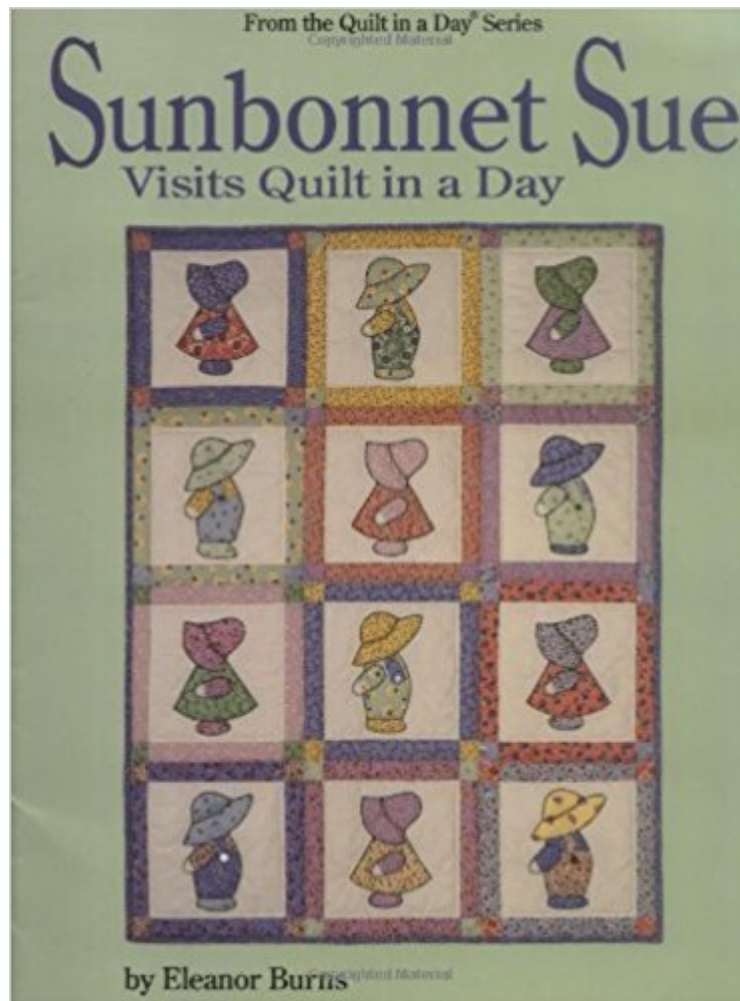


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A best seller ever since she joined the Quilt in a Day family Sunbonnet Sue features a unique applique method using iron-on interfacing. Until you try it you won't believe how quickly and perfectly you can make these charming blocks. Directions included for pretty Sue and her playmate Suspender Sam in a baby lap twin and double coverlet size as well as a Springtime wall-hanging. Softcover: 47 pages. Made in USA.

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Customer Reviews

Eleanor meets Sue in one of the most delightful of her quilting how-to books. If you're familiar with Ms. Burns' books and/or videos, you know that she's getting better with almost every volume...clearer instructions, more detailed illustrations, and enticing photos of the finished projects. An added treat in her Sunbonnet Sue volume is the clever series of illustrations featuring the famous little faceless lass engaging in the various steps in quilt-making (Sue earnestly plugging away at the sewing machine, etc.) This would be an excellent addition to a quilting library, and even a great first-time quilt project. Thanks to Eleanor's consistently excellent instructions, you'll be able to follow along with no difficulty...and even a chuckle or two.

I bought this book for myself because of Eleanor Burns. Her books are so easy to understand. The

book is in black and white with some color photos of Sue & Sam. You get directions for a wall hanging (18 X 32 1/2) all the way up to a double coverlet (76 X 89). This book tells you how to make the patterns using an interfacing you have to trace the pattern onto. I have gone to Eleanors website and bought the preprinted fusible interfacing. Makes it much quicker and easier IMO. This book reminds me of the quilts my grandmother used to make. A little old fashioned, but you can change how the Sue's and Sam's look by using different material and things like lace, buttons, ribbons, and rickrack. The book does come with a pattern for Sue & Sam and a kite & tie.

I new at quilting and Quilt in a Day Sunbonnet Sue Visits Quilt in a Day by Eleanor Burns gave the most and easiest instructions for making a simple quilt for a beginner that I have found so far. Quilt in a Day Sunbonnet Sue Visits Quilt gives all the information that includes picking out co-ordinating color schemes, how to make templates and how to use them on the fabric in the most economical way, little templates were included for the excessories and information on the embroidery stitiches suggested for the peices made, and sewing instructions if you are unfamiliar with using a sewing machine. If you follow the "Quilt in a Day Sunbonnet Sue Visits in a Day and you are a beginner you may not be done with your quilt in a day but you will have a quilt when you follow the instructions and get to the last page of this booklet. Quilt In A Day Sunbonnet Sue Visits Quilt in a Day Quilt In A Day Sunbonnet Sue Visits Quilt in a Day

I made my first quilt using this book, and it gave me the confidence to make more quilts. The books employs a wonderfully simple way to create first-rate appliques. I have since used this method for other quilts, which is incredibly helpful because I have severe rheumatoid arthritis. I've made this quilt a couple more times, and love doing variations on ms. Burns' sunbonnet sue patterns. The creator of sunbonnet sue, Bertha Corbett, believed that a face need not be shown in order for a character to convey emotion. Playing with the pattern pieces in this book, as well as adding store bought appliques such as flowers and butterflies, takes ms. Corbett's concept and ms. Burns' book to a really unique and personalized level. Happy quilting. May the sunbunnets live forever.

I have an adult niece who has always wanted a Sunbonnet Sue quilt. Later this spring, she and I will go to the fabric store and pick out the fabrics she wants used. She will get her Sunbonnet Sue quilt. I love working with Eleanor Burns patterns. They are easy enough for beginners and also have challenges for more advanced quilters.

I cannot wait to make a Sun Bonnet Sue and Sam quilt. I make quilts for babies of our warriors and think this will be 2 great quilts for some little girl and boy. A block will also make a great pocket on Wheel Chair Pockets I make for our Vets who are confined to wheelchairs.

Good patterns and ideas for Sunbonnet Sue; however, I did not like the way Burns has the quilter make the pieces. It seemed clumsy and much ado about nothing. I did like all the ideas for variations on the activities the Sue could be doing.

Was making my second one of these to donate to a school project and changed my mind! No one LOVES these characters any more than I. I use her methods over and over. The squares turn out perfectly each time. Charming!

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