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A group of seven knitted gnomes of various colors and designs, including striped, solid, and patterned hats and beards, standing in a forest setting with fallen leaves. The gnomes are arranged in a cluster, with some taller than others. The background is a dark, textured rock face.

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20 gorgeous, quick-to-knit scarf designs from best-selling author, Monica Russel.

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Monica Russel is a best-selling Search Press author with nearly 100,000 books sold throughout the world. She runs a knitting business through her website [www.theknitknacks.co.uk](http://www.theknitknacks.co.uk), and she designs all her own patterns and knitting kits, which use only natural fibres. She attends many craft and knitting fairs and has had numerous patterns featured in knitting magazines and books.



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This book is a redesigned re-issue of Mini Knitted Farmyard, 2018.



Sachiyo Ishii was born and raised in Japan. She has authored a number of best-selling titles for Search Press and her work regularly appears in knitting magazines. Sachiyo lives in Sussex, UK with her husband and two sons.





# MY GRANNY SQUARE WARDROBE

Stunning Designs to Crochet and Wear

Sam Sabido

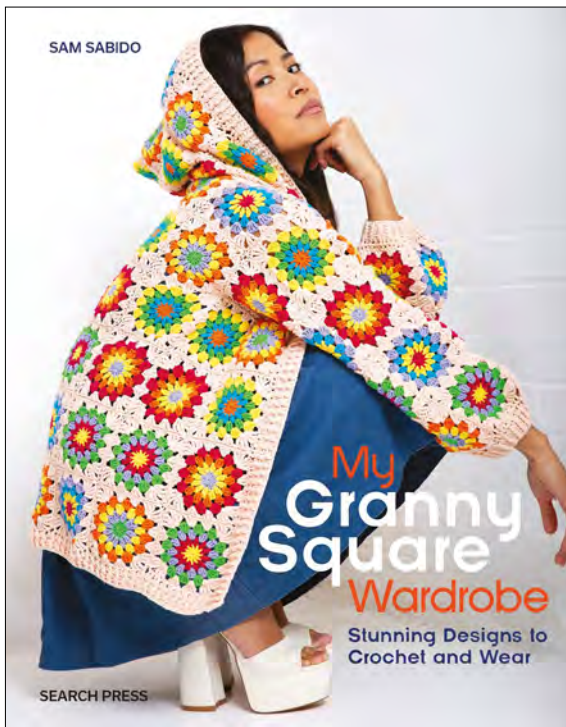
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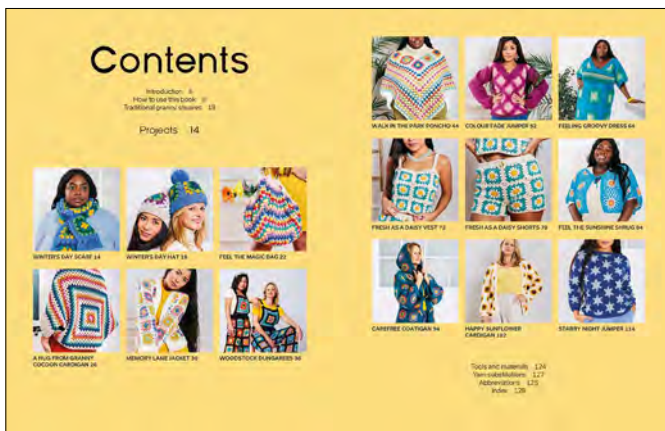


**Crochet your own colorful collection of 15 granny-square garments and accessories and turn simple shapes into stylish makes!**

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- » Author Sam Sabido is a crochet tutor and designer, appears on Yarn Lane TV, and well-liked for her easy-to-follow patterns, with over 22k Instagram followers
- » US crochet terminology is used, with a handy UK conversion chart.

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**Sam Sabido** is a mum of four, collector of all things vintage, and loves to share her enjoyment of crochet with others. She was a qualified teacher for 10 years before setting up her own business teaching crochet and designing patterns. Sam quickly developed a large following of regular customers, teaching crochet at yarn shops and fairs, in her own studio and online. She now runs regular crochet clubs, classes and retreats at local venues and online. Sam sells her patterns, as well as supplying crochet kits of her own designs to Yarn Lane TV. She also works as a crochet designer for [www.hobbii.com](http://www.hobbii.com) and [Simply Crochet](http://Simply Crochet). Sam lives in Hertfordshire, UK, with her husband and children. This is her first book.





# THE GRANNY SQUARE CARD DECK

50 mix and match designs

Claire Montgomerie

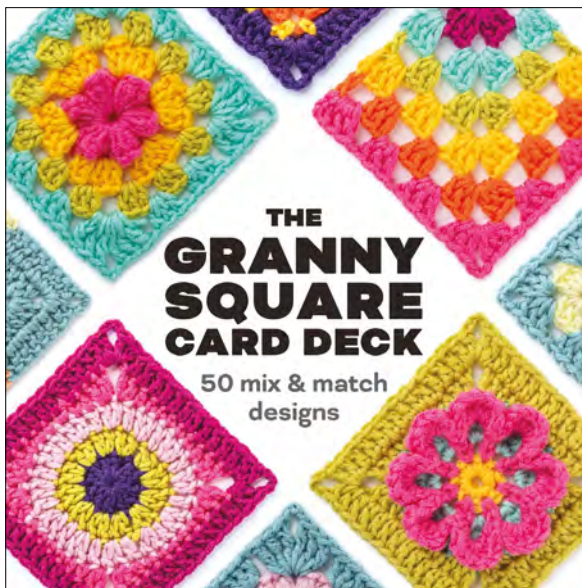
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General merchandise • 4x4 Box, 50 cards + 32 page booklet



Innovative and completely visual, this card deck of 50 gorgeous grannies will help you create successful colorways and design combinations every time you pick up your hook.

- » The sturdy, stylish box contains 50 colorful cards. On the front of each 10 x 10cm (4 x 4in) card is a color photograph of the granny square. Lay out the cards to mix, match and create your own design combinations then flip them over to find the instructional crochet chart and joining instructions
- » Includes a 32-page booklet, which contains a step-by-step guide to reading crochet charts, with five side-by-side examples of pattern and chart instructions to get you started
- » Discover advice on choosing yarns and hooks, two different methods for joining your squares together, and guidance on achieving successful color combinations
- » With 50 designs to choose from and customise, this fun and versatile card deck is the ideal gift for any crocheter, perfect for on-the-go crochet and inspirational for visual learners.

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Claire Montgomerie is a textiles designer specialising in crochet and knitting. She has written many books on these topics, and also styles and edits the UK craft magazine *Inside Crochet*. Claire lives in Cambridgeshire.



