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Leisure Arts : Embroidery Pocket Guide (Leisure Arts #56019) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Embroidery Pocket Guide (Leisure Arts #56019):

31 of 31 people found the following review helpful. Exactly what I wished for
By Wondering Woman
I am new to embroidery and want to enjoy this new craft wherever I might find a moment of leisure. Therefore, I was seeking an easily portable quick reference guide to toss into my Toy Bag since I can't tote around my larger reference books. This guide arrived from the seller a day earlier than predicted. ((Yah!) It is heavily laminated so it should stand up to lots of wear and tear; the graphcially depicted references are easily understood, and there is a very handy ruler-guide along the edge. This would be a great addition for anyone's Toy Bag --- and a thoughtful part of a gift package from "an elder" to "a younger" to start the recipient down the path of a craft that can yield years of Zen-like peaceful and creative hours.
21 of 21 people found the following review helpful. Helpful guide
By Kim
I learned to embroidery when I was very young and have embroidered occasionally over the years. I thought this guide would be helpful to learn a few different stitches. I was pleased with this purchase since it shows several stitches I didn't know how to do and it's very simple to understand with the illustrations.
0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Nice Guide, Great for Travel Bag or Lots of Handling
By JB knows
A Nice selection of stitches used a lot in embroidery. Purchased to go into travel bag since I needed extra durability. An additional feature is that the pages have a bit of space between them, with the plastic laminate only. This allows them to be easily folded so the page of interest shows. Purchased to use with a 9yo child as she begins to learn embroidery on a longer trip with lots of travel time.

Embroidery Pocket Guide (Leisure Arts #56019) is the handiest reference guide for embroiders ever -- a laminated pocket-size encyclopedia of the most popular stitches and much more. Approximately 8.5 inches tall by 4.625 inches wide, the guide folds out accordion-style with information on supplies and stitching tips, plus illustrated stitch guides. Featured stitches are backstitches, blanket stitches, chain stitches, couching stitches, cross stitches, featherstitches, filling stitches, running stitches, satin stitches, and weaving stitches. A ruler is printed along the edge for convenience.

About the Author
Leisure Arts is a leading publisher and distributor of "how-to" and lifestyle publications with emphasis on creative crafts, needlework, decorating, and entertaining. Leisure Arts is located in Little Rock, AR.