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**Brian Sawyer : Napkin Origami: 25 Creative and Fun Ideas for Napkin Folding** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Napkin Origami: 25 Creative and Fun Ideas for Napkin Folding:

11 of 11 people found the following review helpful. Ok but a bit misleadingBy J. D. FohsI bought this book thinking it would be primarily about folding cloth napkins (as shown on the cover of the book). Napkin folds are fun at dinners, especially with kids around. There are some cloth folds included, but most of the designs are for paper napkins. That to me is pretty much just plain origami. Others require heavily starched napkins.If you're looking for ideas about decorating a table with origami, then by all means get the book. If you're looking for fun and creative cloth napkin folds, I'd recommend searching further.8 of 8 people found the following review helpful. A little time please.By CSUFun ideas for entertaining, but to also amuse little ones on rainy days. I liked the variety of designs, but as stated in other reviews, time to do it. These are not for the "oh oh company will be here in 15 minutes and the table's not set" host/hostess. An iron is quite helpful. The diagrams are detailed and easy to follow, even for the more complex folds. Having a finished photograph is an additional help in showing various table settings as well.2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. liked thisBy curlyImade the shirts for fathers day decorations for work out of paper .they were just big enough to fit a gift card inside also. even made one for my boss with his name and a magnet on it .

Why fold a napkin into an ordinary square when it can become a swan, bread holder, or pirates ship? Like magic, these

amazing origami projects turn humble paper or fabric napkins into restaurant-worthy centerpieces that transform the table. There's a napkin sculpture for any and every occasion: simple patterns, such as a leaf, fish, or heart; designs for those special moments, including a baby bootie for a shower or a bunny for Easter dinner; innovative creations like a peacock, dessert server, and carousel; and complex shells, rosettes, and pleated wraps for formal dining. All the traditional origami techniques, tips, and symbols are beautifully explained; elegant photography throughout makes the process easy to follow and showcases the remarkable results.

From Booklist Napkins need no longer be a boring square of set dressing on a well-laid table. This book gives fun and fanciful ideas on how to turn your plain-Jane napkin into everything from a pirate ship to an elegant seashell. It takes the basic techniques of the Japanese paper-folding art and applies it to the lowly napkin, both paper and cloth. The book begins with a clear and concise description of the basic folds involved and the different techniques one should use with cloth versus paper napkins as well as a key to the illustrated instructions. The designs themselves are broken down between simple models, such as an ice-cream cone using two different colored napkins or the shirt-and-tie design on the book's cover; designs for special occasions, like roses and baby booties; then into more complex and formal designs, like swans and shells. Although the techniques may take practice for greater perfection, the instructions here make the projects easy and fun. A little bit of work and anyone can have a Martha Stewart-worthy table! --Tina Coleman