# BELLA COCO'S CROCHET STITCH LIBRARY

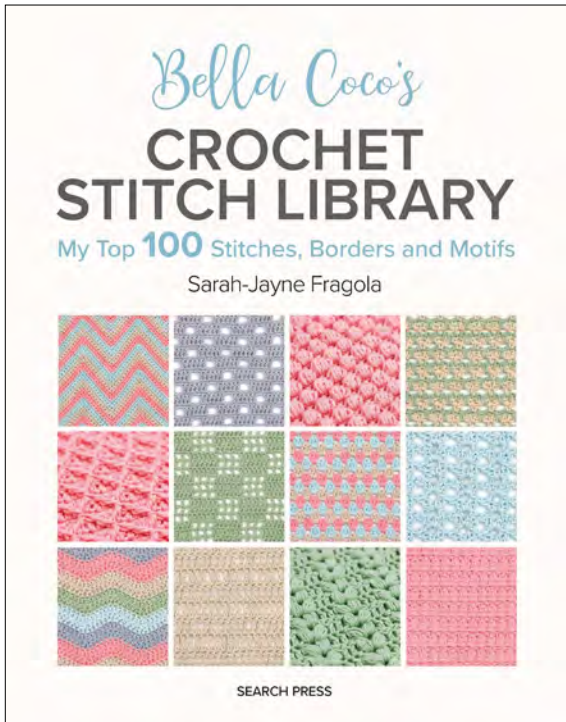
My Top 100 Stitches, Borders and Motifs

Sarah-Jayne Fragola

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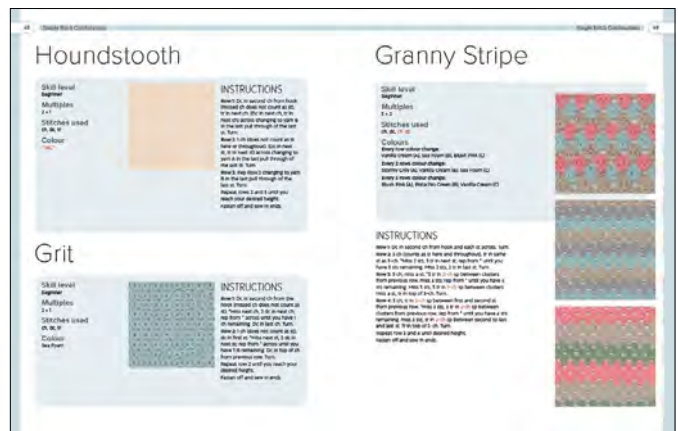


A beautiful directory of 100+ stitch patterns plus 3 gorgeous projects from best-selling author, crochet teacher and YouTuber, Bella Coco.

- » A gorgeous collection of stitch-pattern swatches, from basic to textures stitches
- » This is an invaluable book for crocheters of all levels to have, and is a classic that can be picked up and read over and over
- » Includes written instructions (with both UK and US terms) on starting the stitch, how to work the repeat and how to finish off
- » To demonstrate how versatile and beautiful these stitches can be, Sarah-Jayne has created 3 stunning projects that feature a collection of stitches in the library.

Also by the author:

You Can Crochet with Bella Coco 9781782219453



*Sarah-Jayne Fragola is the creator of Bella Coco Crochet and a well-known crochet designer. She started her blog in 2011, where she shares her passion for teaching people to crochet. Since then, she has created numerous tutorials to help crocheters build their skills. Sarah-Jayne has more than 14.5 million subscribers on YouTube alone, and a huge following across @bellacococrochet social media. She lives in Nottingham, UK, with her husband and two daughters.*





# BELLA COCO'S CROCHET STITCH CARD DECK

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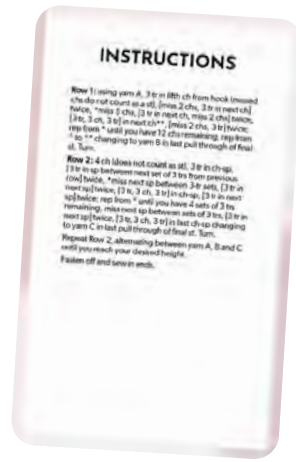
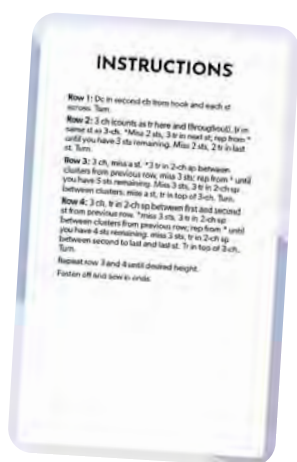
Create 50 gorgeous crochet stitches, wherever you are, with this stylish on-the-go card deck. The perfect gift crochet lovers will get hooked on!

- » An essential library of 50 different crochet stitch patterns, for confident beginners upwards looking for pattern inspiration
- » Sarah-Jayne's Bella Coco channel has over 1.45M subscribers, and her "HOW TO CROCHET FOR ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS" video has had over 13M views. In addition, to date her first book (You Can Crochet with Bella Coco) has sold over 25,500 copies worldwide, including foreign language editions
- » The card deck makes a wonderful gift and the ideal tool for crochet lovers
- » Crochet has exploded in popularity since lockdown. There are over 51M IG posts with #crochet and over 9M posts with #crochetaddict.

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# KNITWEAR FROM FINLAND

Stunning Nordic designs for clothing and accessories

Minna Metsänen & Linda Permanto

Based on designs by Niina Laitinen

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A stylish and cozy collection of 21 stunning garments to knit, based on the timeless designs of Niina Laitinen.

- » This gorgeous volume houses easy-to-follow instructions for a range of garments, with stunning, high-end photographs of the pieces for reference and inspiration
- » Inspired by the best in Scandinavian design, the sumptuous garments and accessories are very on trend
- » The patterns, ideal for confident knitters and adapted by Novita Yarns' talented designers, Minna Metsänen and Linda Permanto, are created in up to six sizes each, and feature all the charts, sizing diagrams.

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Niina Laitinen is one of the most popular knitting designers in Finland. She taught herself to knit in 2005 when her first child was born. Her first book was published in 2018, and her works have been translated into German, French, Estonian, Norwegian, Danish and English – including Knitted Socks and Knitted Socks from Finland. More of Niina's designs can be seen on her website at [www.niinalaitinendesigns.com](http://www.niinalaitinendesigns.com)

Minna Metsänen is the knitwear designer behind some of the most beloved knitting patterns in Finland. Minna's path in the handicraft industry has led her to designing knitwear at Novita, the largest yarn manufacturer and one of the leading handmade knitwear design houses in the Nordic countries. With decades of experience in the field, Minna is particularly renowned for her eye-catching colorwork and expertly crafted cable designs.



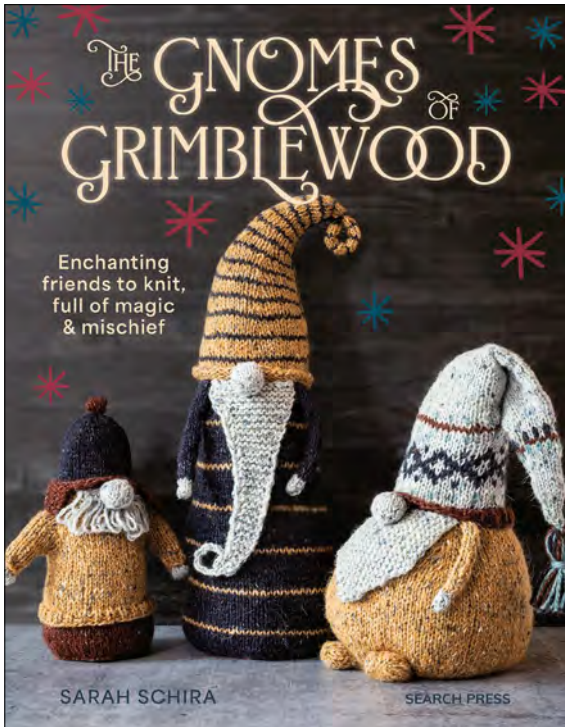


# THE GNOMES OF GRIMBLEWOOD

Enchanting friends to knit, full of magic and mischief  
 Sarah Schira

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9/17/2024 • 9781800922020 • \$21.95 / \$25.95 CAN  
 Trade Paperback • 8 x 10-1/4 • 96 pages



Discover 8 enchanting little gnomes to knit, from popular knitting designer and gnome enthusiast, Sarah Schira.

