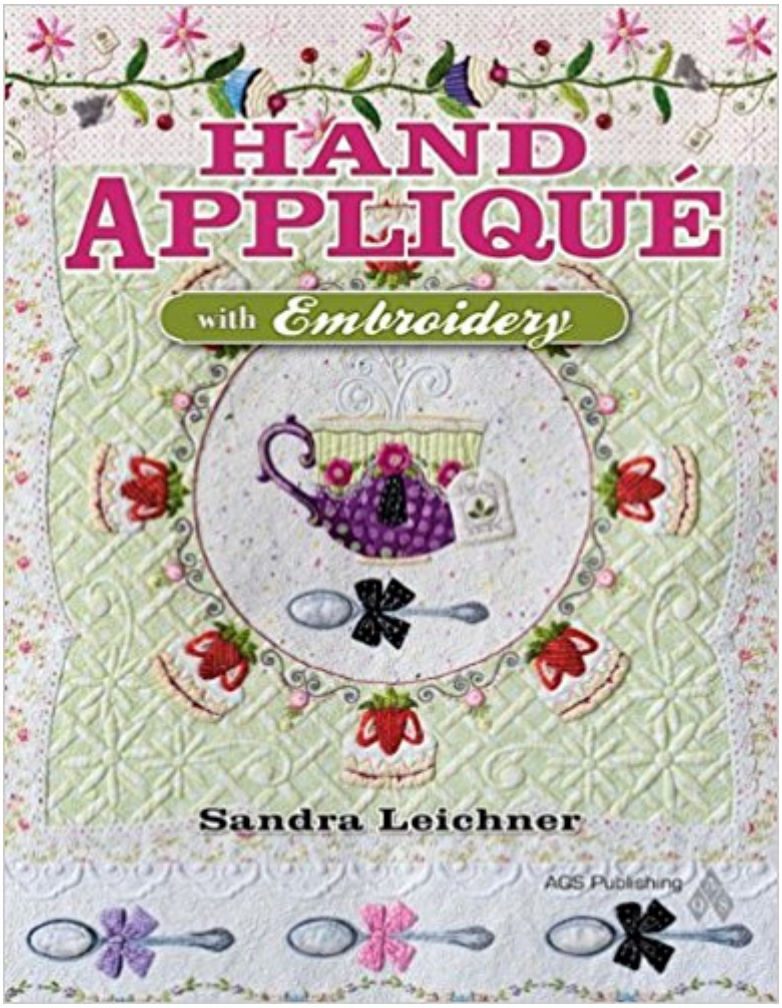
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# Hand AppliqueÃ¢â‚¬Åi With Embroidery




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Sandra Leichner is a master and this book showcases her techniques with a lot of helpful hints and great photos.

Highly recommend!

So beautiful and such clear directions! I will definitely use this as one of my go-to references! It has so many inspirational ideas for quilts!

I am not a "hand sewing" person... but this book perked my interest. Beautiful photos, many technique tips, and then projects that move you through baby steps on up to really big leaps! I am enjoying my stitching time, even if it takes me longer than the author says it should take, but I count that off as being my own personal problem, lol.Yes I would buy it again. Yes I am learning a lot. Yes it is written and illustrated well. ... and if I ever get tired of the book, I just may cut out the photos and frame them for my wall!

The author, Sandra Leichner, has written an inspirational book about applique. This book is probably not for beginners. However, I think beginners to advanced sewists will all be captivated by the applique projects pictured in the book. The author takes applique to the next level by combining applique techniques with embroidery and quilting techniques. This is a book I can use for a long long time because it has specific advice on fabrics, threads, and techniques.

Sandra Leichner does such beautiful work and her book has inspired me. I am now motivated to look at the small details on my own applique creations and bump them up a notch (or two). In addition Sandra Leichner added details to the background quiliting part of her projects.I loved this background detail so much I ordered a book on Trapunto by machine. Although it is doubtful I will ever create an art piece with such elaborate detail and beauty as Sandra does I love this book!

Whether you are a beginner or seasoned appliquer - this book is amazing. Sandra walks through each and every step of the applique and embroidery process with detailed instructions and photographs. Her style of appplique is absolutely beautiful. I would highly recommend this book to

anyone who is interested in applique. I love my book!

Sandra has shared with us her exacting methods of the finest detail work and manages to make it appear that any of us can join her. Beautiful pictures with instructions for beginners to advanced artists. Well worth the time and small investment to have these techniques in your bag of tricks.

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