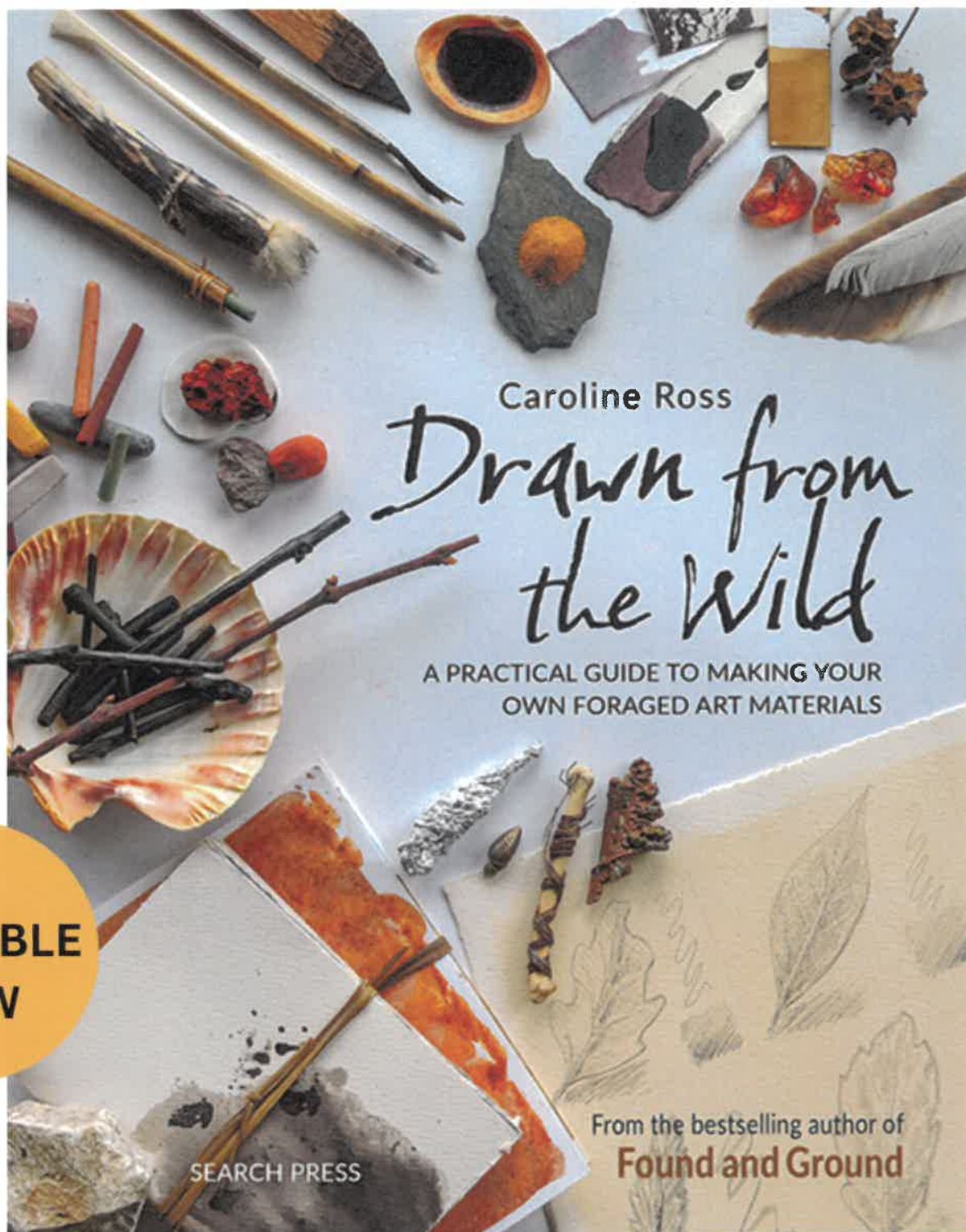


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'If you love culture, but know in your bones you are also part of nature, like me, you'll want to make your art practice more ecologically sound and sustainable.' - Caroline Ross

This stunning, practical book, sequel to the best-selling *Found and Ground*, contains both ancient and modern techniques for 'rewilding' your art practice. With hands-on advice and simple, step-by-step instruction, artist and author Caroline Ross shows you how to create beautiful, useful art supplies from wild and ancient materials – whether those materials are foraged, natural, discarded or repurposed.

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OVER 100 COLOUR MIXES

# THE COLOUR MIXING GUIDE WATERCOLOUR SEASHORE

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Create over 100 vibrant watercolour mixes and paint a range of inspiring seashore subjects including shells, seaweed, plants and fish with award-winning artist and colour-mixing guru, Julie Collins.