- » Discover all the materials and notions you need, as well as all the necessary know-how, including how to block, stuff and assemble your gnomes to create their distinct personalities.
- » Each gnome has their own distinguishing features: choose from hats with earflaps, cablework, tassels or whimsical curled tips; knit outfits with colorwork details, stripes or cabling; create majestic beards with corkscrew curls or delicate loops, or even add some beard pockets!
- » Thanks to their sizes, these gnomes can be made in very little time – ideal for speedy gift-making!

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*“Once upon a time, there was a knitter who loved gnomes. She was always cold and couldn’t understand why she was knitting and knitting (and knitting) gnomes rather than cardigans. All she knew was that as she stitched on the beard and the gnome popped into life, complete with a personality and a life history, she would instantly wonder about doing it again.”*

**Sarah Schira** is a knitting designer who loves gnomes. A lot. Her gnome patterns on her Ravelry shop and own website have sold in their thousands, and she has an adoring gnome-loving following across multiple platforms – she has over 22,000 followers on Instagram alone. To her delight, many knitters have joined her hashtag, #nevernotgnoming.

When Sarah’s not knitting gnomes, she’s working on knitting accessories for everyday adventures, filming knitting tutorials for her YouTube channel, and recording her podcast with her sister Katie that covers their favourite patterns, tea, knitting events and – you guessed it – gnomes.






# BLOCK-BY-BLOCK BLANKETS AND AFGHANS

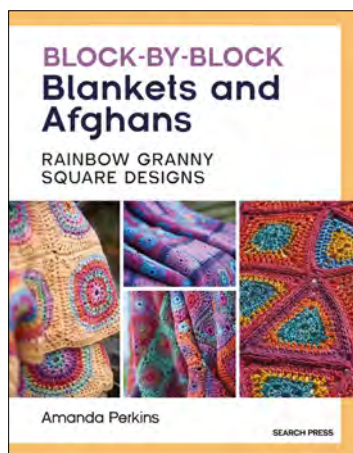
Rainbow granny square designs to crochet

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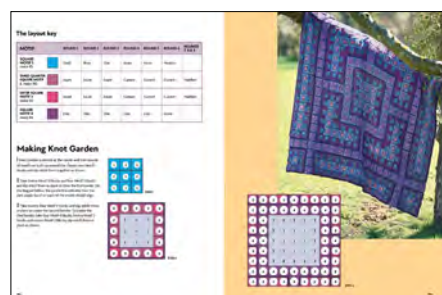
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This riotously colorful book contains illustrated block-by-block guides to creating ten stunning blankets, with color variations for twenty more.

- » A step on from the humble granny square, this book takes a range of gorgeous crocheted motifs and uses them as the building blocks for gorgeous afghans, blankets and throws
- » Each project contains both crochet charts and written instructions; US crochet terms are used throughout, with a handy conversion table given on the book's flap.



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Amanda Perkins designs and crochets her own blankets, shawls and scarves, and her patterns can be found on Etsy and Ravelry. She has her own blog: [amandascrochetblog.blogspot.co.uk](http://amandascrochetblog.blogspot.co.uk), and she regularly self-publishes her designs, which she sells via her website and at shows and exhibitions throughout the UK.

## TUNISIAN CROCHET

Gorgeous designs to wear for all seasons

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17 stunning Tunisian crochet garment designs, from breezy summer tops to cozy winter jackets, to see you through the year.

- » Explore 17 exquisite patterns, ranging from elegant jerseys and summer tops to flattering skirts, sweaters and cardigans
- » Each design is thoughtfully curated to cater to various tastes and preferences; and the models themselves are diverse. Inclusive sizing means that everyone can partake in the joy of Tunisian crochet
- » Stunning photography and clearly labelled patterns provide both inspiration and guidance to the reader.



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Tunisian Crochet Stitch Dictionary 9781800921269

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Helle Kampp Mathorne has been involved in needlework and handicrafts all her life; she learned to embroider and knit when she was five years old, and was sewing her own clothes when she was 14. Since 1994, when she became a handicraft teacher, she has worked professionally, both in fabric and yarn, designing and teaching workshops. Through her company, Kampp Design, Helle has worked for a number of years as a freelance designer for handicraft magazines, designing knitting, crochet and Tunisian crochet patterns. Helle lives in Farum, near Copenhagen in Denmark.

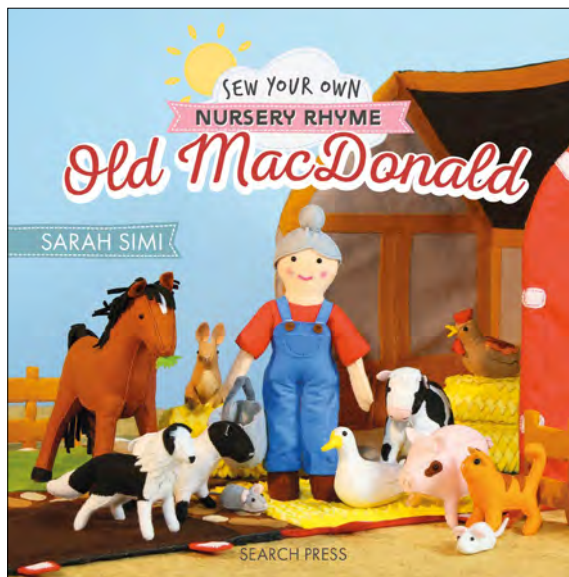


# SEW YOUR OWN NURSERY RHYME: OLD MACDONALD

Sarah Simi & Little Woolly Vision

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Bring this beloved nursery rhyme to life in tactile, easy-to-sew felt!

- » From a playful pig and a cheerful chicken to Old MacDonal herself, this fun play set also includes a fold-out farmhouse for playing with and storing the characters!
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This book is brought to you by the successful team behind the multi-award winning, stop-motion animation company Little Woolly Vision. The book was created by writer and designer **Sarah Simi** and animator **Ed Hartwell**, along with **Leanne Bell**, a freelance crafter who has worked with them on many of their projects.

**Sarah** makes lots of the puppets and sets for the Little Woolly Vision animations. She is also a knitter extraordinaire and the creator, director and producer of Nudinits, the world's first all-knitted animation, which has also resulted in four best-selling Nudinits books (visit nudinits.com). Sarah lives in Florida, USA.

**Ed** is an experienced filmmaker who wrangles the puppets into shape to produce the animations; Ed also arranges all the music and tests his ideas on his own two young daughters who often provide sound effects for the characters and animals. Ed lives in London, UK.

**Leanne** started making felt toys 10 years ago after becoming a stay-at-home mum. She has made many of the puppets and sets for the nursery rhyme animations and has written all of the patterns for Old MacDonald; making a pattern for a horse poo has been the highlight of her career to date! Leanne lives in Glasgow, Scotland.

