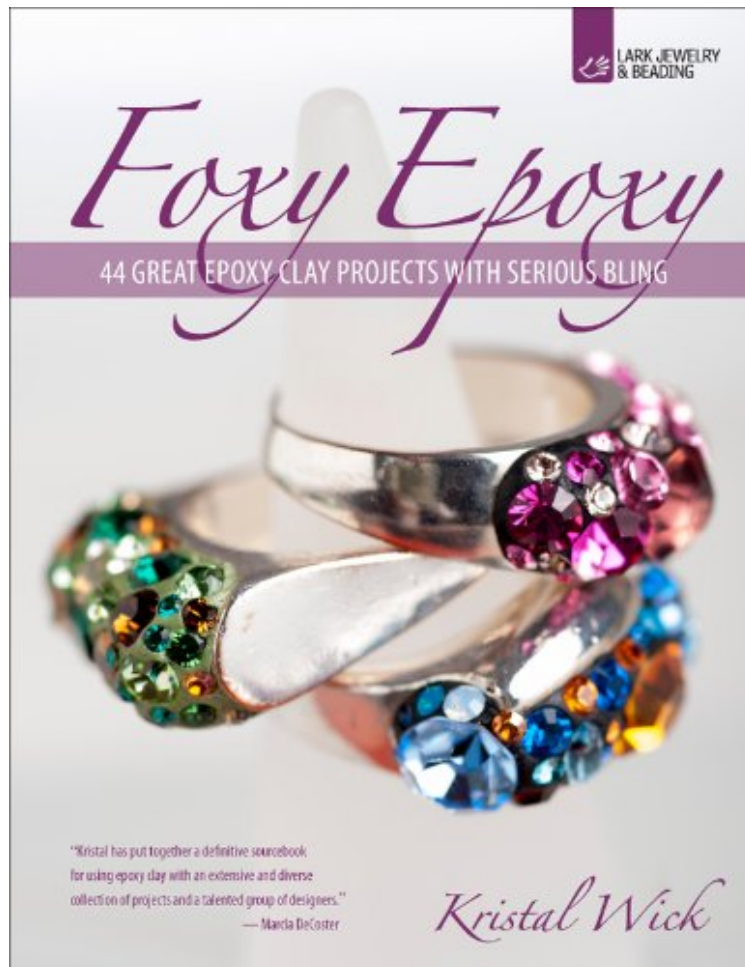


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Kristal Wick : Foxy Epoxy: 44 Great Epoxy Clay Projects with Serious Bling before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Foxy Epoxy: 44 Great Epoxy Clay Projects with Serious Bling:

5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Epoxy Clay By Katherine B. Foxy Epoxy... what a great title for a great book! There are a number of titles that would fit this book - Epoxy Clay Made Easy, The Beading Queen Teaches Quick Easy Epoxy Clay Designs, Learn Epoxy Clay Quick with Kristal Wick, or Learn How to Make Many Classy Epoxy Pieces from Ms Jewelry Herself. If you are interested in learning new epoxy clay tips, tempting techniques, tantalizing tricks, and fascinating fashion, this is the book for you. Ms Wick has a way of taking a gorgeous, complicated-looking design and breaking down the steps so that even the most novice creator can make something they will be truly proud of. Ms Wick has an impressive, extensive resume, and I sincerely enjoy her writing style. I like that she begins this book with basic epoxy clay instructions and

information - it familiarizes the beginning clayer with the materials, and reinforces knowledge for those with more experience. Her tip to do your nails with UV polish - while curing your UV resin - made me chuckle. I love that small photos of each project are printed on the page opposite the table of contents. I also found the portion on mold making and casting to be very helpful - for epoxy clay...AND resin...AND polymer clay. Many of Ms Wick's ideas and concepts easily translate to other media. So let's move on to the best part...The projects! The eye candy alone is worth the price of this book...it is SCRUMPTIOUS! A few projects that really stand out...Charmalicious Bracelet/Necklace (pg 40) by Kristal Wick, In the Round Earrings (pg 46) by Candie Cooper, Boho Vintage Bangle (pg 50) by Kristal Wick, Aqua Daydream Bracelet (pg 66) by Katie Hacker, Embellished Watchband (pg 70) by Kristal Wick, Vintage Filigree Necklace (pg 124) by Debbie Simon...Ok, let's be honest. I would list just about every project in the book if I continued! There are so many interesting, diverse projects in the book...I can't get enough of the eye candy. Pure and simple. It's like the pages call to you to make that piece - and it's just about impossible to resist! The other great asset to this book are the twelve awesome designers who contributed pieces. I'm familiar with most of them and know the high level of amazing art they create. The Roundabout Necklace (pg 59) Margot Potter (or Madge, as she's known) contributed is way mod - chic, contemporary, and swank. The really awesome part? You don't need a ton of tools and extra supplies to make these cool pieces. If you are already into jewelry making, you'll have most of the suggested items. If not, many of the suggestions can be substituted with something you most likely have around the house. WOOT! The crme de la crme...the pice de rsistance...the hold-onto-your-hat piece? I find it to be a tie. Imagine that...TWO designs are so absolutely incredible that I find it impossible to choose. The Shadow Box Necklace by Debbie Simon (pg 128) and the Madonna Necklace - also by Debbie Simon (pg 121). These two projects make this book worth its weight in gold...if you add those two pieces to everything else in this book...your book is an amazing investment, on many levels! Bottom Line: Absolutely awesome - a typically well-written book by Kristal Wick. Click that "Add to Cart" button quick - then hound your mail carrier until it arrives. You'll be SO glad you did! 8 of 8 people found the following review helpful. Fantastic By Chester42 Foxy Epoxy is stunning. Each project is more beautiful and enticing than the last and there are so many of them! I didn't know one could make such luxurious, boutique-quality jewelry at home and am excited to get going on my first one, although it is hard to decide which to choose first. The photography is visually stunning, the project directions clear. This is one impressive book and I can only guess at how much time and effort went into it. It is a pleasure to see such quality work and at such a great price. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Good idea book! By Tina Lots of ideas that I want to put my own spin on and the work by various artists in the book is very helpful to that end.

What's the hottest new trend among beaders for making fun, fashionable jewelry? Epoxy clay! Foxy Epoxy explores the unlimited potential of this fun material. It's so easy to work with: just mix, model, and embellish. There's no need for baking or firing. Popular author, blogger, and designer Kristal Wick covers all the basics, from the minimal equipment needed to the simple techniques. Forty fabulous projects 20 by Wick and 20 by other leading designers such as Candie Cooper, Margot Potter, Jean Campbell, and Andrew Thorton will inspire crafters of all levels.

Anyone with a small amount of jewelry making experience could learn something here Plus, for those who have lot of bead stringing, bead weaving, wire working, or other types of jewelry experience but have wanted to do something a little different, I think there is a lot in this book to offer them since they can combine epoxy clay with whatever jewelry they are already making. About.com Jewelry