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501 Quilting Motifs: From The Editors Of Quiltmaker Magazine





Synopsis

A must-have resource for every quilter, this collection features 501 quilting motifs selected from more than 26 years of Quiltmaker magazine. What a value! Now quilters of all levels can finish gorgeous, one-of-a-kind quilts. Handy indexes cross-reference each motif by size and style, so finding the perfect one is quick and easy.Get clear guidelines for selecting and transferring motifsFind quilting-motif categories such as flowers, feathers, vines and leaves, seasonal and holidays, children and teens, geometric designs, and moreDiscover well over a thousand arrangements featuring the motifs

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Customer Reviews

If you do any of your own quilting, by long arm machine, on your sewing machine or by hand, this book is a must have. I have subscribed to Quiltmaker Magazine since I first became aware of the quality of the quilting patterns they included in their magazine. The time and energy that they put into thinking what designs will most compliment their quilts is extensive. This book brings 501 of those designs together into a wonderful collection.Quilt designs included range from holiday themes, animals, traditional feathered motifs, baby, season and abstract designs. One of the best things about this book is the extensive thought that has gone into how to use each of the quilting designs. The basic pattern is presented, and then suggestions for use in borders, in center squares and possible placement in a variety of arrangements.The book itself is spiral bound to make copying patterns easier, either by hand or on a scanner. I have scanned (for personal use only) many of the designs to adapt the size for the specific project I was working on. The spiral binding makes this

particularly easy. Designs are presented by theme, but an alphabetical index as well as a motif size index are provided in the back of the book. In addition to the amazing quilting patterns, the book also includes a section on how to choose the right design for your quilt, optimizing your layout on the quilt, and determining placement. This is one of the most helpful sections, particularly for novice quilters. "501 Quilting Motifs" by Quiltmaker Magazine is a book that I would recommend to any and all quilters, because the quilting really does make the quilt.Karin RenaudAuthor, "Quilts from the Heart"

This book was certainly a surprise, when I ordered the book I was expecting motifs not much else but motifs that I could use for my quilting journey. When my order came through it was a delight for inside were the motifs that I had expected but there was also on each page of each motif were diagrams of how to use each motif as is, or in borders, on corners, to make four sided blocks, and many other ideas, it is good to see how they come together when you may be having a senior moment . Now my biggest decision is where to start

I love that the book is spiral bound. Easy to make copies/trace/etc. Can be used for hand or machine quilting. Motifs range from simple to more complex. Examples show how to place the motifs (corner,lattice,etc.) as well as how to extend motifs. Great for beginners and experts.

I was very pleased with this book. It has so many different quilting designs in a variety of different sizes. Also, the spiral design of the book makes it lay flat which is convenient for when you need to copy a design to use for quilting. I am very glad that I ordered this book and would definitely recommend it to anyone who is looking for a wide selection of quilting designs.

501 Quilting Motifs begins with some basic information on motifs and how to select, adapt, and transfer them. After the short intro, it is packed with quilting designs. Choose from cute quilt designs for children's quilts, or from the feathers, flowers, foods (including a cup and teapot), geometric shapes, hearts, seasonal/holiday, and vines and leaves - 501 in all!The book is a heavy-duty spiral bound, and the covers fold back flat for easy tracing or copying. Along with the quilt motifs on each page are design ideas to show placement of the motifs in different ways. There are designs for all skill levels, too. I have other quilt design books, but I think this one has unique patterns that give it an edge. Such a wide variety makes this a must-have for quilters. Whether quilting by hand or by machine, there is something for every quilt here. A review copy was provided by Martingale

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Lovely patterns to inspire quilters, both new quilters and seasoned! Well written with great directions as well as pictures. Don't get in a rut quilting the same old thing on every quilt...this book will expand your quilting and keep it fresh and interesting.

Lots of clear templates. Easy to trace. Very scalable. I like that each design has ideas for how to use and how to isolate sections or combine with other motifs. Well worth the money.

501 Quilting Motifs: Designs for Hand or Machine Quilting is an excellent book for quilters. The book was received in perfect condition and before the expected time listed on my order, thanks to careful and prompt handling by the seller.

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