This colourful, practical book features 15 vibrant and varied coastal subjects including mussel shells, coral weed, sea grass, sardines and a blue jellyfish. All 15 subjects feature a complete list of colour mixes used with colour ratios and finished swatches for inspiration, and five of the subjects are painted step by step so that you can follow the process of selecting colours, mixing and painting from start to finish.

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The complete beginner's guide to watercolour painting outdoors, with 8 seasonal step-by-step projects, hands-on exercises and practical advice from expert watercolour teacher, Grahame Booth. In this guide to painting en plein air with watercolours, expert teacher Grahame Booth provides a complete introduction to painting outdoors, from preparing your kit and planning your painting session to getting the most out of your environment, light and subject. Structured seasonally with numerous exercises and 8 complete step-by-step projects, all painted en plein air, and infused with Grahame's friendly, encouraging teaching style.



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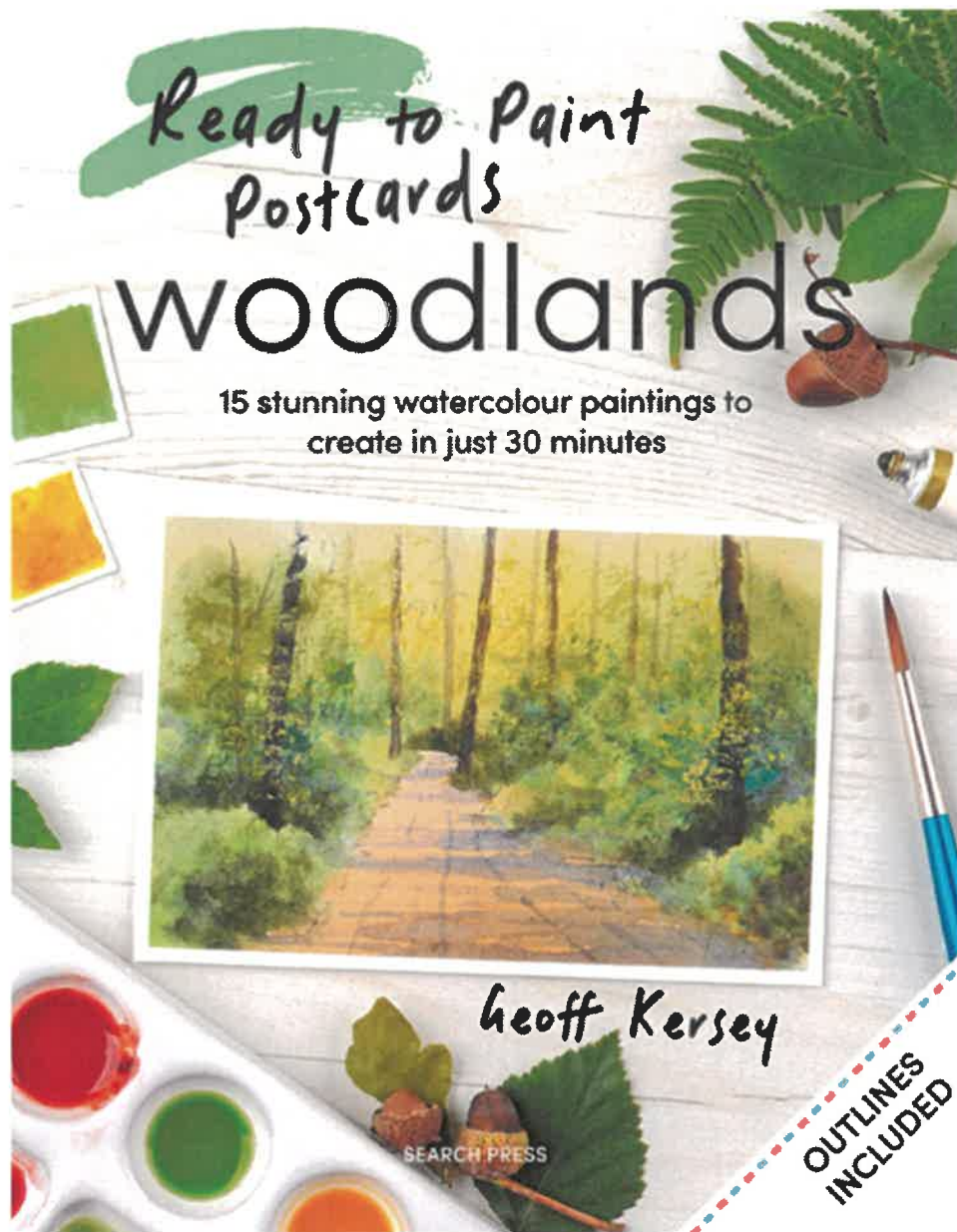
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# PLEIN AIR PAINTING WITH WATERCOLOURS

A practical and inspirational  
guide to painting outdoors

Grahame Booth





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Learn to paint pocket-sized woodland watercolour scenes in 15 half-hour lessons with best-selling author and trusted Watercolour teacher Geoff Kersey.

