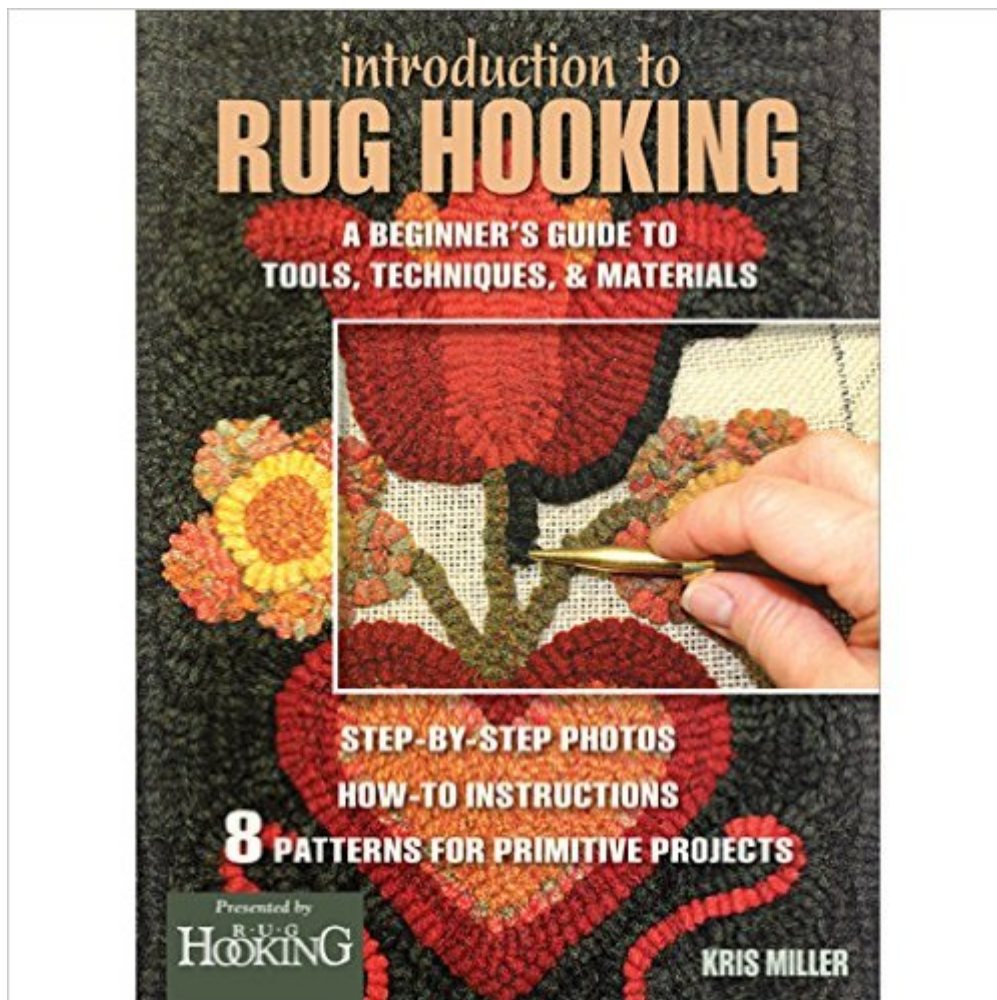




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Introduction To Rug Hooking: A Beginner's Guide To Tools, Techniques, And Materials



Synopsis

Rug hooking tools and equipment made simple, from advice on choosing the perfect wool to finishing your hooked rug. Step-by-step instructions on how to hook a rug. How to draw your own pattern. How to properly care, store, and clean your rug. How to hook points. How to create dimension. How to hook letters. Troubleshooting and tips for beginner rug hookers. 8 projects with patterns and complete instructions. These basic rug hooking techniques and patterns are ideal for beginners just starting to get into the craft. It's a beloved reference guide you're sure to come back to again and again!

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I'm so impressed with the patterns included in the book. Each one is designed to teach a specific lesson and builds on the lesson from the previous one....Not sure how to hook points, curves, or lettering? Curious how to transfer a design to the foundation cloth? Want to try your hand at creative hooking techniques and proddy? Need to know how to finish your rug after the hooking is done? Kris' photos and descriptions lead you through the entire process. --(Karen Larsen
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Kris Miller is a rug hooking teacher and designer who specializes in primitive designs with an emphasis on textured wool and wide cuts. She is the owner of Spruce Ridge Studios, featuring original primitive rug hooking patterns and rug hooking supplies. Kris has won many awards for her rugs, and she writes for Rug Hooking magazine and teaches at many workshops and rug camps across the United States and England. Kris lives in Howell, Michigan with her husband, two sons,

and an assortment of Angora goats, sheep, and alpacas.

Love this book! Lots of great projects. What I love most is never having done this kind of rug hooking, this book seems to be very comprehensive for the beginner. Highly recommend for anyone wanting to try their hand at it. Not often I find something that well explained for my own personal use.

Kris Miller's book, Introduction to Rug Hooking: A Beginner's Guide, is clearly written. Her selection of words is masterfully executed. Any rug hooker whether a novice or long-time rug hooker can learn many things from this book. The step by step instructions are easy to follow with much detail and explanation. I enjoyed reading this wonderful book and keep going back to it; that is the true mark of a well-written book.

Wow!! Perfect for the beginner and if you have been hooking for years, this is the PERFECT reference guide!! It is the most comprehensive rug hooking book I have ever read! It will teach you absolutely everything you need to know and the directions are easy to understand. I love how it reminded me of things I had forgotten along the way. One of the best parts? It is so much fun to read!!

Kris Miller must be a fantastic teacher. This book is awesome. Not only does she have plenty of pictures, she explains everything in a clearly understandable way. I would rate it as a "have to have" for new rug hookers!

Kris Miller has outdone herself in this award winning book! A must have for the rug hooker, this book is very detailed and the pictures are excellent! The experienced rug hooker will love this book and the new beginner will want it in their stash! Wonderful patterns & step by step instructions with photos included. Thanks Kris!!

I recently purchased this book and enjoyed it from cover to cover. I hooked my first rug on my own and just went for it. I wish I had read this book before I hooked it. She tells you everything you need to know from start to finish. I now start a rug with a plan instead of scratching my head. Thanks Kris for sharing with us. Please write another soon!

A perfect companion for a beginner or seasoned rug hooker... a very informative and instructive book with photos and text that clearly describes and enhances the creative joy that rug hooking brings. You can't go wrong with this purchase and I feel it is a wonderful resource to have on hand. I have quite a stash of books about rug hooking but I find this one is a standout in every way.

This book was so informative. It taught me everything I needed to know for my very first rug hooking project, from what hook to buy all the way to how to finish a piece. Great pictures. Easy to read cover to cover.

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