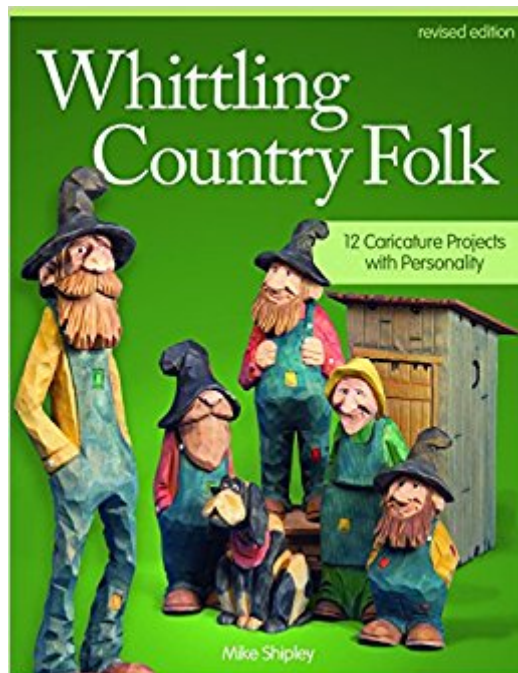




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# Whittling Country Folk, Revised Edition: 12 Caricature Projects With Personality



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Professional caricature carver Mike Shipley introduces you to a whole clan of colorful backwoods characters from his native Ozarks. Whether you're a beginner just learning to whittle, or an old hand looking for some new ideas, this book delivers plenty of fun, inspiration, and satisfaction. More than 100 step-by-step color photographs guide you through whittling, painting, and staining. You'll learn Mike's quick and easy "clean-cut" method, plus his original formula for mixing your own wood stain in a blender. All twelve projects feature distinctive patterns with easy-to-follow cut-lines. Whittling Country Folk, Revised Edition also provides valuable "Getting Started" advice on tools, sharpening, wood, and safety, as well as humorous down-home tales about each friendly country character.

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Mike Shipley is a supplier of woodworking materials, a woodcarving instructor, and the author of Hand Carving Snowmen and Santas, Whittling the Old Sea Captain.

Fine

The book is very good in explaining techniques. The figures are really funny. They are a bit demanding for a novice. Took me several hours to produce one, but that's part of the fun. Wish there were a few more pictures of each of the figures, as opposed to just the first one.

Great Book.

Love this book! great ideas for carving.

Enjoy this book and the instructions also.

These books are a "must" for amateur whittlers

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