Fast, fun results, with full-size templates!

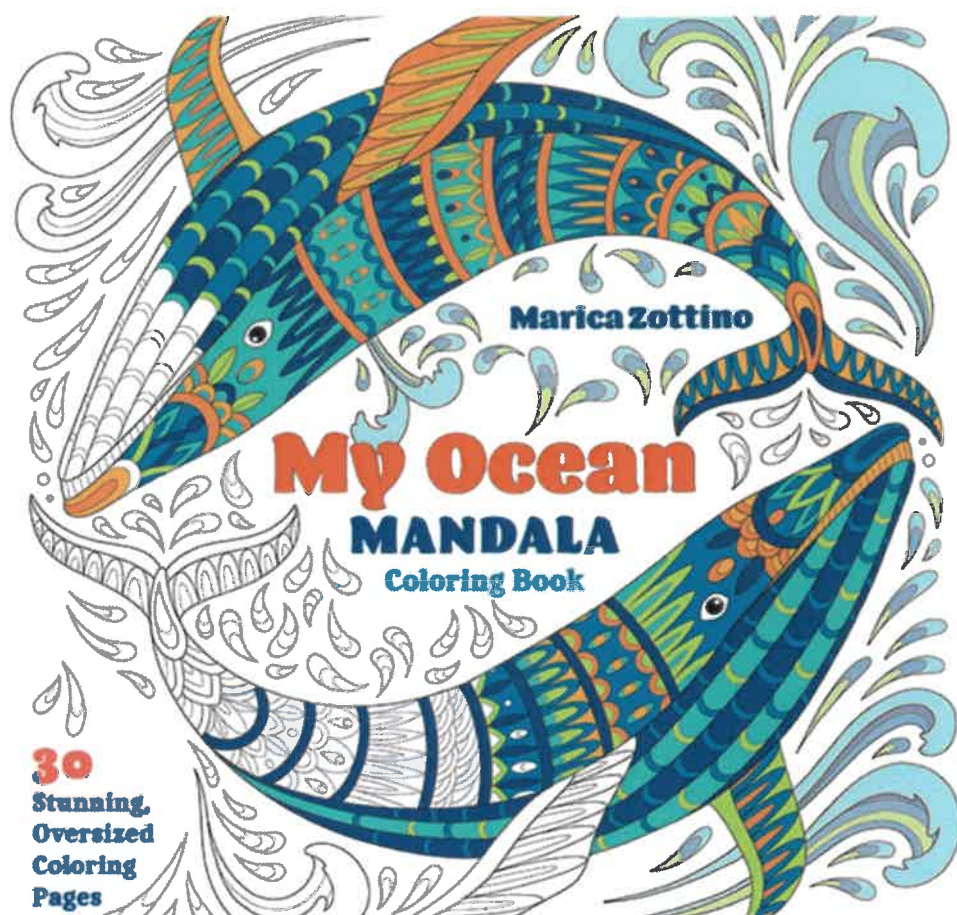
Within this inspiring, practical book are full instructions for 15 small but perfectly formed landscape paintings themed around trees and woodlands.

The 30-minute paintings are all worked at postcard size – ideal for a 6 x 4in (A6) Watercolour pad - and simple outline drawings are provided for those who are less confident at drawing.





