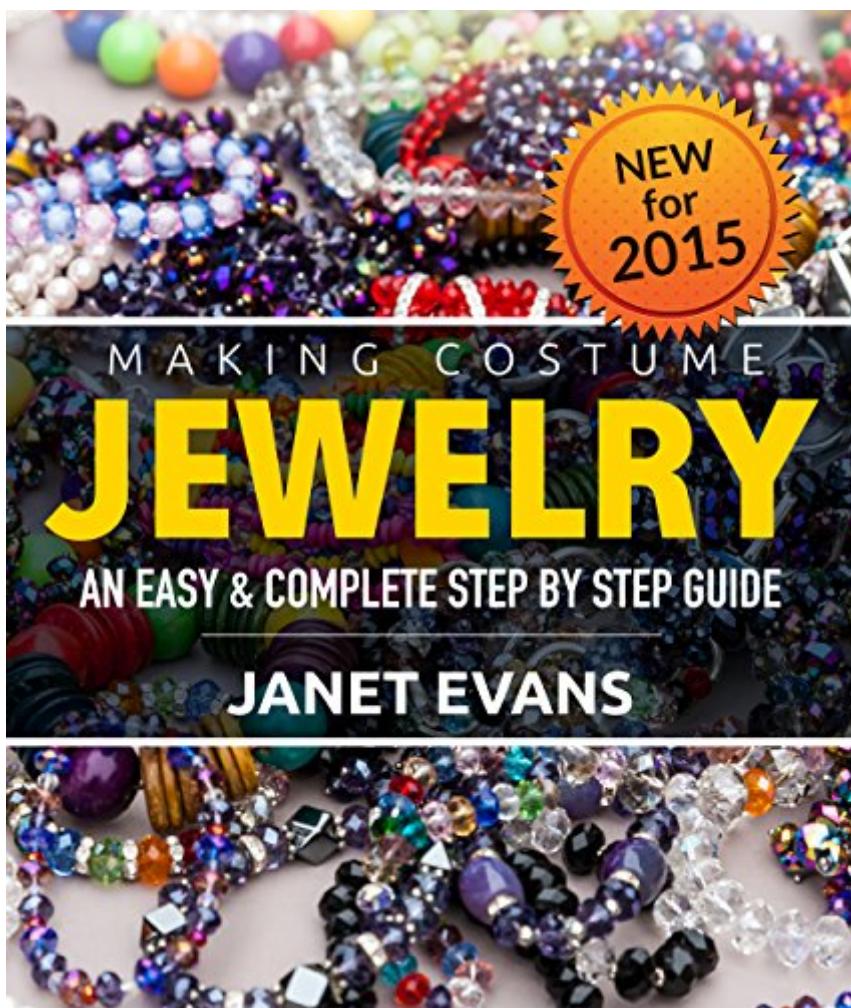


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Making Costume Jewelry: An Easy & Complete Step By Step Guide



Synopsis

The first thing you need to consider before you begin the process of learning how to make costume jewelry is what type you wish to make. The best way of determining what style of jewelry you want to make is to look through various magazines and see what's on offer in stores locally. It's also a good idea to gain inspiration for your costume jewelry designs by visiting museums or art galleries. You may even gain inspiration for your designs when out for a walk.

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Customer Reviews

If you are interested in learning how to make some cool crafts but aren't sure where to start, this book might be able to guide you. The book is actually really well put together and has some very, very interesting and quite intuitive ideas yet there is one thing missing: photos. Many of these projects would've been better understood with photos and for those that do have photos, I feel more should've been added to clarify and help expand your creative mindset. Nonetheless, this book does have some fun, new ideas that I have never seen before and found quite fun to do in my spare time. Overall, a decent book that just needs a retouch to get a 5 star review from me. I was able to

receive this product at a reduced price in exchange for my honest, unbiased review.~Luv2dance

As a mother with a daughter who loves jewelry, I figured it would be a nice hobby and great money saver to make my own jewelry. "How hard can it be to string together a bunch of beads," I naively thought. But once I got to the craft store and saw the rows upon rows of beads, charms, crystals, wires, tools, implements, and things that I had no clue what they could possibly do. This ebook is just the thing I needed to make sense of it all and help me to make jewelry that looks like actual jewelry and not just a slightly glorified macaroni and yarn necklace. The book is very thorough and comprehensive, clearly describing and explaining that tools, their uses, where to source materials, and several projects that can obviously be modified to suit your own tastes depending on the specific materials you use. My only gripe is that I wish there were more pictures of the projects both in progress and once they are finished. Overall this is a very comprehensive, start to finish guide, whether you are just starting out or have some experience with making jewelry. I received this ebook for free in exchange for my honest and unbiased review.

As someone who is inexperienced in making jewelry, I thought this was the perfect book for me to read before getting started. There is so much information out there, and everyone is trying to sell you something that you don't need. This book tells you exactly what you need and why, making the guess work not needed! It is well written, sounding like it has the sense of a conversation or going to a workshop. I especially love how there are thorough instructions on how to make various types of jewelry with photos to accompany them. It has me excited to start making jewelry! I received this item at a discount in exchange for an honest review. This does not guarantee a high ranking review.

Really good step-by-step project guide with excellent intro of tools, wire, clasps, beads etc - how they differ, what to be aware of when choosing, etc, where to buy (craft store, eBay...) -- this beginning part is especially good for a beginner to this hobby. Even if you don't take it up, it's interesting and gives you appreciation for jewelry you might already have - how it was made, and why certain clasps or wire or silk etc were used....the only reason I didn't give it 5 stars is the pictures - in the beginning tools & materials sections, the pictures are spot on and clear, but later on in the step by step it was a little confusing -- which picture went with which step and what the finished project looked like -- they might all be there, like I identified the picture of the winter white earrings -- but others may be missing or just not captioned or placed near the pertinent text. Janet Evans is one on my favorite e-book writers, and as always, her text is interesting and easy to read --

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What a great read! I have a mother that is a jewelry maker and she has always wanted me to share it with her. When I saw this book I thought I would get a crash course so I didn't have to jump in the deep end with her. This was exactly what I needed. Not only was it informative on technique but also with Ideas and Inspiration! At first I was going to read this and keep my little secret before I went to my lesson with mom, but now I think I'm loaded for bear and she would love it too! I'm going to recommend this to her right away. I recommend this to any beginner too, or really anyone that wants a bit of inspiration for a new hobby. I'm off to the bead store! I received this through a promotion, free of charge in exchange for my honest opinion and review. I read this as a digital copy on my Kindle Fire.

I've made jewelry for a few years now. I figured maybe this would give me more insight or a new technique or something. It's practically everything I already know but that's ok too. Sometimes it's nice to have a refresher. I don't understand why such an emphasis on "costume" jewelry. It looks like normal jewelry a lot of people make. They are very detailed in each tool you'd use and the supplies and what they do. I thought that was very nice and helpful for people that are starting out. They do have some pictures, but they don't have pictures of everything. I like to see pictures of what they're creating to either give me inspiration or to mock the exact jewelry. Overall it's pretty detailed, but some things don't make 100% sense. That's where a picture would come in handy. It would be a nice book to either refresh you on jewelry making or for people starting out. I think it's a decent book and would recommend if you want to try making jewelry for yourself. I received this product at a discount in exchange for my honest and unbiased review.

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