

Page Patterns Vol II

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should have been spiral bound. Then there is the Pattern conversion chart which is great because you can specialize any of the pages for any size, but it recommends you copy this off onto a transparency to use with the sketches. Why not for a little extra money put the conversion chart in the book as a transparency! These two things are not enough to keep me from buying the first volume! Love this book!

"Page Patterns" is for every level of Scrapbooker. That painfully annoying disease afflicting all us scrapbookers called, "Layout Block" is to be a thing of the past. This terrific new book loaded with 606 patterns; 225 Single 381 Double Page Pattern ideas, you are soon to be cured on the road to recovery. You will find easy-to-use, simple fun pattern ideas no distracting advertisements or sidebars listing every maker of every item used by someone else on their sample layout. "Page Patterns" enables you to imagine your own photos in the patterns as you browse through the hundreds of samples available. With every pattern you get paper embellishment ideas helping you to visualize the many options variations that can be flipped, rotated tweaked to fit your own photos. The Single Page Patterns have ideas for layouts with 1 to 14 photos and the Double Page Patterns have ideas for 2 to 32 photos. Your imagination with this book is simply limitless.

About the Author Scrapbooking is my passion and anything that will make it easier to get my pages created and finished is an absolute "must have." Many times I would just sit and stare at my photos experiencing what I called "Layout Block," racking my brain to come up with a layout and before I knew it, my free time was over. One day, I was flipping through my favorite Scrapbooking magazine and there they were, staring me in the face...Sketches, the answers to my "Layout Block." I almost fell out of my chair from the excitement of the endless possibilities these sketches would enable me with. Instantly I felt my days of "Layout Block" were coming to an end now armed with these sketches, which I call "Page Patterns." My mission now was to create my own personal patterns on my computer, allowing me access to them for my digital pictures. I call them page patterns from my years of sewing experience as they remind me of sewing patterns. My patterns grew and grew and grew and before I knew it, I had hundreds upon hundreds of them organized by the number of photos and was still creating and collecting more. For my scrapbooking friends, I printed out copies telling them how much easier and fun these patterns made it to finish a layout. The patterns saved so much time and did away with "Layout Block" and I was actually finishing more pages. "Page Patterns" can be turned flipped, rotated and tweaked to fit your photos just way you need. Incorporated into these patterns are: plain and patterned paper uses and tons of embellishment ideas for motivation and inspiration in getting your layouts done and caught up. In the front and back of the book are some Pattern Size Conversion Charts from the patterns, at their book size, for easy true-size conversion. My hopes are that you enjoy and use "Page Patterns" as much as I still do. There's also plenty of empty boxes to add in your own patterns for future layouts.

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