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**Primrose Path, Donna Kooler Design Studio : Country-Style Painted Wood Projects** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Country-Style Painted Wood Projects:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. "An Almost Perfect 'How-To'"By Deborah CollinThe Table of Contents, colorful but cluttered, sets the stage for the entire book, with a layout that would have profited hugely from simplicity. In striving to make it more "artistic," they have inadvertently made it difficult to read and painful to follow. Unfortunate, since the projects themselves are quite beautiful.The decorative painting is polished and accomplished, in a style that could best be described as "gift shop country," a little too refined for some tastes, and a little too cute for others. Fortunately, there is a broad range of projects, and if the "Merry Krismoose" sign is not to your liking, the "Sunflowers and Pansies" window box may well be.If you can get past the cluttered layout, the instructions are actually well written and informative, and the carefully drawn patterns and color photographs of each finished project make for a very useful "how-to." An enormous bonus is the "book within a book," the step-by-step full-color photos of the detailed painting procedure that serves as a beginning course in decorative painting.My one criticism of the designs involves the rather clunky-looking wheels on the animal cutouts. They are far too primitive and much too dominant for the pieces they were intended to merely enhance. All you SEE is the wheels, and it's a jarring vision.The rest of the projects are right on the money, if you want a touch of country, but don't want to wander too far down the folk art path. If you like "Country Sampler," you're going to love "Country-Style Painted Wood Projects."6 of 22 people found the following review helpful. Fun and colorful ideas for wood paintingBy A CustomerTable of Contents - General Instructions: - General Supplies - Projects like: Wart the Frog Flopsie Rabbit Sittin' Kitten Barnyard Welcome Henny Penny all with a photo, instructions and patterns

Wish you could fill your home with charm? Try making these fabulous projects: a rooster crooning a barnyard welcome, a loving piglet covered in pink hearts, a black cat bedecked in jack-o'-lanterns, a beautiful blueberry step stool, and dozens more of the most delightful country-style designs ever! Every pattern is here, including helpful color drawings illustrating each decorative layer, from base to shadow and highlights, to final details. 128 pages (all in color), 8 1/2 x 10.