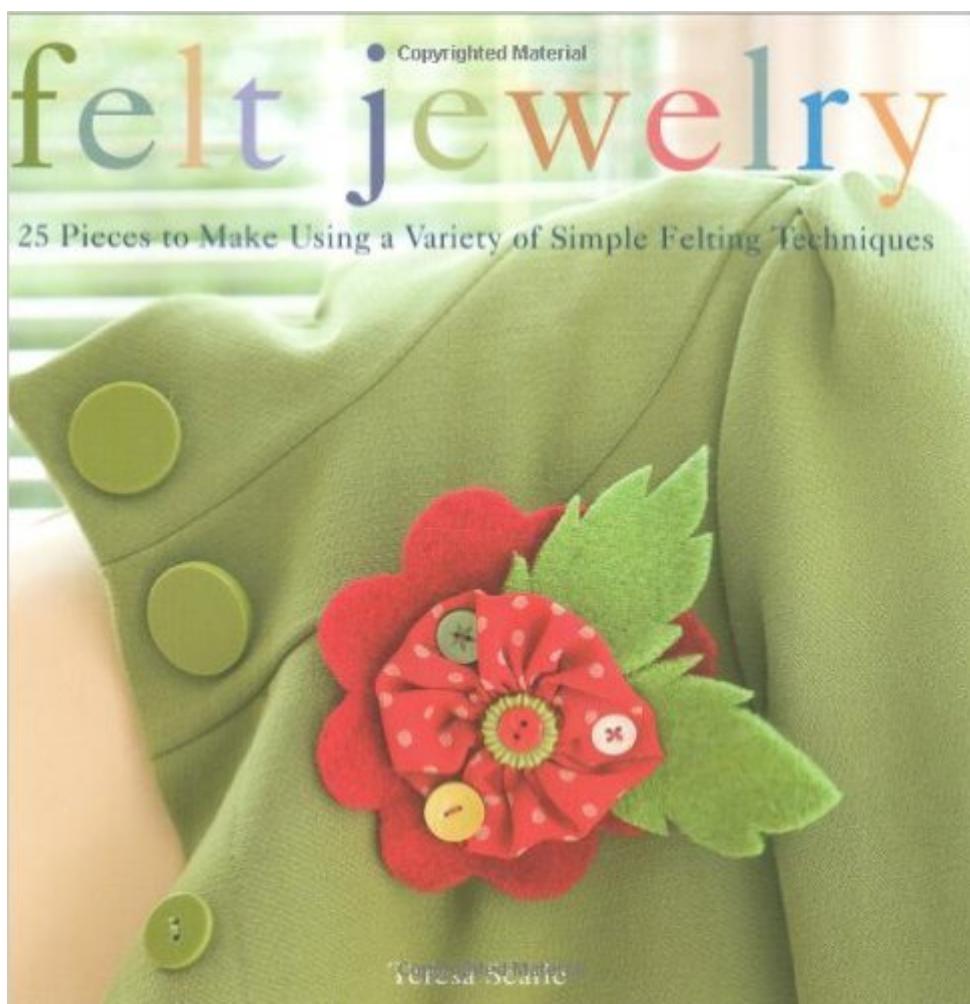


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# Felt Jewelry: 25 Pieces To Make Using A Variety Of Simple Felting Techniques



## **Synopsis**

The author of *Heartfelt and Textile Jewelry* is back with more of her exceptionally lovely designs for using felt in creative ways. As felt is easy to make and work with it has become a favorite material used by crafters, knitters and others, and now combined with other decorative elements, like decorative stitching and beads it becomes irresistible! Teresa takes you step-by-step through the projects showcasing a variety of felt-making processes including rolled felt, 3-D felt, and felt made in your own washing machine. In addition she includes ideas for using commercially-made felt that can be found in any craft store. Perfect for anyone who enjoys the versatility of felt and is interested in making fabulous one-of-a-kind jewelry. These twenty-five jewelry items will easily fit your personal style. Adorned with stitching, beading, and dyeing any crafter can create fabulous pieces to complement their favorite outfits.

## **Book Information**

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## **Customer Reviews**

I recently purchased this book, expecting like usual, to only like one or two of the projects. Well, I was pleasantly surprised! The directions are very clear and accurate, and the projects have a nice range of type, difficulty, and materials used. The only (small) downside I found was that some of the projects require patterns which need to be increased considerably in size, requiring you to go to a copy shop to have them made in the proper size. For those of us who don't have easy access to such an establishment, that is a bit of a challenge. Some of the patterns can be copied in their larger sizing in sections and taped together, but some won't work that way. All in all, it is a very good book

with a nice range of felting projects.

The picture on the book was a little misleading. I thought the book would have more projects using flat felt pieces, not felt fiber for FELTING. It was my mistake. I should have done more research on the book. There are a couple of projects in the book that can be for felt pieces, not fiber, and that are cute. I really like the FLOWER BOUQUET NECKPIECE on pages 66-71. But be aware that this book is for taking wool fiber and turning it into felt jewelry.

I just received this yesterday and have loved looking at all the beautiful photographs. There are many creative projects with clear directions. Basics of needle felting, etc. are also included. I purchased a similar book and there were only ideas, no "how-to" for the beginner. This book covers everything. I'm very pleased!

I purchased this book for inspiration for my wool felt projects and I was not disappointed. While I doubt that I will use too many of the patterns (they are a bit too 'hemp hippy' style for my tastes), each pattern will give me ideas from which I can create something a bit more refined and delicate to suit my tastes. If you want to be inspired, this book will do the trick nicely regardless of your fashion tastes.

One of the things I especially like about this book is the variety of interesting techniques and unique styles shown. I have done a lot of "basic" felting but this book has inspired me to try new things. I had great success even though I used slightly different materials, because some things were hard to find here. The pictures and directions made it easy to get great results. There are "beginner" level projects too and the instructions are clear so you can move beyond what you already know.

The jewelry is a bit funky for my taste but I will keep the volume as a reference. I run a small shop and we teach felting. Of course not everyone has the same taste so some may adore the projects. The book came through very quickly. I give the book 2 stars and 5.

Lots of interesting & different jewelry ideas. Great for gifts or personal wear to add a touch of flair to a jacket or that special outfit. You can tweak the ideas to make them your very own creation!

I have done almost every project in this book but I always change it a bit to make it more my own. It

has clear instructions as well as great photographs. I recommend this for your library. A good buy!

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