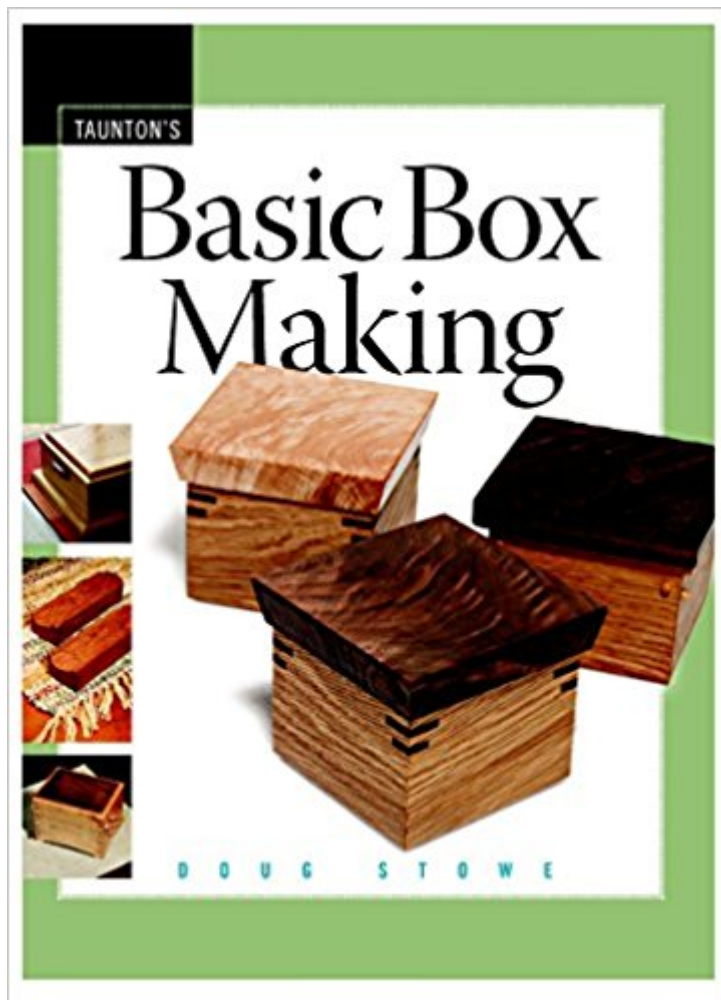


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Basic Box Making



Synopsis

Learn the art of box making from one of the foremost experts of the craft. Through Doug Stowe's decades of experience, you'll learn the basic techniques to get started, as well as more advanced ways to approach finely crafted boxes. Project after project, your skills will build, and you'll come to refine your work, asking how can processes could be simplified and how can finishes be improved. Throughout the book, Stowe offers this advice: Repeat yourself. Repetition leads to refinement, and refinement leads to success. Though it's not necessary to build the projects in this book in any particular order, they are arranged by the level of difficulty. As you grow in confidence working through the projects in this book, use your imagination and ask a few questions: What if this box were made in that wood? What if that joint were used on this box? What if the lid had more overhang? What if I made it larger, or smaller? The question "What if?" will challenge and engage you as a box maker for years of adventure.

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Doug Stowe, a professional woodworker for over three decades, is known for his decorative boxes, incorporating natural materials and North American hardwoods. He is the author of several books, including Beautiful Boxes, Taunton's Complete Illustrated Guide to Box Making, and Basic Box Making. He has also appeared in two feature-length DVD videos. Stowe teaches woodworking in his hometown of Eureka Springs, Arkansas, as well as at the Marc Adams School of Woodworking.

He is a several times winner of the Vaughn Golden Hammer Awards for excellence in home and workshop writing.

Product delivered when promised and was as advertised.

I have several books by the author Doug Stowe and some of his videos about making wooden boxes. I think he knows the subject well enough, has enough experience and in his books he shares valuable procedures, tips and even design ideas for getting a good performance on this labor. This book like the others, is a very good book about wooden box making. Anyone who makes wooden boxes, will appreciate the information found in this book. I highly recommend.

Excellent book for the subject.

I purchased this dvd because I wanted to use up some scrap lumber - unknowing how Doug Stowe made this process so simple. I had to laugh when he talked about his equipment - the age - and yet he produces some master projects. Doug keeps things simple - gives the basis of how to do instructions and what you can come up with is many, many different styles just by changing some simple procedure in the crafting of the box. The tips are great and with this dvd you can keep busy all winter long - making something that you will be proud of. I incorporated the Green and Green style - and most of Doug's tips and came up with some fantastic boxes. My thanks to Doug for sharing his knowledge with us.

Great book! another good clear how to build boxes book!

Box making is extremely exacting woodworking. Simple looking is not simple making. This book opens your eyes to how to make really nice boxes. Lots of ideas to stimulate your creative juices.

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