

Journal It!: Perspectives in Creative Journaling

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Jenny Doh : Journal It!: Perspectives in Creative Journaling before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Journal It!: Perspectives in Creative Journaling:

10 of 10 people found the following review helpful. Journal It! Video Review
By Grace Mendez[[VIDEOID:mo2EA0DTFSXCR7L]]
19 art journaling artists give their points of view on why they art journal. They all have different perspectives and ways of approaching the process. There are lots of tips and insights with yummy and plentiful photos. The projects are not limited to working in books so if you are interested in some 3-D work, there are some inspiring projects too. This book is not a complete how-to book. Not all of the images are explained of how to do them. I think you can figure most of them out if you have been journaling for a little while. One of my favorite quotes that explains the reason behind this: It's nice to get ideas from other artists, but keep in mind that you will draw the way you draw. Because that's your style. ~ Kathrin Jebsen-Marwedel
Mostly, I like to thumb through the book to get inspired.
14 of 14 people found the following review helpful. Wonderful Book
By Hey Lady
I own and have read several journaling books, and this is one of my favorites. Many styles and techniques are showcased - lovely for those who are looking to expand their horizons. This is the perfect book for those who like an idea to get them

started, but may want to run with their own creativity once they begin. [Also perfect if you like/need a step by step how-to for the examples inside.] I'd recommend for any skill level. There is something for everyone - lovely, lovely book. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Jenny Doh book are always pretty good, and in my opinion Lark Crafts is ...By Cristina Jenny Doh book are always pretty good, and in my opinion Lark Crafts is one, if not the best publisher of craft books. That said the book is like all other "art" journal books out there : predictable. A bunch of artists show few selected pages from their work and explain how to reproduce them. Aside the fact that journaling should be a unique experience ,how many books on technique can be written on a subject? After all there are only so many thing you can do in a journal. I was hoping for a showcase of works from people that keep a journal, with few words on why they journal, what they get from the process, maybe a short explanation of what the piece shown meant... that is what i am curious about. I only found few of that type of book, unless i purchased someone diary. That been said the book is good for what it is. I recommend it if you like to reproduce the pictures shown.

Journaling and collage come together in *Journal It!*, where 19 mixed-media artists showcase their signature techniques, tips, and creativity boosters. The featured work ranges from lettering expert Jill K. Berry's beautifully calligraphied travel journals to Jeannette Sclar's whimsical gardening books, and the techniques include everything from toner-based transfer to stitching with fabric and paper. With over 200 inspirational photos to guide them, even beginners can create works of art right from the start.

A wealth of inspiration and techniques. It covers virtually all materials and ways to get color on a page, so no matter what you like to work with you will find something that will either be right in your comfort zone or inspire you to try something new. --Craft Gossip