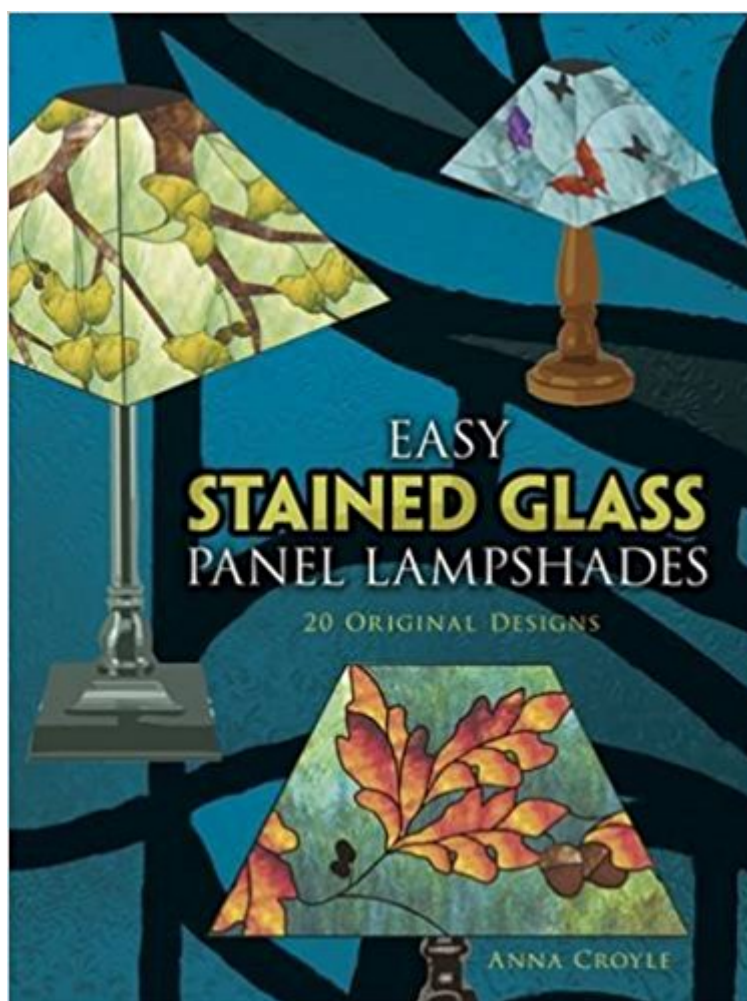


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Customer Reviews

This is a really neat book. Plenty of designs and not too complicated. I just wish there was a graph to show what percent to enlarge for different size caps.

There are a variety of patterns, good instructions and there are good examples of finished projects. There are patterns for every skill level.

This book has some very pretty and different patterns from the usual flat panel lamp patterns. Many of the patterns flow around the panels so that you get a more fluid look which I really like. This design gives a feeling of movement that I find more interesting. The pattern I chose was the "Roses." It has quite a few pieces. The problem I ran into was that when I had the pattern enlarged

was; I did not go big enough. I ended with a pattern just shy of 2" vase cap. I found this too small. At this size, by the time you cut your pattern out with your foil scissors, some of the pieces were too small to foil, mere slivers. This was for the small pieces which "wrap" around the panels. The solution would be to go larger with your pattern. This will not keep me from making the lamp; just a matter of revision on my part. I am a bit out of practice with my stained glass, so I may start with one of the simpler patterns with fewer pieces per panel. All in all, it is a book of lovely patterns and I am happy I purchased this book. It makes standard flat panel patterns look, well, flat by comparison. A refreshing change.

Nice book

Very nice, not all my styles but at least two of them I wish to make.

As Described

good value

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