

but-Square Shapes for Garments, Accessories, Afghans, and Throws.4 of 4 people found the following review helpful. some very cute butterflyBy CI have been looking for a book with butterflies to make. This one has some very cute butterflies in it. Also the flowers are quite nice too. The only complain I have on this book is that there is not many birds in it. Even though the title is 75 Birds, Butterflies Little Beasts to Knit and Crochet, there is only 2 birds in the book. I was hoping for more. There is also a few patterns for eggs, which I find odd since I am sure they all look the same. Also I am not very happy about all the fruits in this book either. Overall, I wish there is more birds and less eggs in this book.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Cute designsBy KatieGreat ideas, I'm a little picky with this author but overall a good book

Expand your knit and crochet repertoire with this menagerie of miniature bugs and beasts: from creepy crawlies and weird wrigglers to beautiful butterflies and splendid metallic-thread dragonflies. Use them to decorate clothes and accessories, give them as gifts---or use to decorate your gift wrap and greeting cards. Everyone of these cute little beasts is thoughtfully displayed in a directory at the front of the book. And each is cross-referenced to a complete pattern and/or chart at the back of the book, with information on stuffing, finishing, and yarn requirements. You'll also find a mixture of fun and fabulous ideas for using the creatures in a range of styles and settings: children's designs, quirky homewares, and elegant fashion and accessories.

My favorite projects are the fruit and vegetables. The designs look so realistic! These would be great to make and include in a child's play kitchen. They are a much better option than the hard, plastic play food you often see. One thing that I love about this book is that each project is presented with two types of instructions---a chart and written instructions. People learn best different ways, so I really appreciate that the author has included both. Wee Share blogThinking about how to use these designs will get you brainstorming....I could see how this could become addicting. Paula, Moliver, Hartford Knitting ExaminerJust when you thought you have run out of projects, along comes a book like Lesley Stanfield's 75 Birds, Butterflies Little Beasts to Knit and Crochet. Petals to Picot blogAbout the AuthorLESLEY STANFIELD has authored a number of books on knitting and crochet, including the bestseller 100 Flowers to Knit Crochet. She is a long-time hand knitting designer and has been the knitting editor of several women's magazines.