Little Woolly Vision is a multi-award winning, stop-motion animation company specialising in making animation with wool, fabric and felt. Based in London, everything they do is made and animated by hand. They launched Little Woolly Vision with the aim of putting a new spin on nursery rhymes and to move away from the computer generated animation so often associated with children's songs online. Every nursery rhyme on their channel is animated using traditional stop-motion techniques and each puppet and set hand sewn with felt; the songs are recorded live by musicians Steve Pretty and Gemma Storr, which all contributes to producing a heart-warming, nostalgic feeling in every song.

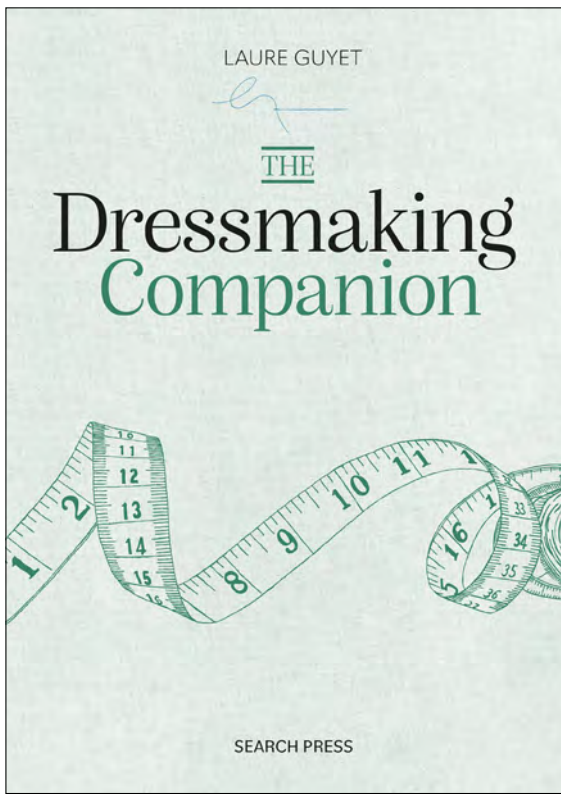


# THE DRESSMAKING COMPANION

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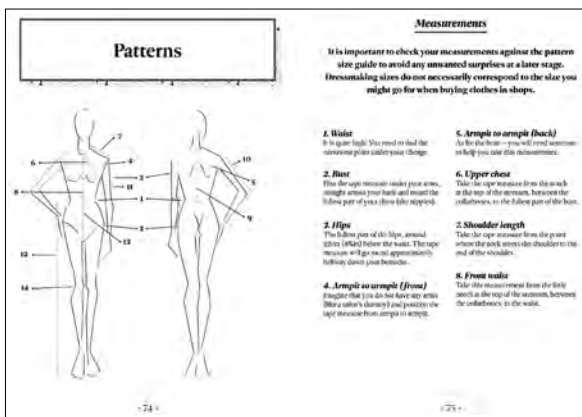


Discover all the secrets of sewing in this little handbook.

- » In this handy little volume, fabrics and patterns are demystified, sewing machines are examined and techniques such as sewing seams and hems are explained
- » The pocket-size format of *The Dressmaking Companion* makes it easy to transport for on-the-go advice
- » Easy-to-follow diagrams and step-by-step photography guide you through every stage of the process.

In the same series:

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Previously a professional stylist, **Laure Guyet** turned to the teaching of sewing and dressmaking, as she is passionate and enthusiastic about the idea of sharing her know-how with young and older enthusiasts alike! She supports her students in understanding how to use a sewing machine to bring their creative ideas to life. The promotion of sewing, and the understanding of different fabrics and the construction of a garment are all essential elements in the definition of her profession. Laure works in Paris, France.



# A YEAR OF QUILTING

A Block for Every Week  
Debbie Shore & Melissa Nayler

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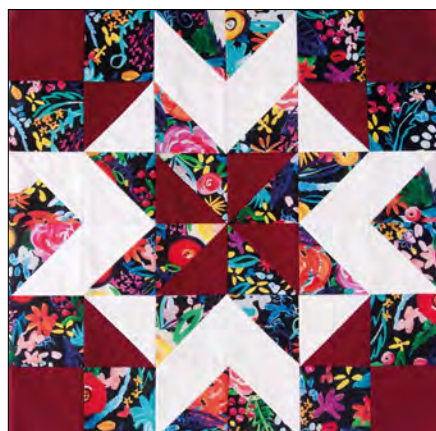
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**Create a gorgeous 52-block patchwork quilt – one block for every week of the year!**

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- » All the patchwork and quilting techniques are accessible to beginners, but also serve as a source of inspiration for the more experienced quilter
- » In addition to the final quilt, Debbie shares ideas on how to transform individual blocks into homewares and accessories, including pillows, pouches and placemats
- » Based on the hugely successful “Block of the Month” series on the Half Yard Sewing Club, an award-winning sewing subscription website run by Debbie Shore.

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Debbie Shore's Sewing Room Secrets: Quilting 9781782215479  
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*Debbie Shore is a best-selling and award-winning author. Debbie has developed her own range of fabrics, designed her own patterns and writes for several popular sewing magazines. Debbie lives in Lincolnshire, UK.*

*Melissa Nayler is an avid quilter and sewist, and has been sewing seriously since her teens. Melissa discovered patchwork and quilting while volunteering at the local Citizens Advice Bureau, and became hooked before she'd even sewn a stitch.*

*When Melissa retired in 2014, she contacted Debbie Shore to offer her sewing skills for making samples for her TV shows. It was at the time when Debbie was really busy with TV demonstrations, and she was delighted to have some help. Over the past 10 years Debbie and Melissa developed a great friendship, and Melissa and Debbie have collaborated on several quilting projects, including the Block of the Month Quilts on Debbie's award-winning Half Yard Sewing Club.*





# IMPROV QUILTS

Building confidence in color and technique

Laura Loewen



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Unlock the secret to improv quilting with confidence and discover your creative potential! Whether it's ruler-free cutting, color play, or creative piecing you wish to learn more about, you'll find technical guidance and visual inspiration to entice you through your improv quilting journey.

- » 10 colorful step-by-step projects with photos and illustrations will guide you through the process to design and create your own unique improv quilts
- » A must-read for confident beginner quilters ready to take on new skills and gain confidence
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Laura Loewen is the owner of Quilt Fort Company, a modern quilt artist, pattern designer, and quilt educator. Since making her first quilt as a teenager, her style has grown more experimental, and she now has over twenty years of quilting experience with a love of color and improv.

Laura's award-winning quilts have been shown at galleries and museums, including the National Quilt Museum, and her work has been published in *Simply Moderne*, *Curated Quilts*, *Quiltmaker*, *QuiltCon Magazine*, and more. She has a professional background in interior design and photography, and spends her days at home raising her two boys outside Boulder, Colorado in the US.