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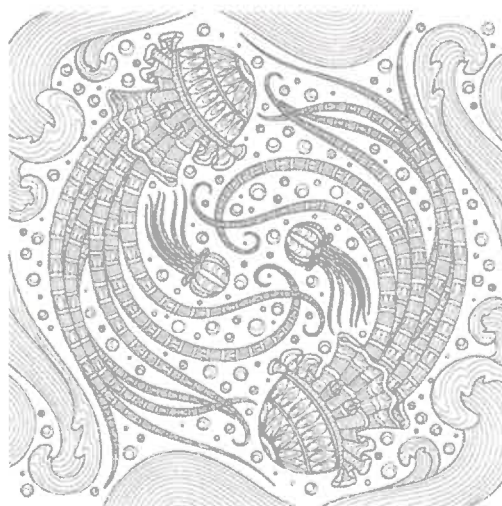
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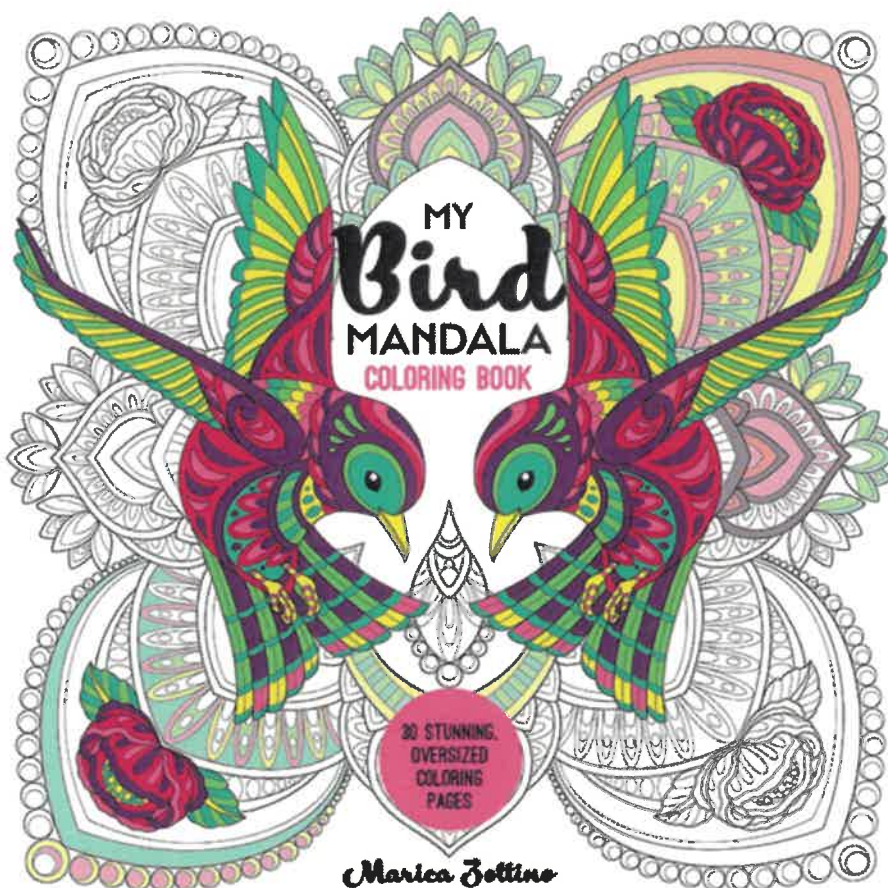
Ocean and sea creature lovers will delight in this intricate coloring book featuring beautiful, full-page, illustrated mandala-style designs with whales, turtles, crabs, and other sea life motifs! The oversized pages (11.5" x 11.5") showcase detailed mandala designs.





