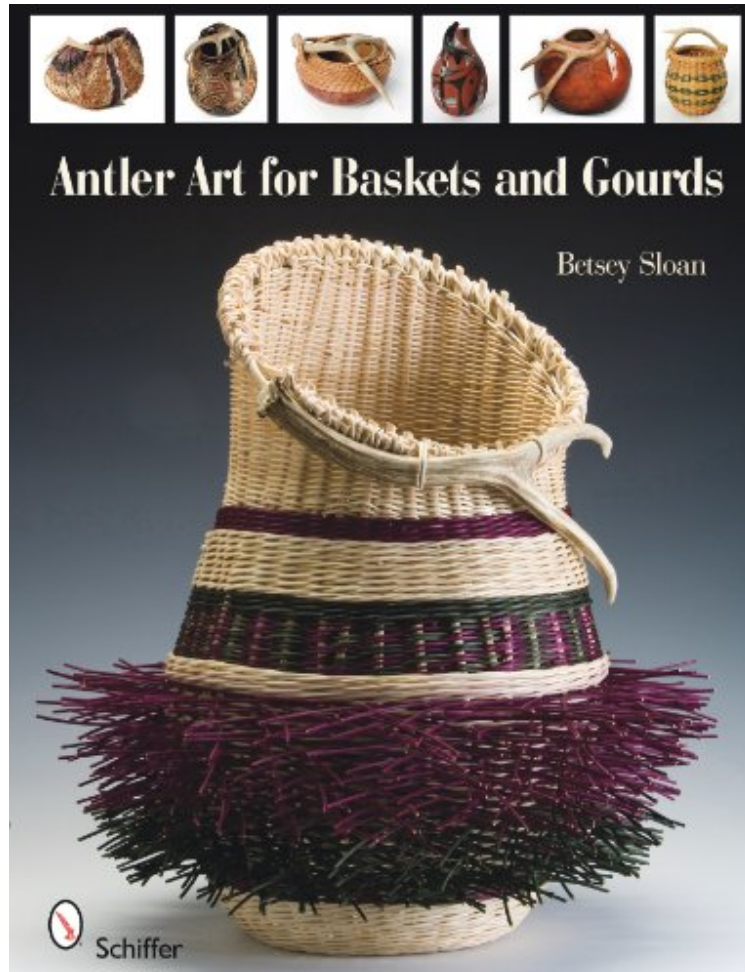


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Betsey Sloan is a self-taught artisan who has dabbled in various art forms including oils, ceramics, antler basketry, and fused glass. She lives in South Carolina.