

Intentional Piecing

From Foundation Piecing to Fussy Cutting

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Main Description

Piecing with intention simply means taking the time to think about how you cut your fabrics and where they will end up appearing in the finished quilt. From fussy cutting particular design elements from commercially manufactured fabrics to working with selvages and stripes effectively, Amy offers readers unique patterns (quilts, a clutch and even a tote with 10 interchangeable paper piecing patterns to customize—perfect for gifting) that feature precise piecing for graphic and sometimes whimsical results. Fabric is the focus of this book: how to work with your favorite fabrics effectively to achieve the patchwork results you want. Foundation paper piecing is the most effective way to achieve perfect blocks even from the smallest pieces of fabrics, so most of the patterns are created using this method, but there are some traditionally pieced and appliqué projects as well. Amy includes both smaller projects and larger quilts—truly something for everyone.

Key Selling Points

- The first book focusing on the popular technique of Fussy Cutting
- Modern and graphic quilts, and sweet and fun smaller projects offer something for everyone.
- Features a wide range of techniques: foundation paper piecing, traditional piecing and appliqué

Author

When Amy Friend was a little girl, she said she wanted to grow up to be a mommy and an artist. She is now the mother to three young children, studied art history in college and worked as a museum collections curator. She now expresses her creative side through sewing and pattern design. She is the creator of many patterns, an active volunteer at the Modern Quilt Guild and blogs at: duringquiettime.com.

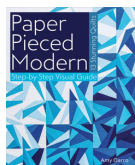
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