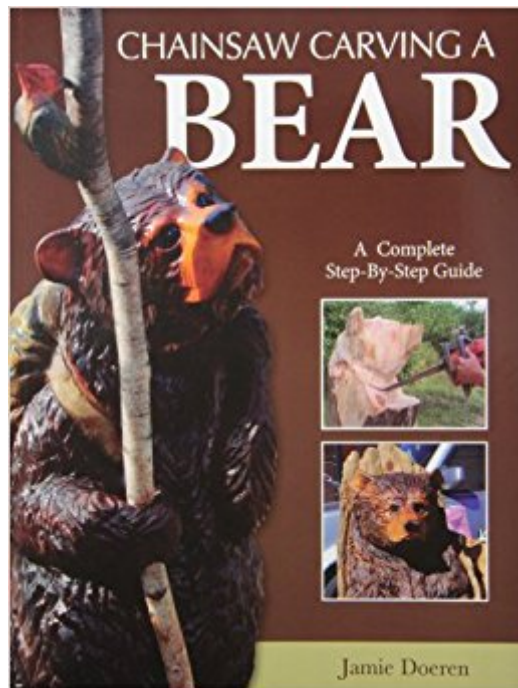




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Chainsaw Carving A Bear: A Complete Step-By-Step Guide



Synopsis

Learn the secrets to transforming an ordinary piece of wood into a striking work of art with the easy-to-follow instructions in this book. Inside you'll find 3 step-by-step projects for carving realistic and caricature bears with a chainsaw. Covers pattern design, layout, and basic chainsaw cuts.

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Customer Reviews

Chainsaw carving is quickly becoming a popular hobby for woodworkers and a lucrative way to earn money selling carvings. Now, you can learn the secrets to transforming an ordinary piece of wood into a striking work of art with the easy-to-follow instructions included in this book. Inside you'll find: - Overview of the chainsaw - Safety information - Photo reference of live bears - Step-by-step demonstrations for 3 projects Follow the author as he guides you through 3 projects. From start to finish, you'll learn how to carve: - Cub in a stump - Caricature bear with welcome sign - Growling grizzly

Jamie Doeren is a chainsaw carver from Wisconsin. While bears are not his all-time favorite subject to carve with a chainsaw, he grudgingly admits that chainsawed bears are extremely popular among the folks who visit his Wisconsin shop. He is currently working on decorating the interior of a woodland cabin in Wisconsin, which involves carving mantels, staircases and more - all with a chainsaw. You can visit Jamie online at www.chainsawsculpture.com.

I bought this book for my husband who had never done any kind of art work like this. It gives instructions in a very detailed way and he has been able to follow it very easily and create a bear just was outlined in this book. I love it!

This book has lots of information and photos about the actual carving process of three different bears. However, that's about ALL this book contains. It contains NO information or pictures on: *How to find and select logs* Additional bear poses beyond the three listed* How to paint or finish the bears* How to display the bears* How to sell/market the finished product Also, note that every photo in the step-by-step process is taken from exactly the same position, so some cuts and/or steps are not very visible. That said, there are enough illustrations to make up for this shortcoming. Bottom line: If you want to learn to chainsaw carve a bear, this book is adequate, but I'm hoping for a 2nd edition covering the materials listed above, as well as basic ratios for determining proportions on the bear.

Bought this book to get an idea on how to chain saw carve a bear. It is pretty detailed. but I think it leaves out many steps in the process.

IT IS GREAT - I HAVE PROGRESSED TO THE POINT THAT PEOPLE ARE STEALING BEARS OUT OF MY YARD!!!

just fine

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Very good instructions. Easy to follow and easy to complete the carving.

Great Book gets you started in the right direction.

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