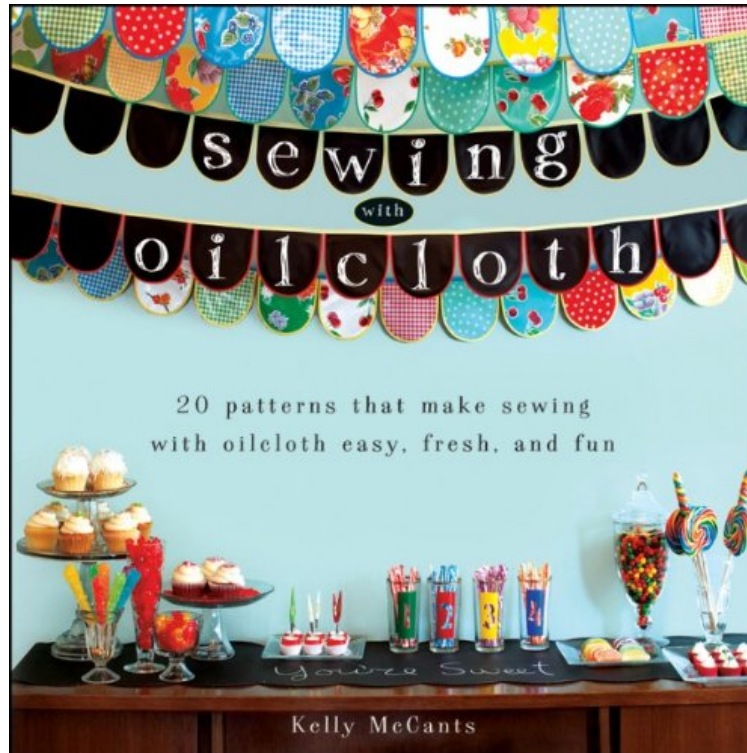


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Kelly McCants : Sewing with Oilcloth before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Sewing with Oilcloth:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great find! By NanaDearest Found a couple patterns on Craftsy I wanted to make. Looked online for oilcloth fabric, and discovered was an option, wahoo! Once I got on , I discovered this book. So I purchased some oilcloth and this book, thinking it might have tips for working with the cloth. This book just arrived, and it's Sunday! Gotta love that. Alas the fabric shipped separately and did not arrive today. Poured myself an iced tea and sat down to peruse this book. First chapter, tools and tips, just what I wanted to read up on. Lots of good information! One of the first patterns in the book is storage bins that "hold everything from your bath towels to all the kid stuff in the mud room". My head is spinning with all the possibilities! The storage bins include nylon webbing handles. A zippered makeup bag... I'm thinking great gift idea... The wallet with room for credit cards, money, ID... with all the oilcloth fabric choices, these could be cute and so practical! Living in California, and having to bring my own bags to shop most places, I'm very excited about the Farmers Market Tote, complete with "the interior pocket... a safe place to stash my money." And I can adjust the size to my liking. The messenger bag is a cute "casual briefcase". There's even a pocket for cell phone and one for pens, and even a pocket for a water bottle. Lots of cute kid projects, including bibs, splatter mats and art smocks, even mommy and me aprons. I can hardly wait for my fabric to arrive! I think while I wait for it, I'll shop for all these new patterns I want to make! 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Very Creative with great patterns plus a BONUS SURPRISE By Colleen848 I've had my

eye on this book for quite some time. I'd say over a year or so. I purchased this book new from Flashbacks. To my surprise, delight and amazement I received an autographed copy!! You Hoo!! My first ever signed book. lol I've never seen a book using oil cloth before which is what drew my interest to it. There are an adequate amount of patterns in it to enlarge to scale ranging from household, personal, cooking and kids. Really a nice assortment to get you started. What comes to mind now after looking through it hours ago are baby bibs, children's art smocks, makeup bags, shopping totes, Mommy and daughter aprons (cute), storage bins and even a wallet! I wasn't impressed with the table cloth, IMO who needs to sew that. Very pleased with the purchase and the book is definitely new (AND AUTOGRAPHED!!) Hope the description of what is included pattern wise helps anyone interested make up their mind. There are more. Oh, a gardening apron, etc. Like I said, I am just naming off the top of my head. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Colorful fun oilcloth projects but.... By Shelleyjr I have only made the wallet from this book so far but here is what I experienced. 1. The snaps didn't work because I have a heavy duty snap setter that uses a hammer to set the snaps. Every time I tried to set the snaps it caused the oilcloth to be punched out around the snap. If you have the pliers type of snap setter this might work but it didn't in my case. So I had to go with another plan. What I ended up doing was using a pony tail elastic band and a button, which I thought came out great. 2. I added a zip coin compartment, with a 7" zipper. I used Lisa Lam's zipper tutorial to do it. I put it on the back exterior side. 3. I wanted more credit/store card holders. There is enough room to do this opposite the pockets that Kelly has you do. 4. In step #10 she doesn't tell you what seam allowance to use. I used 1/4" and it worked out fine. 5. Step #13 is written very poorly. I have read other reviewers who complained about this as well, so I know it isn't just me. It SHOULD read like this; take your pocket piece and lay it face down with the pockets against the exterior back piece. Stitch along the unfinished bottom edge using a 1/4" seam. Grade seam allowances. Then flip the pocket section over to the interior side. (This will make more sense when you are doing it.) Overall, I like the book but new sewers might find the wallet instructions a little challenging.

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