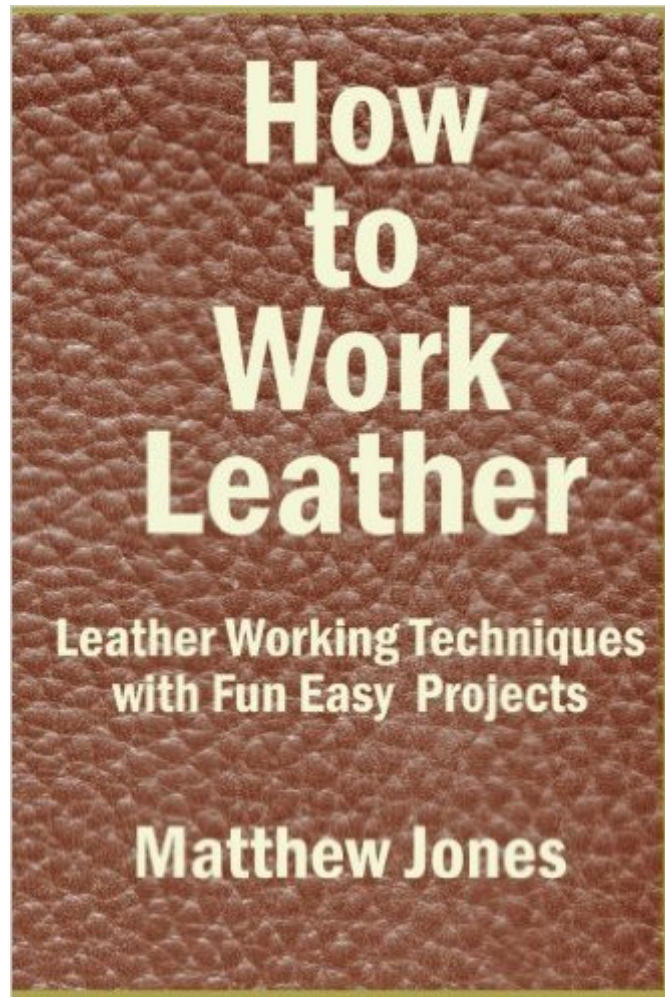


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# How To Work Leather: Leather Working Techniques With Fun, Easy Projects.



## Synopsis

Learn everything you need to get started with leather craft in one afternoon – even if you are a beginner! Leather working is a satisfying and fun hobby. With this quick-start guide you'll discover how easy it is to make beautiful, creative gifts. If you've ever wondered how to get started with leather working, or want to jump back into it, this book is a must. Matt Jones takes you step-by-step through understanding the basics of leatherworking, to creating your first leather projects. The patterns are classic and hand drawn with details, including: leather bag, leather belt, leather purses and more... You will learn:

- The tools for working with leather, what they are and where to get them
- How to get started leather working
- Simple leather stitches
- The cleanest way to cut leather and the tools you need to do it right
- How to create a leather purse, belt, billfold, picture frame and more
- Hand-drawn illustrations of tools and patterns
- Step-by-step techniques for creating gorgeous leather projects
- Basic stitches and tools
- Tips for making it look great

10 Vintage Leatherworking Projects to inspire you, including: leather handbags, leather purses, leather patterns, supplies, dyes, and tooling. With 10 beginner projects. Written clearly and concisely, this book covers the basic of leather working techniques. Essential book for any leather workers library.

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## Customer Reviews

Knowing absolutely nothing about leather, I dove into this book wondering if this could be THE resource I could use when considering a leather project. It is! The advice is for someone like myself - tips on how to begin a leather project to keep discouragement at bay, including the weight and type of leather to choose, and the wisdom of buying a leather-making kit and much more....an

invaluable guide to working with leather!

This is a short introduction to leather-working. After purchasing it, I found that simply watching YouTube videos and reading free information gave me much more information than this ebook. I was hoping for more illustration. You will be disappointed if you are any degree of visual learner. The only upside to this is possibly taking it with me to a leathercraft store (assuming I remember my kindle). Summary: if you already have an introductory leatherworking book, or are comfortable perusing the internet, skip this book.

This book does not explain how to work with leather. It gives basic descriptions of some techniques but does not explain how to perform them. For example, Decorative stitching: It says "decorative stitching may be added." That's it! It doesn't tell you how or describe any steps or techniques.

This hobby has fascinated me since I was in the Scouts, years ago. But I'm a newbie in working with leather. This book gave me some great ideas, with step by step instruction. It really covers the whole process from buying leather to tooling, stitching and making projects. I'm looking forward to putting this teaching to work. I'm glad I found this to help me out.

I started working with leather years ago in elementary school. I ordered this book more to see the projects offered, which are great and easy to do, and as a bonus, with well written directions! It was interesting to read the instructions on how to score your design with a craft knife - I've always used a leather knife. Not sure I would be able to use a craft knife that way either. I think a diagram of the layers of the skin of the leather would have helped the description of what you try to do when scoring the design on the top of the leather. Just my opinion though. Would I suggest this book to others? Wholeheartedly!

I've got a lot of leather laying around and I haven't done much with it because I have found it a little hard to work with. This book is easy to understand and easy to read and has made "working with leather" much easier ... in fact I don't have much lying around any more and am looking for some resources for some more leather. Good written publication, easy to understand, very informative.

Not worth wasting your time. No really valuable information. If you want a book that tells you everything you need to buy to work with leather go for it. If you are looking for a how to guide you're

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