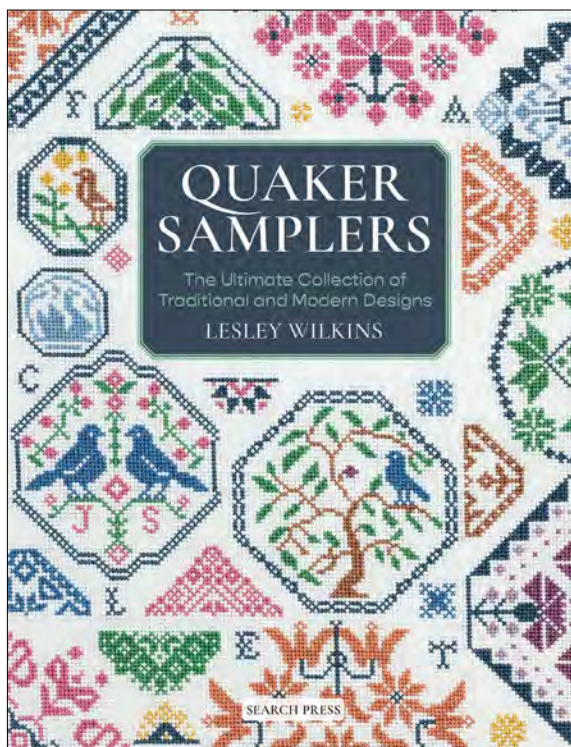




# QUAKER SAMPLERS

The Ultimate Collection of Traditional and Modern Designs  
Lesley Wilkins

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Discover the ultimate collection of beautiful Quaker embroidery designs, from needlework expert Lesley Wilkins.

- » A treasure trove of inspiration, this book contains an extraordinary range of Quaker medallion, motif and sampler designs
- » Lesley's designs bring a modern twist to this traditional craft: they are full of color and charm, and feature popular subjects including birds, flowers, wreaths and monograms
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Having retired from local government, Lesley self-publishes a variety of embroidered projects, especially Quaker style, online.

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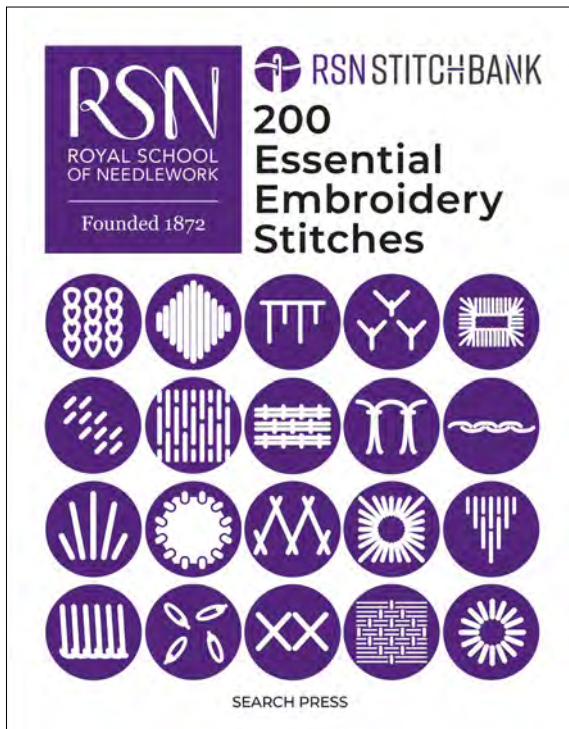
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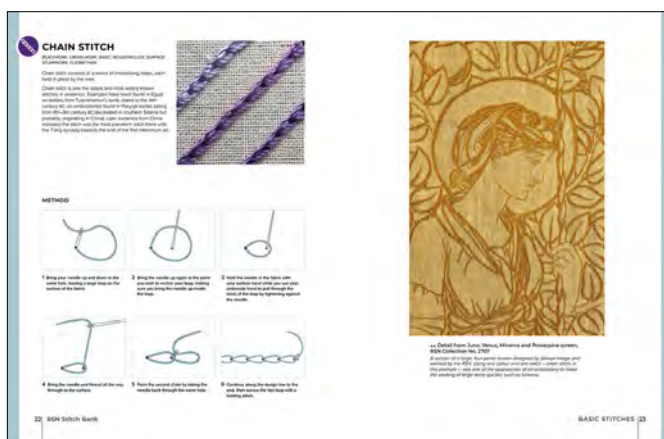
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Susan curated the RSN's 150th anniversary exhibition at the Fashion and Textile Museum and is also author of *An Unbroken Thread – Celebrating 150 Years of the Royal School of Needlework* and *The Story of Colour in Textiles*





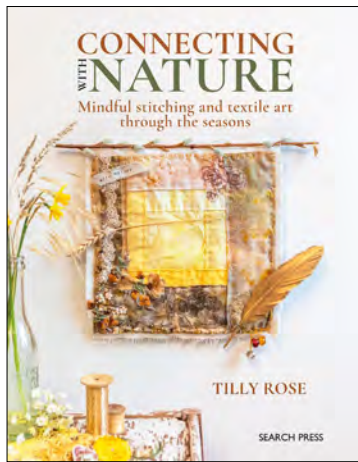
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*Tilly Rose* is a creative mixed-media textile artist, designer, tutor and avid journaler. She is based in the beautiful Cambridgeshire Fens, UK, an area that influences her designs amid her whole ethos of crafting for well-being.

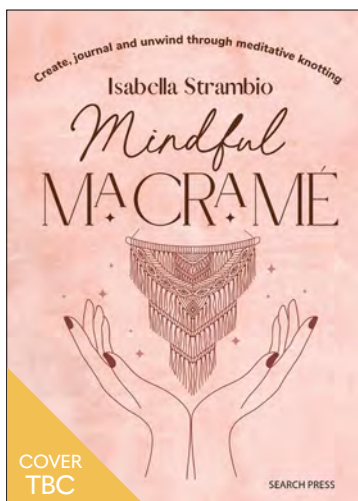
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*Isabella Strambio* is a macramé artist and author who has turned her love for knotting into a business after the success of her blog, which followed her journey to learn 12 crafts in 12 months. She is inspired by design, natural materials and textures, and her passions are reflected in her work.

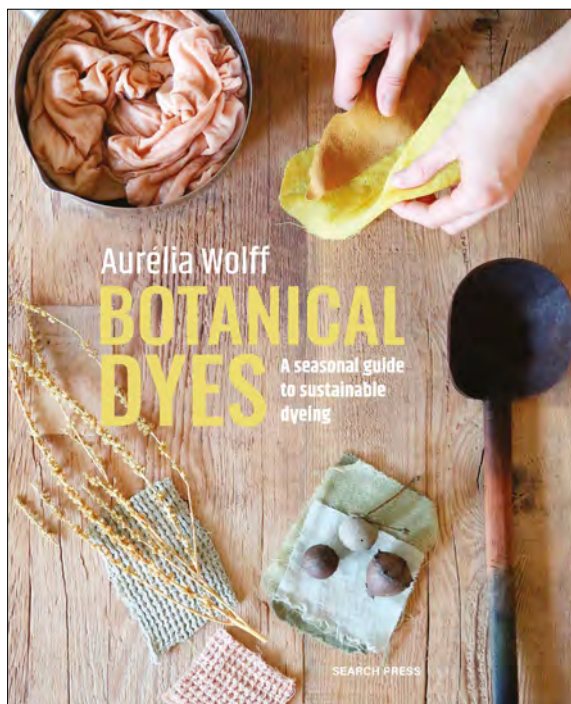
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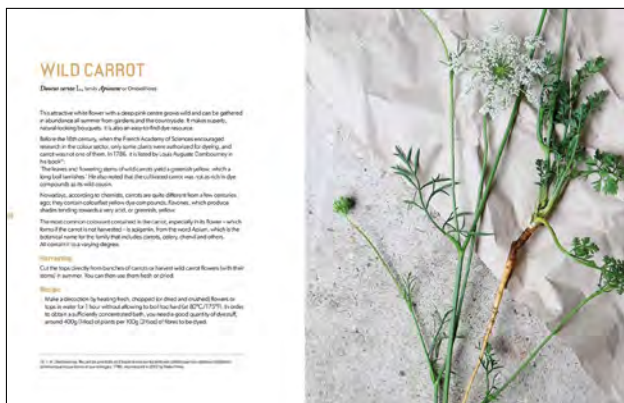


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*Aurélia Wolff* is a French textile designer and has been a botanical dyer since 2012. Trained by Michel Garcia, she created the *WHOLE* project which is a linens and accessories brand; a natural color research lab; and a dye garden in Paris. Aurélia also teaches and runs workshops, using traditional methods such as hand weaving to promote natural dyeing as a contemporary craft. Her approach involves recycling fabrics and sourcing only organic fibres, upcycling plants to extract colors, implementing conscious processes that avoid waste and committing to pursuing a more eco-friendly fashion industry.



