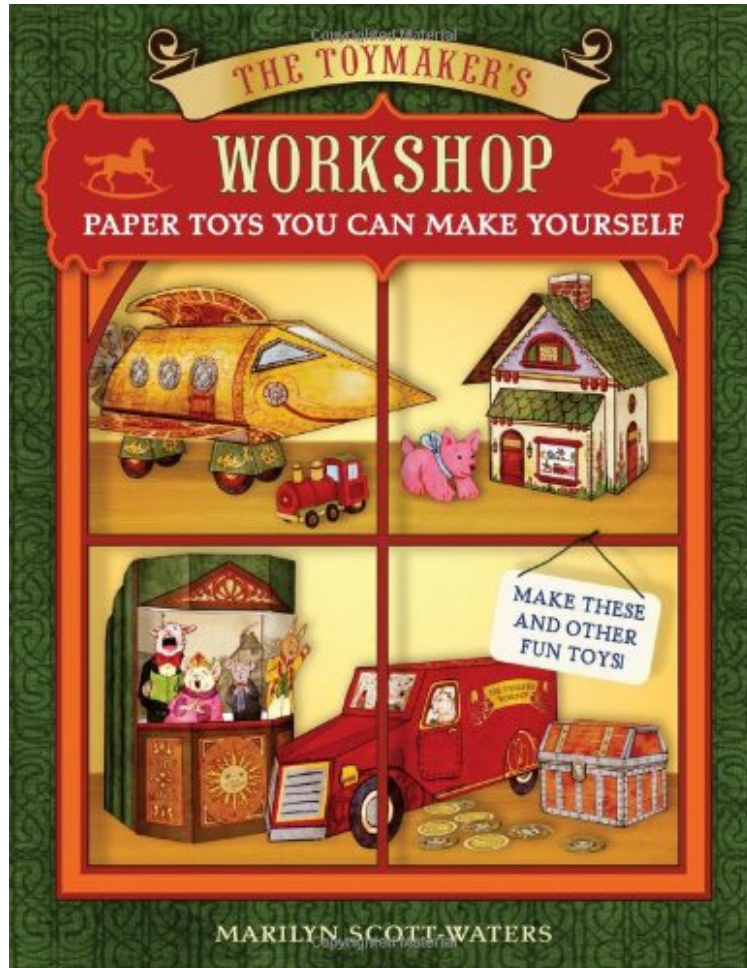


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**Marilyn Scott-Waters : The Toymaker's Workshop: Paper Toys You Can Make Yourself** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Toymaker's Workshop: Paper Toys You Can Make Yourself:

12 of 12 people found the following review helpful. Paper toys with personality!By Marcia PoppEach of the previous paper toy creations from Marilyn Scott-Waters, aka The Toymaker, The Toymaker's Christmas: Paper Toys You Can Make Yourself[[ASIN:1402768516, The Toymaker 2012 Wall Calendar 12.5" X 13.5"has been in a class of its own, and this latest collection is no exception. Last year's Christmas collection and the calendar released this summer are must-haves for any creative-minded child or serious paper aficionado. The paper toys in the current book are beautifully drawn and stunningly colored, a real feast for the eyes. But another feature of this new collection is personality, which one does not often associate with paper creations. One look at the expressions (and names) of the animals in the Sunlight Theater (Lord Loud, Sir Swoony, Mister Squeak, and Lady Chatterblast) will convince you

otherwise. And when was the last time you saw an antiquated flying machine with a smile on its face? Even if you do not assemble these toys (but who could resist?) you would enjoy looking at the pages as a beautifully drawn and exquisitely colored picture book. But what could be more fun than taking the pictures off the page and turning them into three-dimensional fun? The step-by-step instructions for assembling the toys are complete and easy to follow. Guidelines at the front of the book provide all the general information required to assemble these creative toys. All you need is a glue stick, as the toys punch out neatly from durable paper stock. I have assembled mine for display around the house, because they all make me smile, and what fun it is to store the latest treasure from outdoors in the Nature Trunk (currently rose hips from the last of the summer flowers). This book will be the most creative gift I give this holiday season. In past years, these toys have been among the most popular of the presents I give, and recipients are further delighted to discover that the Toymaker also has a website, where they can download many additional beautiful and creative paper toys at [thetoy maker.com](http://thetoy maker.com) for free, all year around.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. BeautifulBy Lori B. ColemanThe level of detail on these models is fantastic. The scrollwork on the Flying Machine is very nice. These are beautiful illustrations that the subjects have just popped out of. I made the Toymaker's Workshop and the Tooth Fairy Palace right away. My daughter requested the Tooth Fairy Palace. The Flying Machine is next. I'm a fan of Marilyn's Toymaker site. The free models on the site are worth more than the cost of the book. With this purchase, I've shown my appreciation and received more models. That's a win win situation.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Good book, easy to put together.By DianeMarilyn did it again. All her toys are so pretty and usually relatively easy to construct (except for the dinosaur card on her website)Loved this book and display all the toys in my paper toy display case.

Welcome to the toymaker's workshop, where magical things are made! This fantastic follow up to Toymaker's Christmas offers 11 new three-dimensional paper toys with movable parts. Just pop out, fold up, and glue together the pieces to construct a science fiction-inspired flying car; a miniature theater (with finger puppets); a pirate ship with a gold-filled treasure chest to open; and an enchanted Unicorn Forest in a little box.

About the AuthorMarilyn Scott-Waters is co-creator of the middle grade nonfiction series Haunted Histories, and her work includes the series The Search for Vile Things (Scholastic, 2008) and the paper engineering for Pop Sniff Fruit (Piggy Toes Press, 2008).