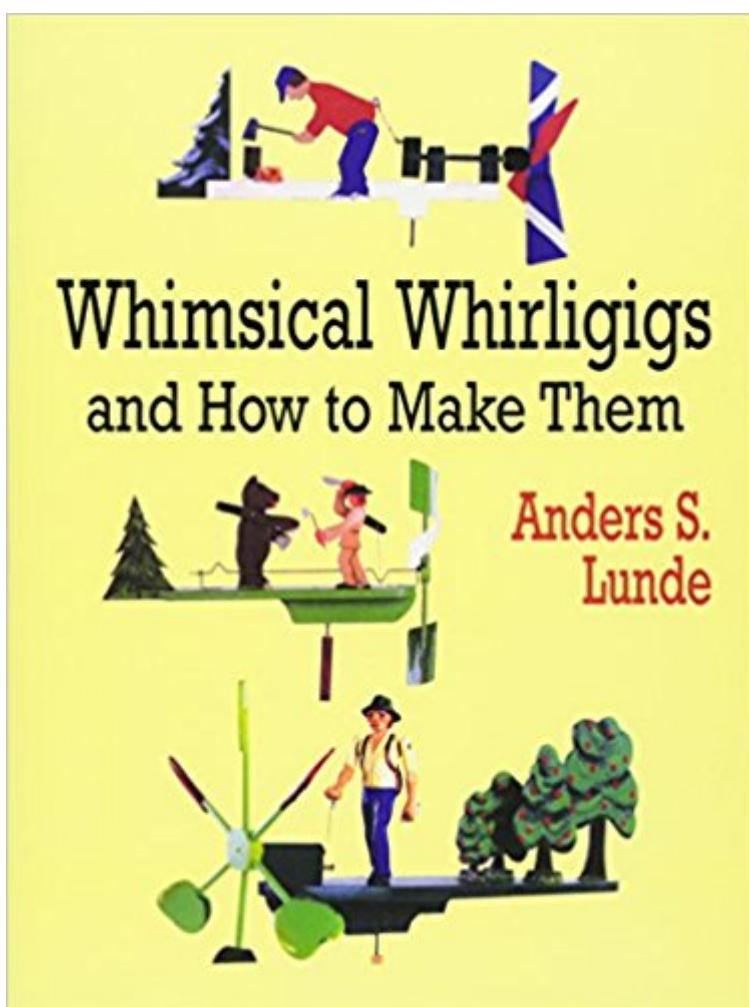


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Wasn't really pleased with the patterns overall. I felt there should have been full photos of designs and patterns.

good book

A lot of useful information in this book, it has easy to follow instructions, and a good variety of different projects to build.

Plans not easy to Follow

A good basic reader into the making of whirligigs. Simple "how-to" descriptions help the beginning hobbyist. Plenty of patterns and suggestions to help one get started.

Very useful book. Good details and instructions. Good pictures. Would recommend to others if interested in making these items for a hobby.

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