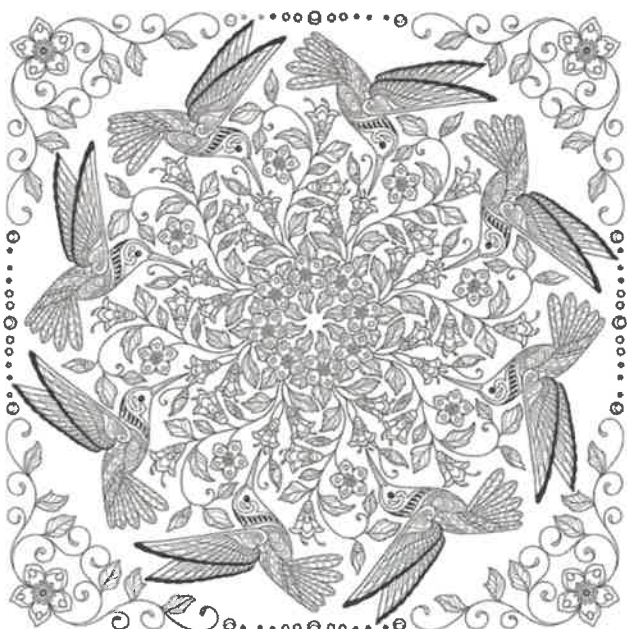
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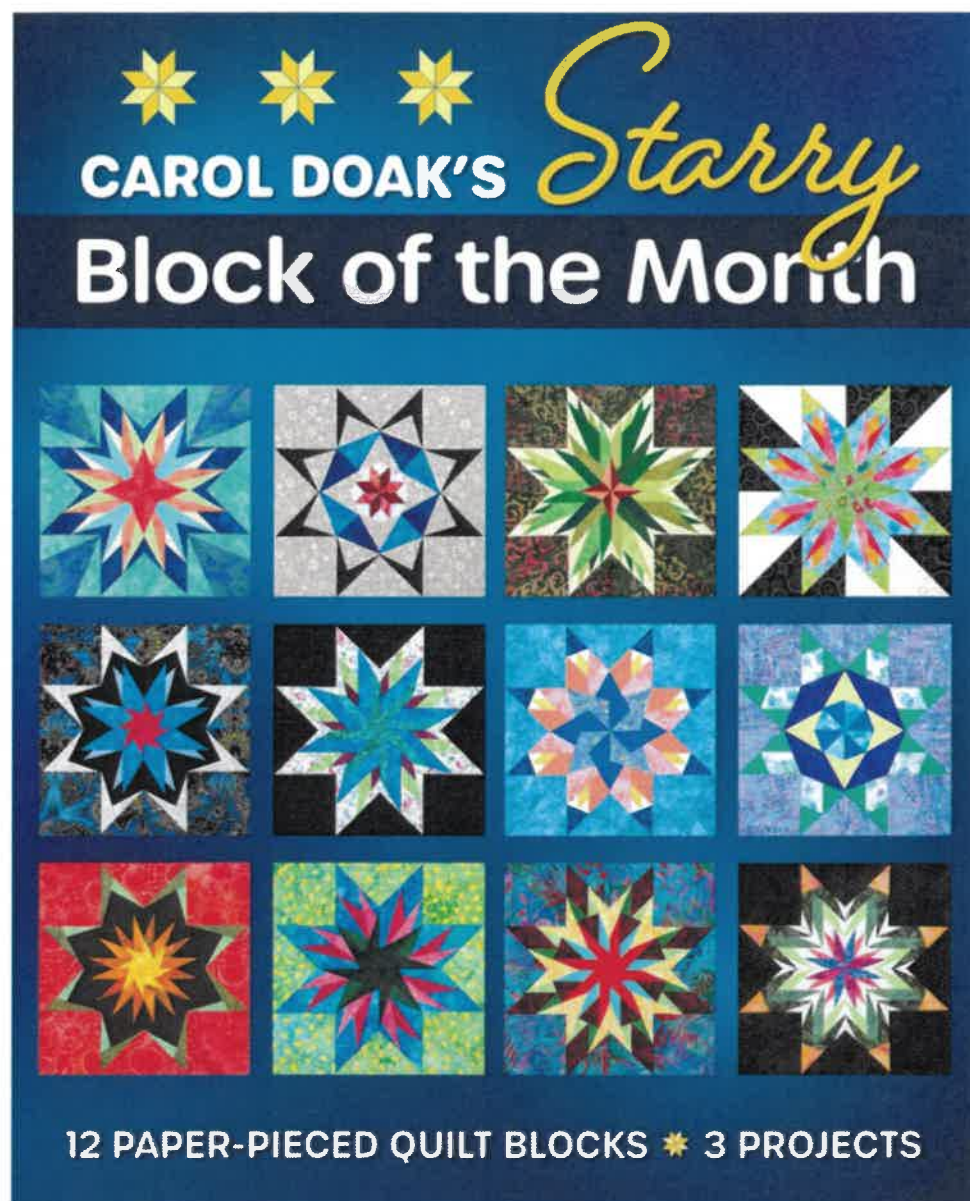
Bird lovers will delight in this intricate coloring book featuring beautiful, full-page, illustrated mandala-style designs with hummingbirds, flamingos, parakeets, and bird motifs! The oversized pages (11.5" x 11.5") showcase dazzling, complex mandala designs.