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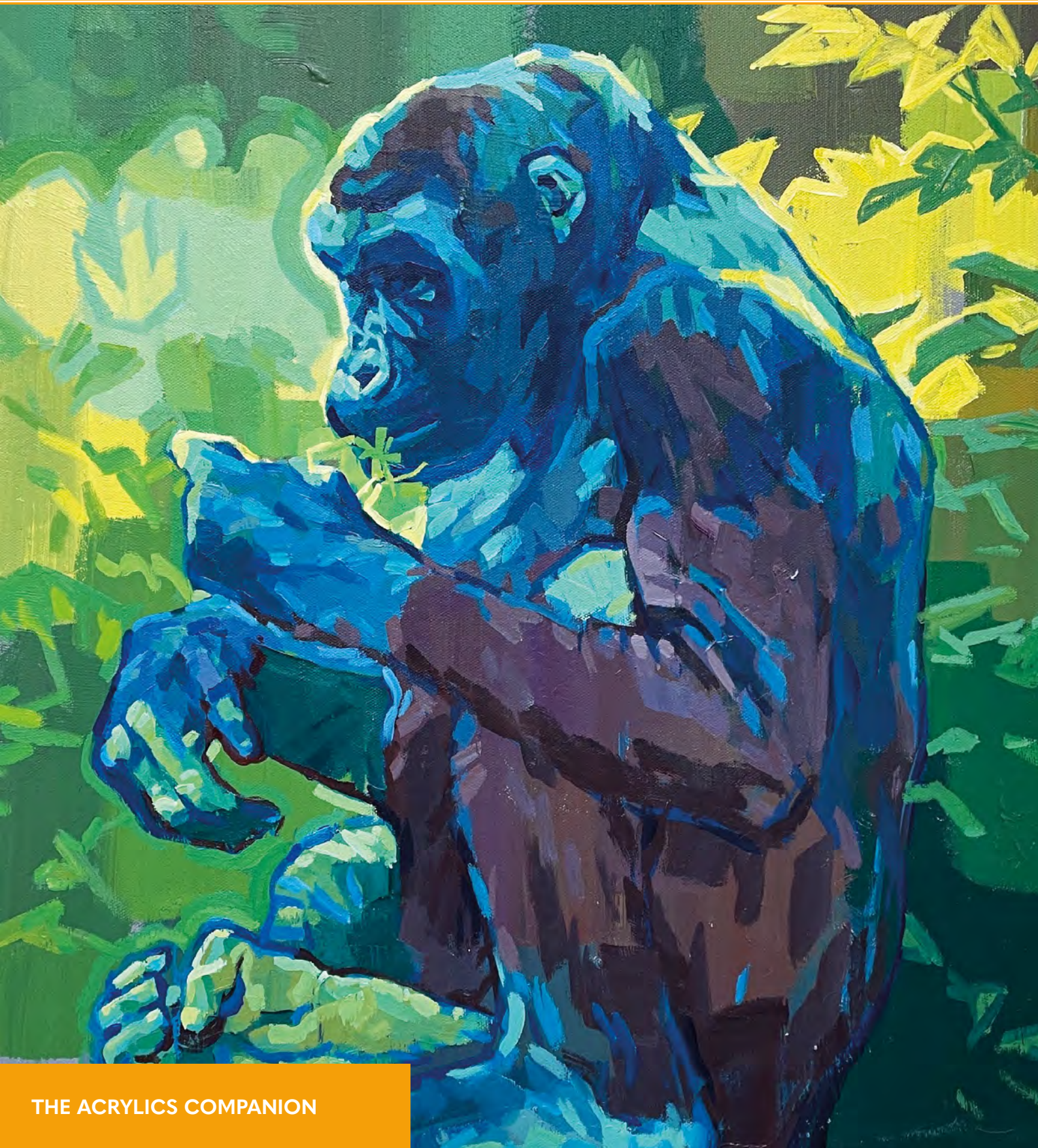
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Chris Tribe has been designing and making contemporary furniture for over 30 years, and his work has been exhibited at galleries and exhibitions nationwide. He has also taught furniture making and woodworking at a number of colleges in Yorkshire, and now teaches from his workshop in Ilkley, West Yorkshire. Chris has written regularly for a range of woodworking magazines in the UK.



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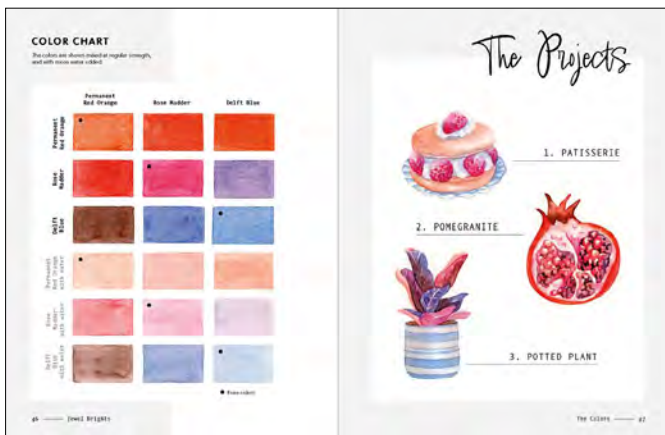
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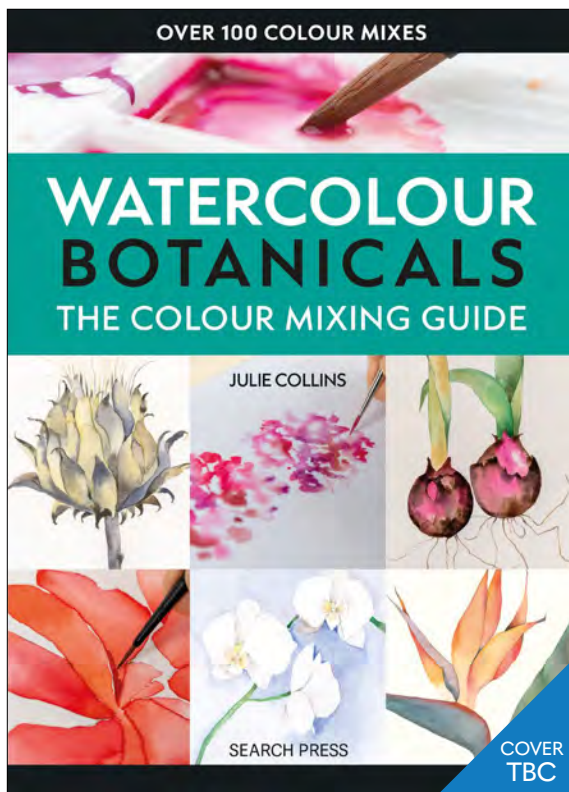


