

The Chicks with Sticks Guide to Knitting: Learn to Knit with more than 30 Cool, Easy Patterns

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Nancy Queen, Mary Ellen O'Connell : The Chicks with Sticks Guide to Knitting: Learn to Knit with more than 30 Cool, Easy Patterns before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Chicks with Sticks Guide to Knitting: Learn to Knit with more than 30 Cool, Easy Patterns:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Modern patterns for modern beginners By thenotablelizI ordered this book along with another knitting book. While it's not 5 stars like I gave the other book (Stitch 'N Bitch), it is a very good companion book even if it's not by the same person. Truthfully, the only thing it lacks compared to the other book is a good amount of diagrams and photos. Maybe I'm just extremely visual, but it's hard for me to "see" what I need to do when it's only explained to me verbally. Other than that, all the patterns in this book are very chic and modern which is always a plus! I may be knitting but I'm not my grandmother! =>7 of 7 people found the following review helpful. Cool book! By NKBIt is hard to find a knitting book that actually has cool ideas in it that don't look so handmade or out of fashion. This book definitely represents a new generation of knitting. It takes you through the easiest project to the harder ones, so you just do the projects in order to learn how to knit more advanced styles. Easy

to follow, but the only draw back is they could have more directions on each project and more illustrations of where your needles will be for each new stitch. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Love it! By Ericka Gmail I am a newbie knitter and I love all the patterns that are offered in this book. There are the usual patterns for scarves and hats, but beyond that they offer patterns for an envelope bag (that you can felt with directions!), belts, sweaters, purses, shells, pillow, needle case.. on and on. The patterns are great for beginners, and they have clear instructions on taking the next step in knitting as you grow your talent with each new pattern. I highly recommend this book!

Chicks, start your sticks! This time its all about knitting Stop letting worry knit your brows, ladies. Let go of your fear of knitting, and take hold of The Chicks with Sticks Guide to Knitting. With more than 30 simple, chic projects plus simple step-by-step instructions, this book is the complete guide to starting and enjoying this fun, rewarding hobby. New knitters can finish up their first projects in a weekend; more advanced beginners (that is, the ones who have knitted scarves before) can move to the next level. Call your posse and settle down in the living room or at the coffeehouse. The Chicks with Sticks will take care of the rest, from essential tools and materials to basic lessons to more than 30 doable projects, including cool belts, beautiful scarves, felted bags, stylish wraps, and snugly sweaters.

About the Author Nancy Queen is one of the Chicks with Sticks, the creators of a popular line of knitting and crochet patterns sold in yarn shops. A popular designer and instructor, she is the author of Crochet for Tots. Mary Ellen OConnell, the other Chick, is a lifelong knitter who creates knitting patterns for her own line, Meo Designs, as well as for the Chicks with Sticks. Both Chicks live near Philadelphia.