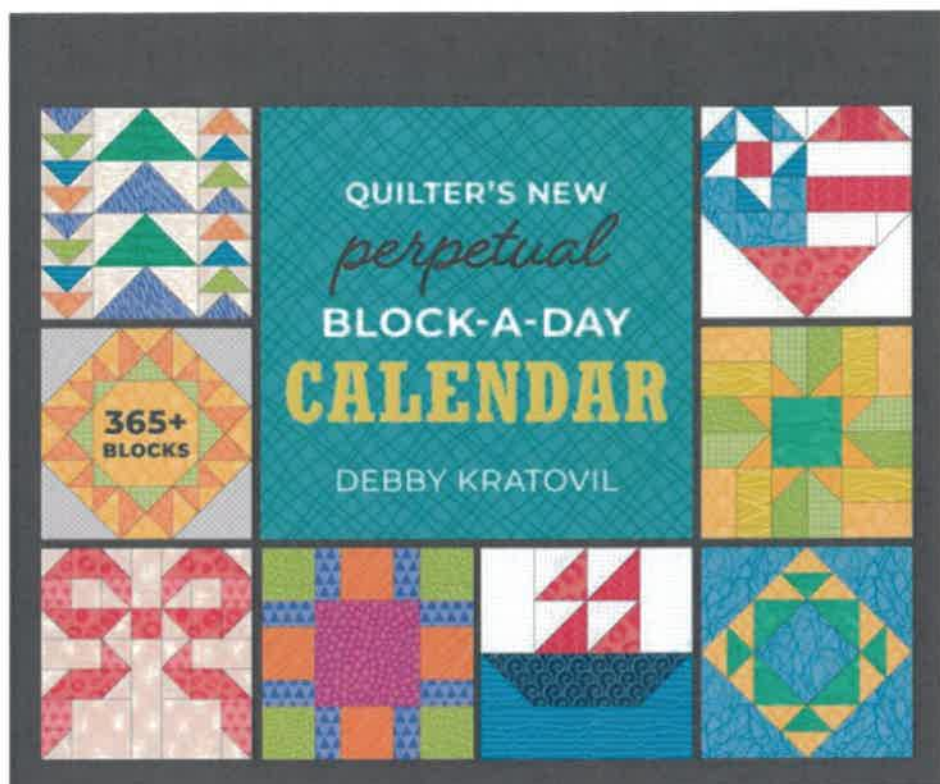


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Paper piece perfection with Carol Doak's 12 Block of the Month stars! Paper piece stars like never before with Carol Doak's 12 star Block of the Month! This booklet offers a curated introduction to paper piecing, featuring Carol's expert instructions and a delightful selection of stars for each month. Mix and match the stars to suit your style, perfect for creating beautiful table runners and sampler quilts.

Learn from best-selling author, inspiring teacher, and the Queen of Paper Piecing, Carol Doak. This booklet is great for beginners, offering a quick introduction to paper piecing with Carol's stunning star blocks, just what you need to get started. Use the 12 stars as a block-of-the-month challenge for yourself, your quilting circle, or your guild!



Daily quilt blocks to spark your creativity!

Stay inspired all year with Debby Kratovil's perpetual quilt block calendar, featuring a unique block pattern every day! This clever calendar ensures you'll never run out of ideas, providing endless possibilities for your quilting projects. Enjoy full-color block illustrations for daily inspiration.

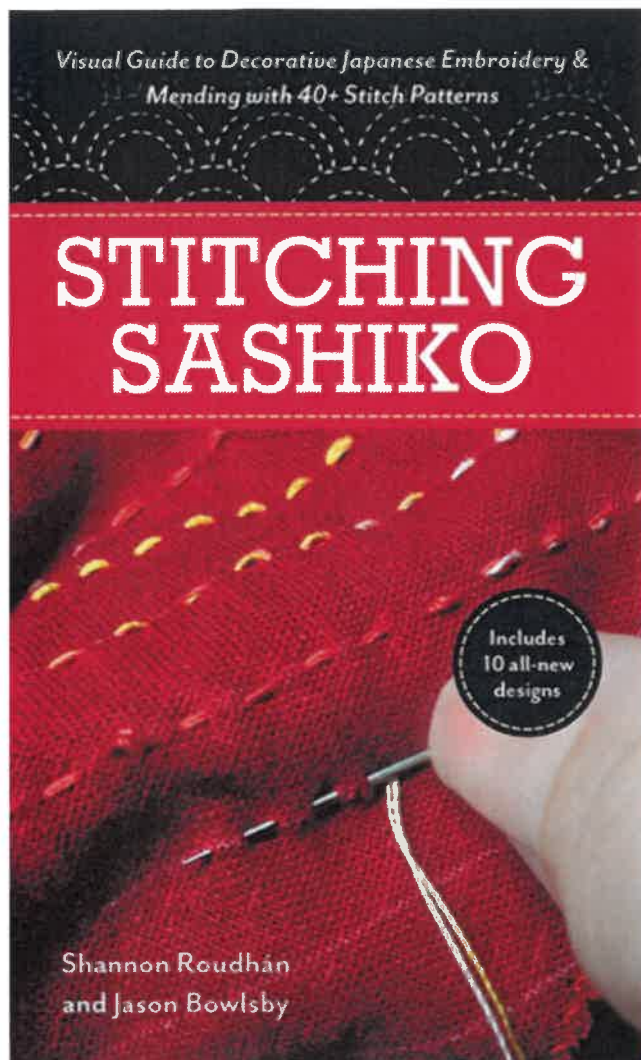
Includes cutting information for every block, ensuring beautiful and successful results every time. Sturdy spiral binding with a stand keeps this calendar looking great through all your quilting adventures every year



Conquer your serger in just 21 days!  
In 21 days, you will learn how to use your serger confidently, learning threading, tension adjustment, various stitches, and more! Get to know your serger and discover the different needles, fabrics, threads, feet, basic stitches, and beyond. Each day brings a new assignment, building your skills step-by-step. By the end of the 21 days, you'll be an expert at using your serger and ready to tackle your own projects!







Shannon Leigh Roudhán and Jason Bowlsby guide you with step-by-step instructions and vivid photos, covering basic techniques and 40+ sashiko stitch patterns.

Explore the artistry of sashiko, where each stitch tells a story of tradition and creativity. Originally used for mending and reinforcing garments, sashiko has evolved into a decorative stitching style cherished worldwide.

