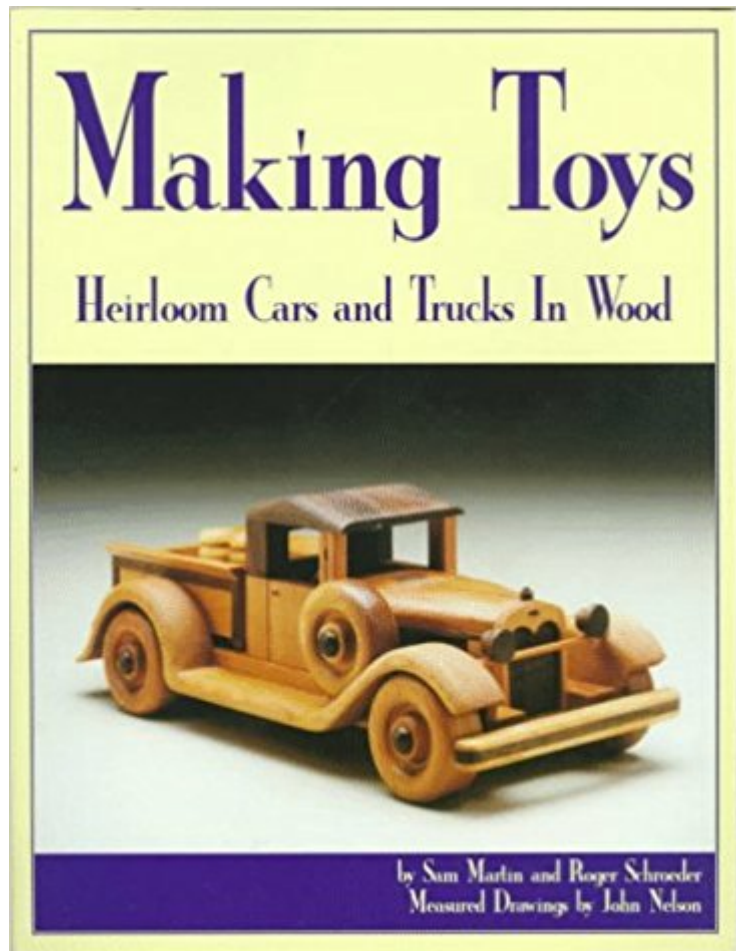




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Making Toys: Heirloom Toys To Make In Wood



Synopsis

The most complete book yet on making collectible toys from wood. Step-by-step instructions demonstrate how to construct five different models, which include a 1932 Buick sedan, a Ford "Model A" pickup, a Peterbilt truck tractor, a van trailer, and a flat bed trailer. Measured drawings containing every detail will help turn out vehicles that both adults and children will appreciate and hand down as treasured heirlooms.

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Excellent shape Book! Thank you!

good book

The book is in great shape. The shipping was fast, and I am in the middle of following the book for a toy truck. We'll see how it turns out, but so far it is a good book to follow the directions by.

The book has some very interesting plans and good photos for those how like to work with wood

and make toys for children and as keepsakes. However this is not for the beginning wood worker. The plans were not proofed before printing, there are many measurements missing or do not agree with parts list. Unless the part is drawn to scale you will need to make it to fit on your own. Having a complete wood shop, I found that I had to use many tools that were not listed as needed in the book. In some cases I needed to improvise, such as using my drill press as a vertical lathe. Just watch the grain patterns as shown and you will be able to produce something to be proud of. To date I have made the Pick Up (29 Ford), Peterbilt Tractor with box trailer and Buick Sedan. From the experience I gained it should make it possible to complete the projects pictured but not show in detail.

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