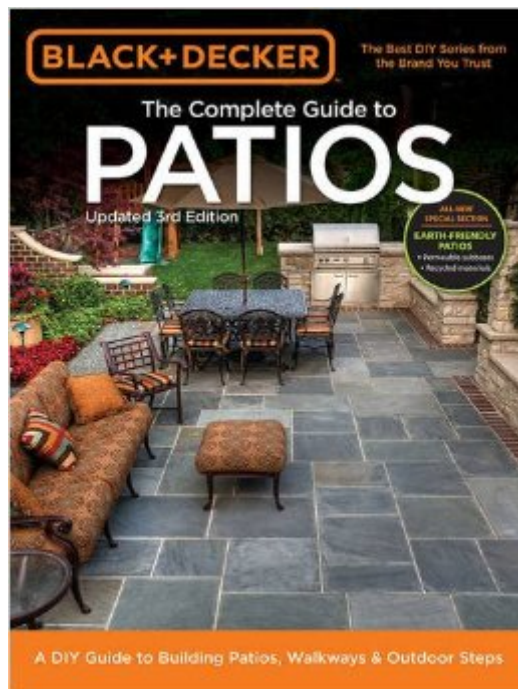


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# Black & Decker Complete Guide To Patios - 3rd Edition: A DIY Guide To Building Patios, Walkways & Outdoor Steps



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Black & Decker The Complete Guide to Patios gets a fresh update with the latest products, even more projects, and all-new photos. With all of the DIY-friendly products for backyard building available today, the only valid excuse not to build your own patio or walkway is that you haven't found the right guide for you. That's about to change. In Black & Decker The Complete Guide to Patios (3rd Edition), the expert editors of Cool Springs Press arm you with thorough, comprehensive information for virtually any patio or walkway undertaking you can think of. An extensive materials and design section helps you wrap your head around all the upfront planning, and the over 30 step-by-step patio, walkway, and landscape projects within are illustrated with detailed, brand-new photographs to guide your progress along the way. Whether you prefer more traditional materials--interlocking blocks and pavers, poured concrete, flagstone, loose gravel and mulch--or you want to be on the cutting edge of the industry with new artificial pavers, geogrid synthetics, and pervious concrete, we've diligently updated this guide to include it all. Finished with a new ending chapter that shows you how to fully customize your DIY patio or walkway, the inspiration inside Black & Decker The Complete Guide to Patios perfectly aligns with all the needs of today's do-it-yourself homeowner.

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I've done both a round sand-set paver patio in my front yard, overlaid a brick masonry patio over a plain concrete slab, and helped two neighbors with their patios using nothing but this book. Exactly what I needed a full survey of all available types of patio stone, as well as detailed enough instructions to let me get the work done. Good step-by-step instructions are rare, and this book (as well as all books in this series) most certainly do the job.

At last some instructions on using innovative and earth friendly materials, particularly those interlocking plastic pavers, TERREWALKS. I just may build my own patio now. A lovely, well presented book.

VERY GOOD DETAIL.....BUT THE ONLY PATIOS THEY SHOW MADE ARE LIKE \$20,000 ONES

Typical B&D book with not well designed examples. Very good details, photos and materials lists for the DIY. But, for a book to be useful it should have been in a spiral or similar binder to be able to lay it open. The binding is very stiff and the heavy, large size makes it even difficult to read at a desk or in your lap.

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Nice for general how-to - not so much for ideas

Great pictures with clear instructions!

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