# THE COLOUR MIXING GUIDE: WATERCOLOUR BOTANICALS

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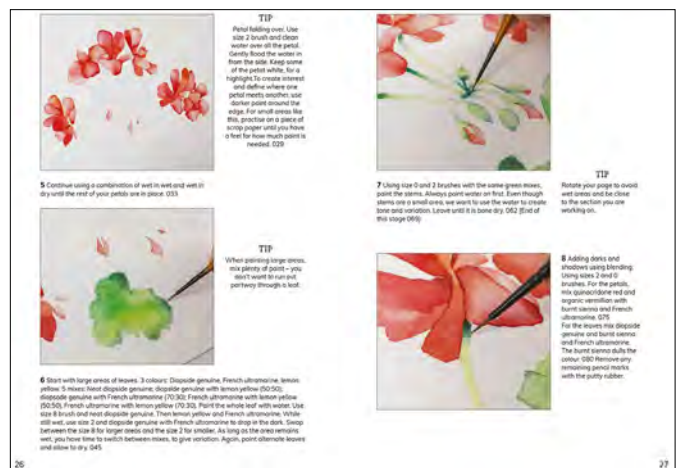
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Julie Collins studied Fine Art at the University of Reading and has been an artist, writer and teacher since then. She has written a number of color mixing guides and artists' problem-solving books and also writes for The Artist magazine. She works from her studio in Hampshire, UK, where she explores her passion for painting, drawing and crafts.

Julie has won numerous prestigious awards for her watercolor paintings, including, most recently, the award of first prize for Watercolor at the Royal West of England Academy Annual Exhibition 2019. Julie was also elected an associate Member of the Society of Women Artists in August 2019.



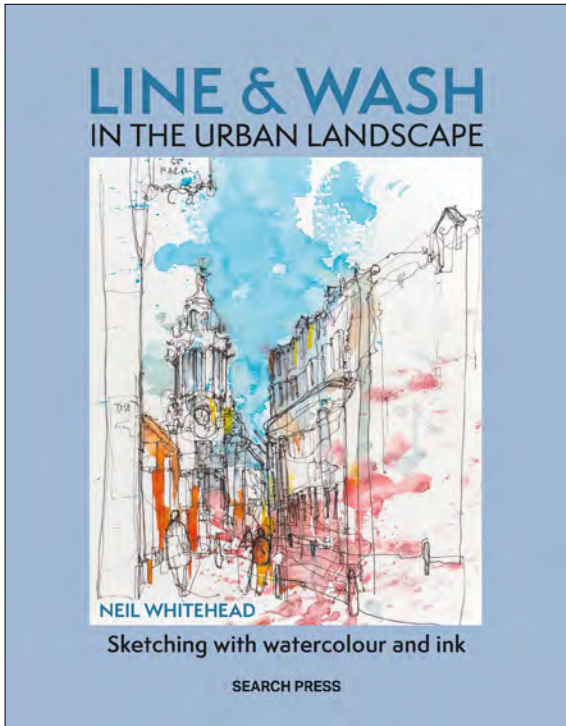


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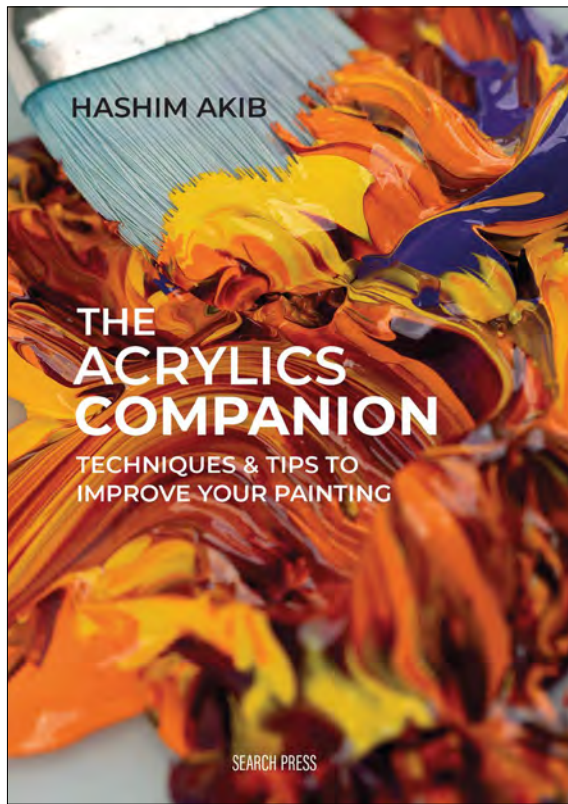
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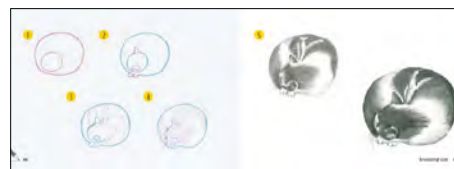
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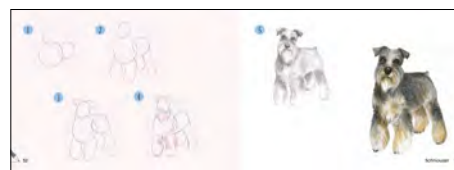
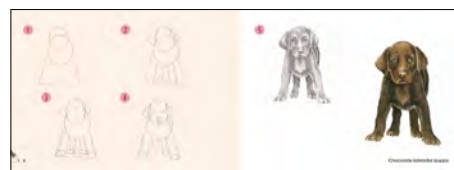
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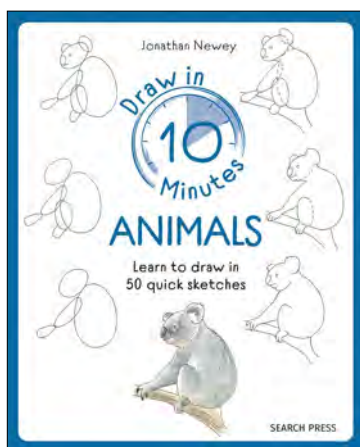


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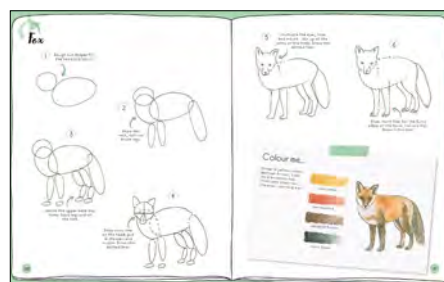
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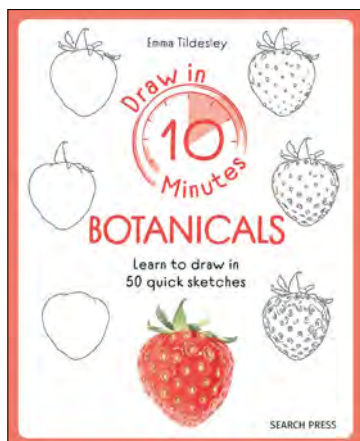
*Jonathan Newey is an award-winning artist and is a founder member of the UK Coloured Pencil Society. He has many drawings and paintings in collections both nationally and internationally and has demonstrated for most of the top manufacturers in the UK.*

