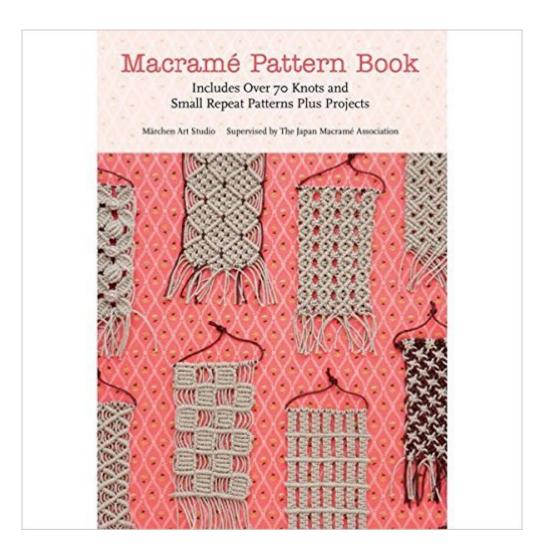
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# Macrame Pattern Book: Includes Over 70 Knots And Small Repeat Patterns Plus Projects





# Synopsis

Learn how to make over seventy macramé knots and small repeat patterns, then use them to create a wide range of projects. Each knot is shown in a close-up photograph with clear step-by-step diagrams showing how they are tied. Starting with the basics, the knots progress on to more complicated and complex designs, but the clear diagrams make it a cinch to follow along. This invaluable guidebook covers the different types of threads or cords available, and shows a range of clasps and other findings and beads to use in your knotwork. It also includes tons of expert tips like how to set up your work board or how to keep track of the cord ends for less confusion. Thirty-three projects featured in the book range from simple jewelry like a classic friendship bracelet and watch straps to more complex ones like bags and baskets.

### **Book Information**

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### **Customer Reviews**

i love this book. i'm currently working on 3 projects at the same time using various sizes of cords--havent' finished one yet but i had to write this review because i think this book is just beautiful. i didn't see that it was japanese when i ordered it which to me is a HUGE bonus because i adore craft books from japan. they're some of the most beautiful books i own and this one is just like it. i was thrilled when it came in. there's absolutely no translation issues either which is another huge plus. it was created by some kind of huge nation-wise macrame society of japan so seems to be an authentic authority. i knew absolutely nothing about macrame but this book seems to cover it all--both small-scale jewelry pieces (sennets) and then what i was interested in--larger-scale "panels" for wall-hangings or bags, etc. lots of patterns, tons of different knots, clear directions and its beautiful to boot. so often you get a craft book and you have to imagine all the examples but with

better or more interesting aesthetics? not here. the people who did this have excellent taste (i think) so its inspiring, too. i really, really love it.

This book showed up a lot sooner than the delivery date. I'm so happy with it, I'm really into tying hemp and what not, but I also have another macrame book besides this one. This one may be my favorite. It has tons of small patterns and ones I've never seen before. Love it! And it came without any damage, just brand new.I'd definitely recommend this book to beginners and advanced macrame artists.

I knew how to do Macramé in the past, but wanted a book as a refresher as well as some more current pattern ideas . I bought this book and it is by far the best instruction book I have ever seen. The pictures are great, the illustrations are very clear . I did not realize this when I bought it , but it was originally written by the Japanese Macramé Association in 2011 and then translated and published by St Martin's PressIn addition to instructions for 70 knots with samplers there are a lot of patterns for belts, purses, bracelets, necklaces, amulet bags, household items and other things . I am very happy with this book!

this is a great book especially for a beginner like me..the only thing i didn't like about the book is the separation of the photos for the projects and the instructions because of that i keep on scanning the book and wasting my time looking for the certain projects and how the project supposed to look like.

The book has clear instructions for each knot and step. I do like this book very much, but the publishers should have published it spiral bound, so the book lays flat when trying to follow the instructions. To make this book lay flat to keep it open to be able to follow the designs, you need to pretty much break the spine of the book. When this happens, the pages can come loose. I removed all the pages and had it spiral bound. This is the way the book should be to start with.

This 2013 translated book gives lots of examples of patterns to create your own products. I create micro-macrame jewelry pieces, and it just gives a little extra to boost my creativity. I highly recommend this for beginners as well as experienced knotters.

This is one of the best books on macrame I've read, if not the best. It gives clear instructions on the knots, and not only that, on how to start and end various types of patterns, also (I havent read

anywhere else) how to join your thread if youve run out, showing the varying ways of doing this in the various knots. Wonderful! Also, even though its not strictly about jewellery making, it shows various clasps and finishings to use. Very thorough and detailed. I feel that with this book I could make anything!

This book is beautifully presented and offers so many knots and patterns that are mostly easy to follow. Of course it would be easier if already knew how to do it but I don't, thus I bought the book. Every week I start on a new pattern sample so I can become well acquainted with and adept with the particular pattern. The instructions and pictures lend to a positive experience that I hope will continue forever.

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