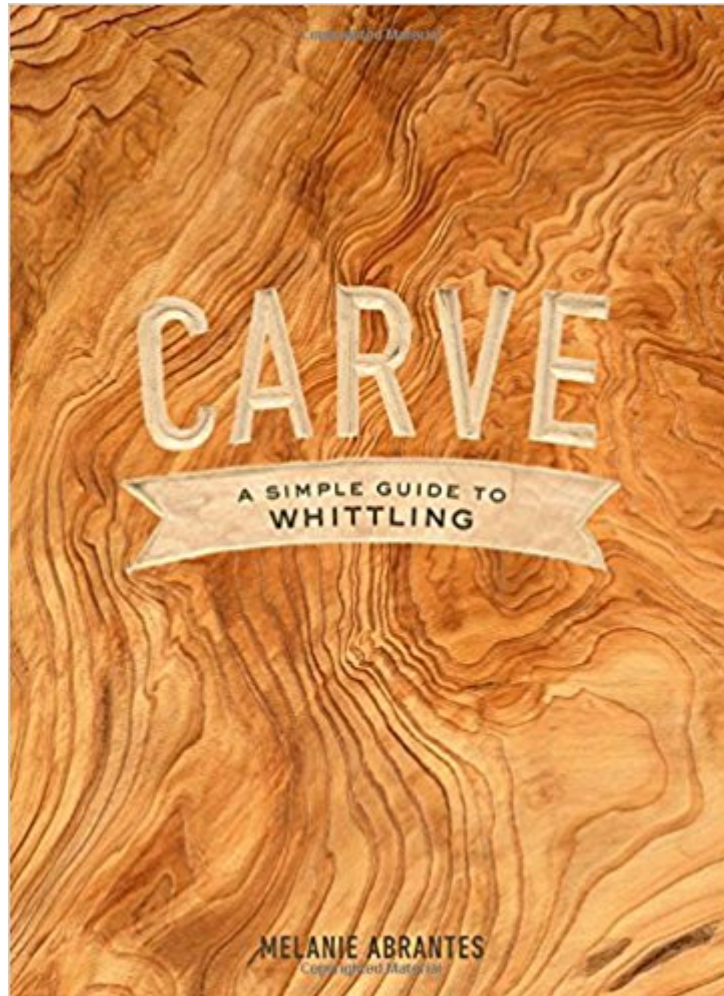




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Carve: A Simple Guide To Whittling



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Whittle a beautiful spoon, comb, pair of dice, and more with this fresh introduction to a folksy craft. *Carve* modernizes a mindful hobby that people have turned to for generations to help them slow down, relax, and connect with the outdoors. Choose from a dozen projects with bespoke details, all are designed to be useful at home or while camping. And because these objects are small, they require only a few hours and a tool or two to complete. You'll also learn how to choose the right knife and wood, helpful information on techniques and safety, and tips for refining, personalizing and maintaining your piece. Whether you're headed to the woods or just to the porch, this pocket-sized guide will have you carving your own unique designs in no time.

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Product designer and maker MELANIE ABRANTES runs her own wooden spoon carving workshops in Oakland and sells her designs in small shops and retail stores nationwide, including Urban Outfitters and West Elm. She's been featured in *Martha Stewart Living*, *Anthology*, *Domino* magazine, *Dwell*, and *Bon Appétit*.

This is a great little book for beginner whittlers. I love that the book is a small size and hardcover. The photos included are clear, beautiful, and helpful. The author comes across clearly with her instructions and passion for this art form. She emphasizes that whittling is both just as rewarding as it can be dangerous. The book includes easy, intermediate, and hard projects and also includes

some simple patterns in the back that you can follow. If you're looking for a new hobby or something to do with your fidgety hands, this may be the very thing for you! I received this book from the publisher but was not required to leave a review. All opinions expressed here are my own.

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