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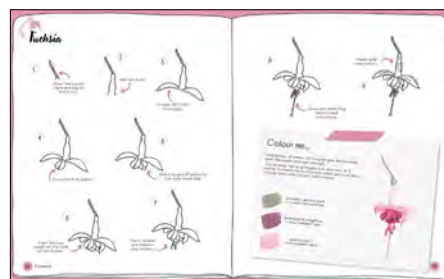
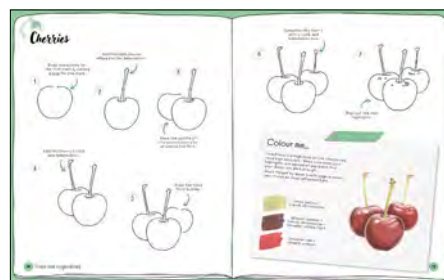
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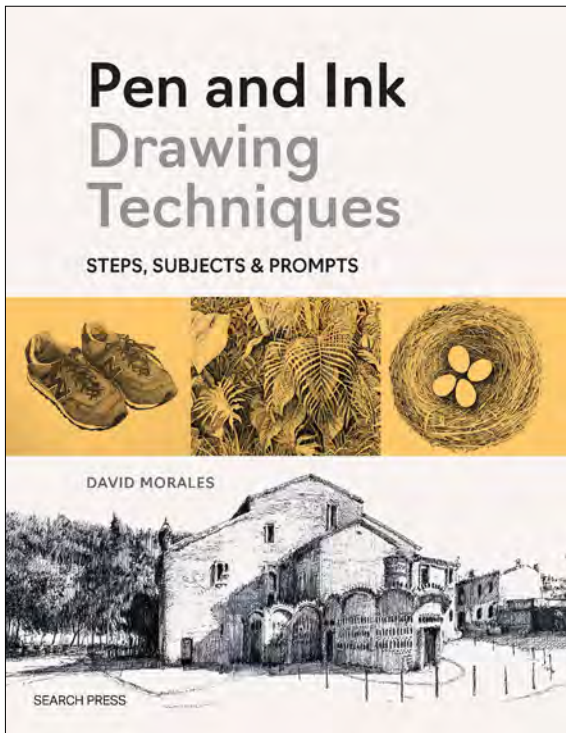
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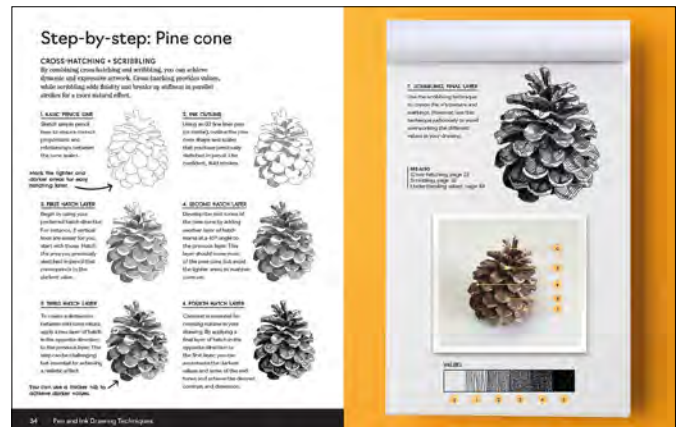
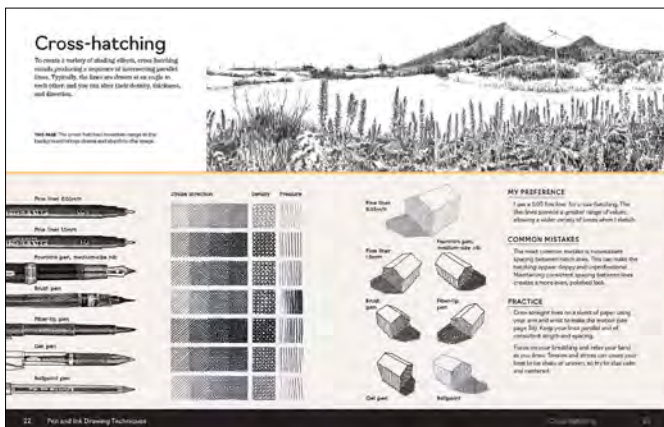


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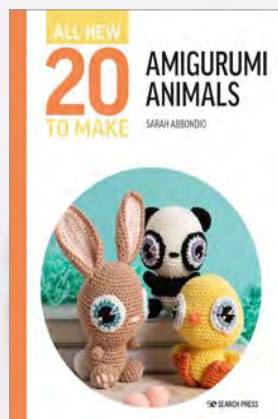
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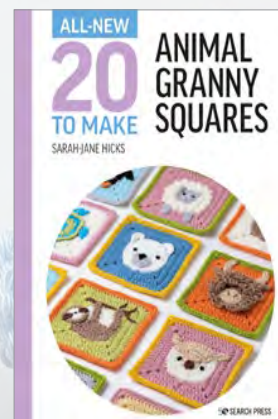
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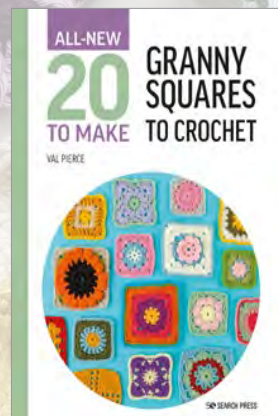
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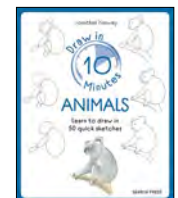
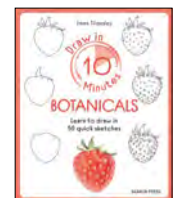
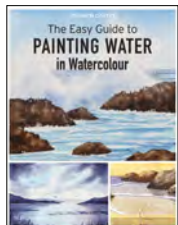
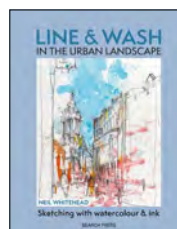
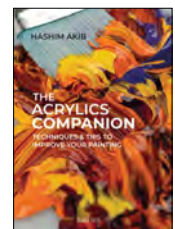
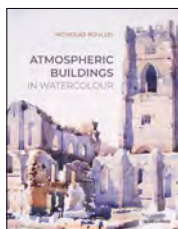
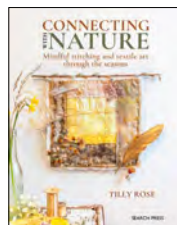
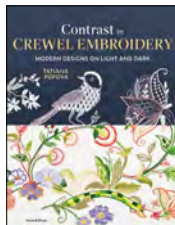
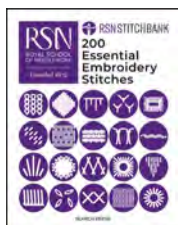
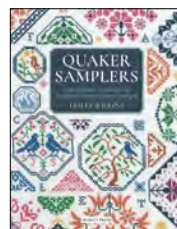
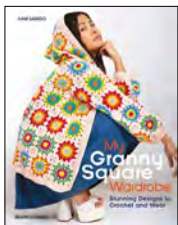


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