

Reversible Knitting: 50 Brand-New, Groundbreaking Stitch Patterns

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Lynne Barr : Reversible Knitting: 50 Brand-New, Groundbreaking Stitch Patterns before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Reversible Knitting: 50 Brand-New, Groundbreaking Stitch Patterns:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Fresh outlook on basic knitting By Sassy Seventy Illustrations are good; explanations are good. Everything is good---except, I would have liked the book to have "spiral wire binding" so it would lay flat as I used it. This is not about the quality of the material inside the book. I would have liked more garments and items featured suing some of the techniques. I guess that is saved for a future book? Over all, it is a good book to have for future reference. The garment featured on the cover of the book is really a clever idea, really neat and probably worth the price of the book. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Good advanced patterns and projects. By Edith Maverick Folger These patterns are for an advanced knitter who wants to try new stuff. The rewards are great for figuring out the patterns, Both the scarf patterns are easy to wear, really distinctive, and put a lot of warmth around your neck, as they use a lot of yarn by holding two strands of worsted weight together instead of one

bulky yarn (good for re-purposing that sweater project). As another poster said, you could knit many more scarves from just the stitch patterns in the book. Some of the clothing designs are too young or otherwise impractical for an old fuddy like me, but still, the ideas are really inspiring. Be ready with your cable needles, extra double points and/or round needles. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. What a terrific book! By Adelle Schauer Wasn't crazy about the dull color they used for swatches, but what incredible inventiveness went into the patterns! These aren't just reversible stitches, but reversible PATTERNS!!!! Some are 3-dimensional! The ladies' who contributed to this book did a great deal of work on this and while every single pattern did not ring my bell, I'm very sure each pattern will appeal to somebody! I was amazed at what could be done if you just think of it and try! And yes, they are all reversible, and some are even reversible UPSIDE DOWN! What a concept! Superb book all the way around.

Most of the stitch dictionaries on knitters shelves are remixes of familiar stitch patterns already published elsewhere. Not so for Lynne Barrs groundbreaking book Reversible Knitting. Not only is every one of the 50 stitch patterns completely new and never before seen, but each is also reversible for a total of 100 different looks!

About the Author Lynne Barr is the author of Knitting New Scarves (STC). She has led hand-knitting workshops in the U.S., taught machine-knitting to factory workers in Haiti, and designed sweaters for upscale boutiques. With her husband, she coauthored Sweaterscapes of the North Country and Sweaterscapes of the American West.