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**Eden Toys : Beatrix Potter Toys and Designs Book** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Beatrix Potter Toys and Designs Book:

10 of 10 people found the following review helpful. **LOVELY** Lovely lovely By redhead83402 What a grand book this is ~ do you love soft toys? Do you love pretty embroidery or crosstitch? Do you love painting? Do you love a pretty pieced quilt? How about... do you love crafting?! This book is one of those wonderful older "sleeper" craft books, destined to have it's day in the sun eventually. When Peter Rabbit all his ilk come back into fashion, you can bet this wonderful book will be one of the more sought after crafting volumes. It has crafts to suit all types, as well as adaptability ( is that a word! ;-D) to SO many other crafting areas. There are patterns for all of your favorite Beatrix Potter characters in : Soft Toys ~ Puppets ~ Bean Bags ~ Hand-painted Fabric Toys ~ Balls ~ Bags ~ Knitting Needlepoint ~ Samplers Tufted Rugs ~ a Shawl, a Pram Cover, some baby Bibs ~ Wood Cut-outs, even Stenciling Decoupage Furniture!!" At present I intend to make dolls; I think I could make him [Peter] stand on his legs if he had some lead bullets in his feet!" I highly reccomend this book, it is not only a lovely tribute to Beatrix Potter, but also a treasure trove of craftiness as well. I personally have taken several of the patterns used them to make the characters out of felt(clothes) leather(bodies). And if you photocopy the many images given on the back pages, you can really do a lovely vintage-look decoupage on... well, ANYthing! A wonderful invention that has come after this book was published is the amazing home color printer. Although the book does give colors instructions on how to handpaint many of the characters onto fabric, you can just photocopy the images given onto iron-on copy paper then make those

toys in that way. These patterns are, however, different from the dimensional soft toys patterns that are also given in the book. So you have several different ways of making several different types of toys. As a side note, all of the patterns given are full-size are included in various parts of the book, so you can easily do all of the copying necessary at home. The latch hook rug the knitted shawl are some of the more unusual but cool projects given, let's not forget the wooden wall-hanging cut-outs, either. Basically, you could outfit an entire nursery in everything Beatrix Potter with this book! Definitely worth the \$14 of 5 people found the following review helpful. ok, but not enough knit designs. By Grandma I thought this book would have more knitting patterns, but there was only one of Peter Rabbit on a blanket. That is ok with me as I will convert the other designs to knitting designs. There is another book of B. Potter knitting, published by the same series, which I thought I had bought. If you prefer knitting alone, look for the other book.