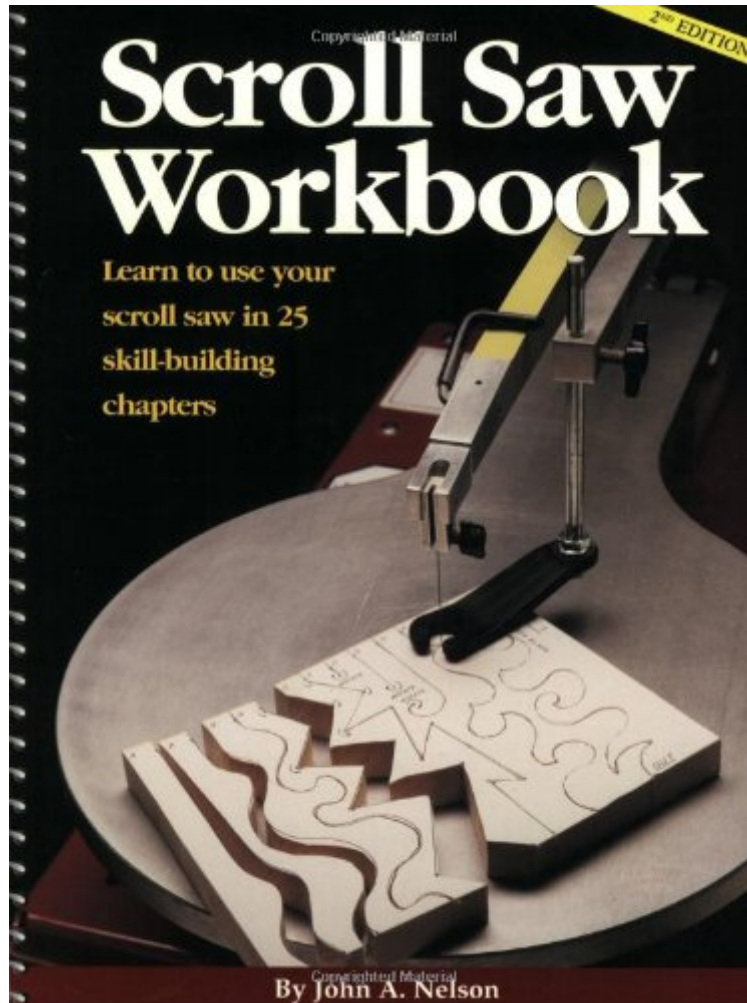


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access to a scroll saw to use it. The book also contains excellent information on scroll saw blades and other scroll saw related topics. 18 of 18 people found the following review helpful. Excellent skill building book By Eric L. Fox I'll preface this by saying that I am an experienced wood worker (I didn't say I was good, though). I am proficient with most of the big tools you would find in a well stocked shop. I am new, however, to the scroll saw. This book is just as described: "Scroll Saw Workbook: Learn to Use Your Scroll Saw in 25 Skill-Building Chapters". For the most part, it doesn't give you step by step instructions on building spectacular projects. What it DOES give you, though, is step by step lessons on how to learn how to build a spectacular project. It covers techniques that I never would have thought of. I wish I had books like this for my table saw, band saw, etc., etc. This is a very good book for learning the skills needed for proficient use of the scroll saw. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Excellent book as an introduction to the Scroll Saw By aopmike Excellent. This book takes you through 25 lessons that will serve you well for the rest of your time in front of a scroll saw. I had never used a scroll saw and bought this to learn on an old (and I do mean old) Sears saw. By the end of the fifth lesson, I was cutting out intricate patterns from other books and enjoying the saw immensely. I can't recommend this book highly enough. I keep it now as a reference. In case I face a difficult pattern, I can most likely find something in this book that will shed some light on my problems.

This woodworking guide compares the 15 scroll saw models available in today's market and offers 25 exercises-with patterns and step-by-step cutting instructions-that will turn a novice into a pro. Beginning with the basics such as cutting straight, curved, and jagged lines, the book details progressively more advanced techniques including stack cutting; cutting metal, plastic, and paper; relief cutting; inlay; segmentation; and puzzle making. Project patterns include die-cut stationery, a fish silhouette, a butterfly with interior cuts, a hummingbird ornament, and a collapsible wooden basket. The content has been updated to include information on new scroll saw manufacturers.

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