Shannon Leigh Roudhán and Jason Bowlsby guide you with step-by-step instructions and vivid photos, covering basic techniques and 40+ sashiko stitch patterns. Explore hitomezashi and moyouzashi to enhance your sashiko skills with their expert tips and favorite tools.

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Beloved artist and fabric designer Rashida Coleman-Hale returns with an exciting and brand-new collection of 20+ stylish zakka projects.

Each project serves a dual purpose, fusing functionality with timeless elegance and offering the perfect means to elevate your lifestyle with a modern flair. The contemporary color palette and chic handmade aesthetic will effortlessly guide you through the projects as you create quilts, home décor items, kitchen essentials, stylish bags, and more. Discover the joy of crafting zakka projects that serve a practical purpose while enhancing your lifestyle and living space.

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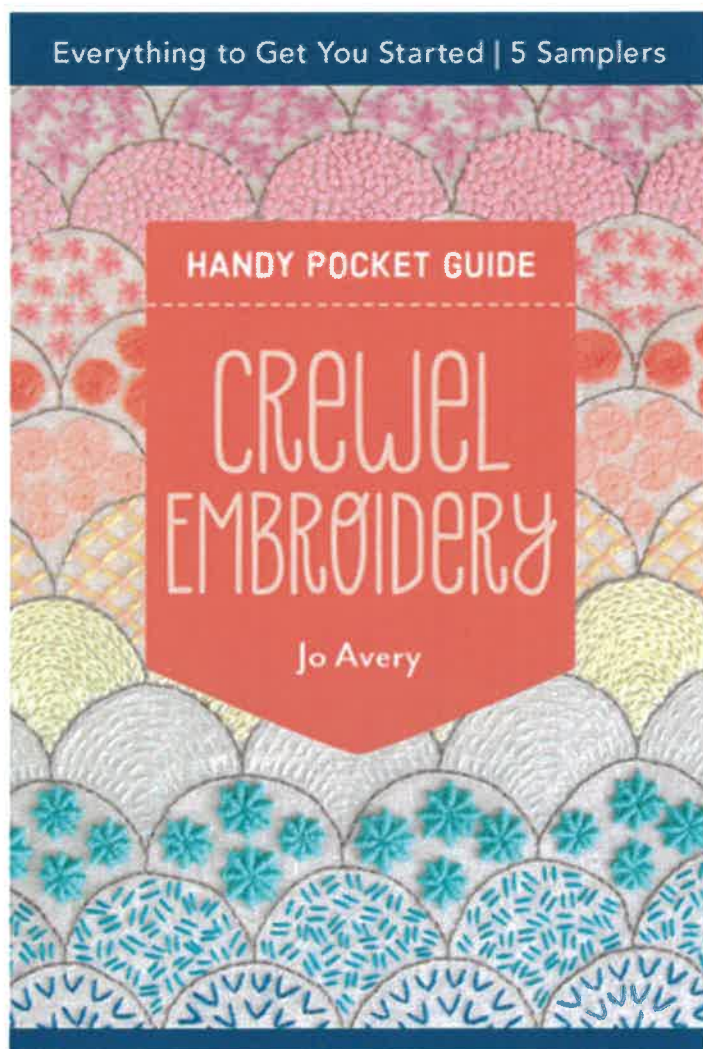




With the English Paper Piecing Handy Pocket Guide, you will have everything you need to get sewing. This compact, take-anywhere guide provides everything you need to dive into this beautiful craft, perfect for both seasoned EPP enthusiasts and beginners. With step-by-step instructions, advice on essential tools and materials, illustrated techniques, and expert tips from Becky Goldsmith, it's the ultimate companion to keep your creativity flowing. Portable, inspiring, and packed with patterns, it's designed to make mastering EPP fun and accessible wherever you go!



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Explore the vibrant world of modern crewel embroidery with the Crewel Embroidery Handy Pocket Guide! This handy guide is your essential companion for exploring this timeless craft, reimagined with a contemporary twist. Designed to fit effortlessly in your pocket, it's perfect for crafting on the go – whether you're traveling, commuting, or unwinding at home.

With its engaging insights and step-by-step techniques, this guide empowers you to embrace creativity wherever you are. Enjoy the dynamic fusion of traditional crewel work and modern aesthetics, allowing you to craft stunning pieces that reflect your unique style.

