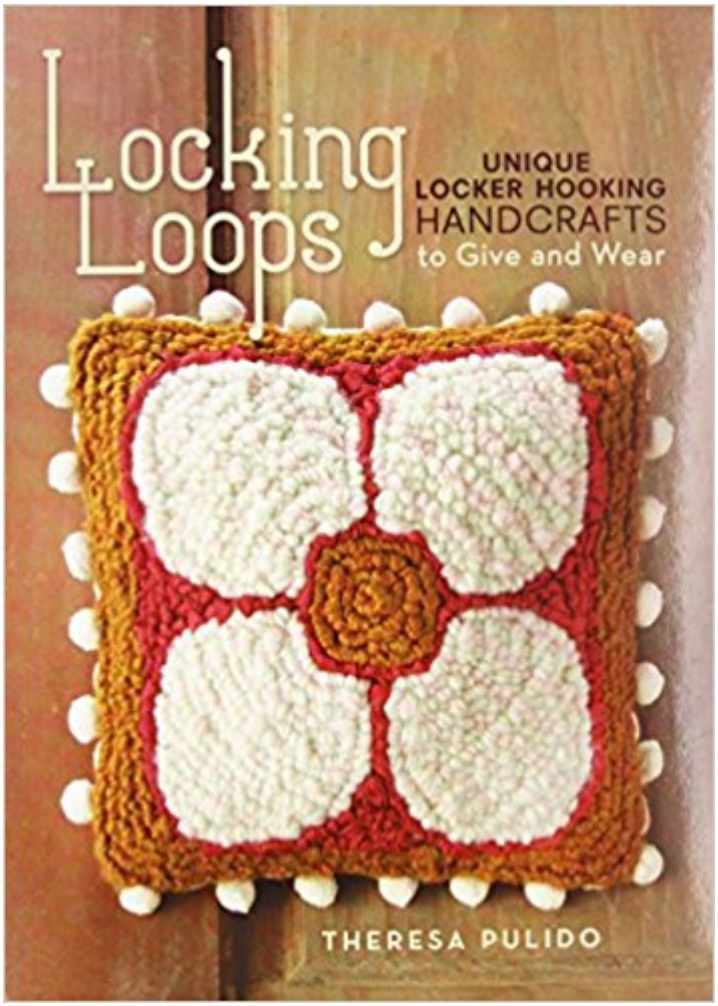
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Synopsis

Get hooked on color, texture and design!Theresa Pulido introduced her fresh, colorful take on locker hooking in her first book, "Hook, Loop & Lock," and in "Locking Loops" she’s back with even more fabulous, original locker hooking projects. Whether you are already a fan of locker hooking or new to it, you’re sure to find inspiration in these pages. "Locking Loops" features new techniques, stunning projects and exciting new materials for locker hooking. Try your hand at these new designs for gifts, accessories and home decor. Every project can be customized to fit your unique sense of style.In "Locking Loops" you will find: 30 projects including rugs, pillows, tableware, baskets, bags and wearables like a belt, brooch, bracelet and more.Color stitching charts and step-by-step instructions to make each project a breeze.An in-depth technique section with an exciting new technique, ruched frames, which displays fabric beautifully.If you’ve been looking for new ways to use up the fabric, yarn and ribbon in your craft stash, locker hooking may be for you. And if you love projects bursting with color and texture, "Locking Loops" is definitely for you! Locker hook your way to a beautiful new project today.

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Customer Reviews

After writing "Hook, Loop & Lock, " I had so many designs and new ideas that I needed to share. Locker hooking is a craft that has yet to be truly explored and I feel we’ve only begun to tap it’s true potential. In "Locking Loops," I set out to inspire more by exploring with new materials to create fun texture and unique designs. It’s also about fun use of color in design and the idea of taking locker hooking to a new level with wearables.

Theresa has always been fanatical about color and she has recently decided to focus full time on her creativity. Today, Theresa enjoys promoting the craft of locker hooking with demonstrations and workshops while operating her home-based business, Color Crazy. Theresa has worked with Princess Mirah Design/Bali Fabrics Inc. and other craft supply companies. She is also the host of lockerhooking.ning.com. To learn more about her designs and patterns, visit colorcrazy.com. Theresa Pulido lives in Sonoma, CA.

This is by far the best book on locker hooking I have read, and I own a few! Enthusiasm for the craft shows in every sentence and is infectious -- I was tempted to start a new project at midnight! In Locking Loops, meant for locker hookers with a bit of experience, the "review" of basic techniques is better than any of the other authors' books meant for beginners.The projects use new and imaginitive techniques, which you can then also apply to other projects you dream up yourself. And I mean imaginitive! This is not a book showing much by the way of row after row of basic loop making! You'll see long full loops, fringe yarn looped along with the fabric, ribbon and yarn, the author's original "ruched frames" where locker hooking rows frame an area filled with long stitches of fabric strips. Projects are three-dimensional, shaped, colorful, and have tons of touchable texture. Much of the work should be considered fabric art!Textile-based mixed media bracelets, flower-shaped LH embellishments that are gorgeous, and a clutch made from rows of sari silk strips and rustic cotton osnaburg are just plain gorgeous! This book is a definite recommend!

This book is to the point, yet the concepts are clearly and briefly explained. The author's passion for locker hooking is beautifully conveyed. A quick read through the book made me want to make everything in it and more. The idea that creating my own designs was a feasible option was refreshing. The illustrations visually added to the versatility and artistic components of locker hooking. My first projects were two different cuff bracelets. As with any new craft, It took a bit of fumbling to feel comfortable with the process of actually doing locker hooking. Locker hooking is a repetitive craft so increased skill occurs quickly.

This book is really informative and has lots of photos. The only thing I would change about a book of this type that uses fabric, is some photos of what the fabric looked like before it was all cut up. Some of the strips are prints and I hae no idea what to look for in the store to get the same effect.

This is a ’like-new’ book and arrived very quickly. I was very excited to get it, along with a second book on same subjest. Apparently, this is an old form of rug-making, which not too many people are aware of and not available locally...but had it!!I always find what I’m looking for on !.. It’s my "go to" place. Thanks to all involved.

I have another book of this same author "HOOK, LOOP AND LOCK" in printed material. I would have rather prefered to have this "LOCKING LOOPS" book in that same format but anyway digital or printed it still is a beatiful an full of new ideas book.

I purchased this as a used book. When it arrived, I was so thrilled!! It was just like new, and it didn’t look as if had been used at all. The book is great, beautiful pictures with patterns for all of them. The instructions are complete and easy to follow, even for a newbie locker hooker like me.

This is a great book that shows you how to do smaller projects and not just rugs. I enjoyed it very much and have done quite a few of her projects.

The pictures are what draw you into this book and the instructions are well written but the supplies to make any project are not that easy or readily available. Can’t wait to try to make something.

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