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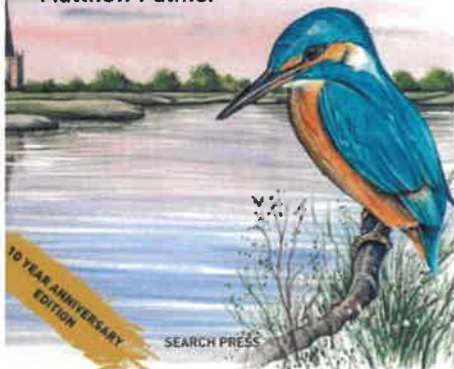
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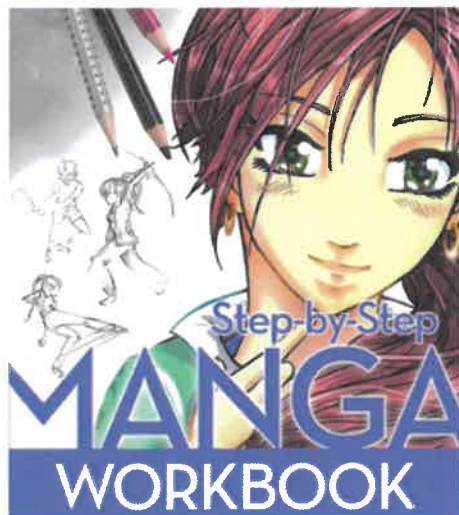
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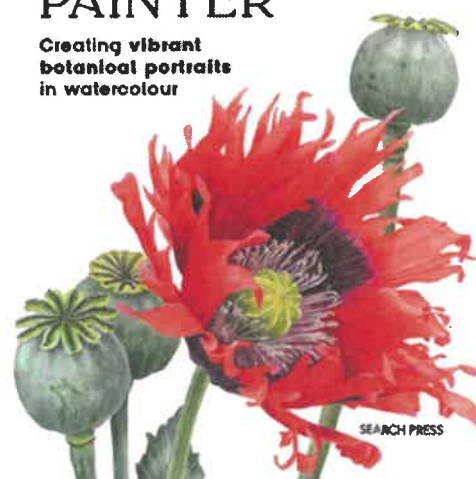
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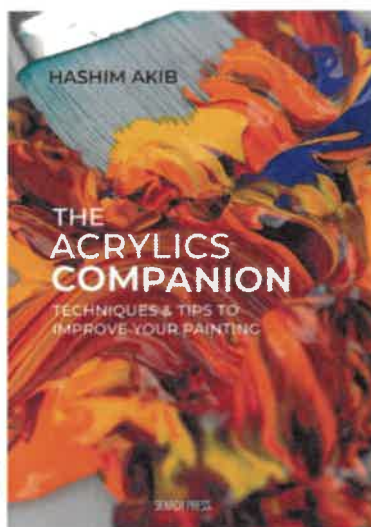
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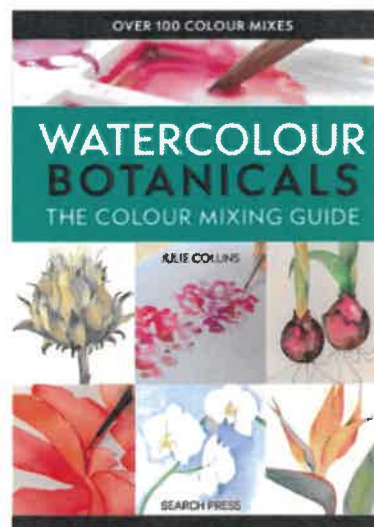


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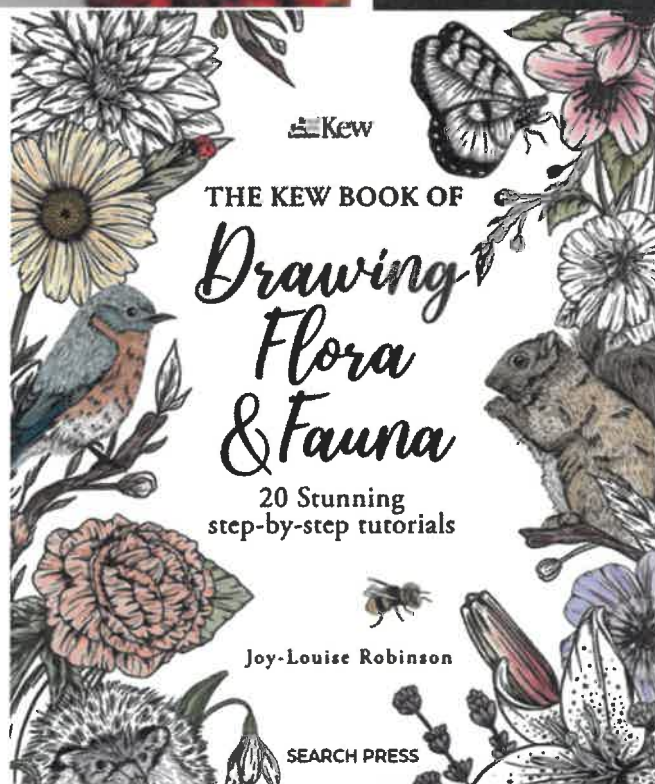
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