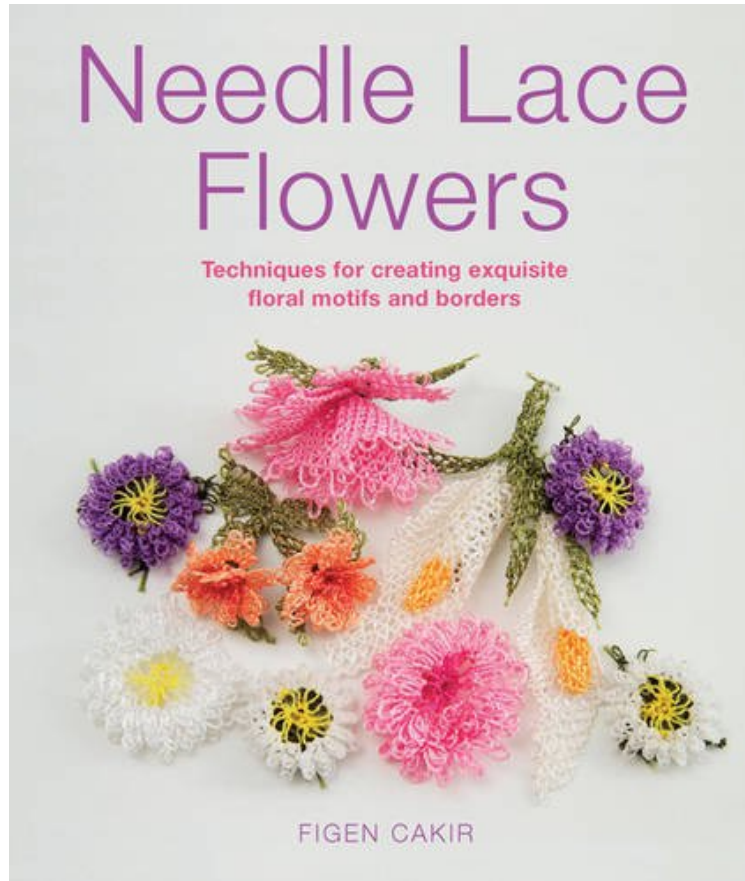


## Needle Lace Flowers

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**Figen Cakir : Needle Lace Flowers** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Needle Lace Flowers:

11 of 11 people found the following review helpful. Need more detailsBy leslie of marylandthe pictures are very nice, the book and patterns are interesting but I think there are needed details that are left out of the instructions. A beginner isn't ready for making knots and getting them precisely in the places that theya re needed unless they have more details on how to do that. Need more details for the beginner.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Very good instructions and photographs.By MorganThe instructions were very clear and well written. The photographs help for understanding exactly how to complete the project. It is very interesting to read and the instructions were clear enough on what it did show, that it gave me ideas on how to do other projects.1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Beautiful flowers of needle lace are very difficult to createBy CustomerBeautiful flowers of needle lace are very difficult to create, but with a lot of patience and the great instructions in this book, you can do it.

A complete guide to creating exquisite floral motifs and borders, using just a needle and thread, and traditional Turkish Oya techniques. Learn how to make more than 16 needle lace flowers using traditional Turkish Oya embroidering

skills. Beautiful projects to make with each of the flower designs Clear, step-by-step instructions, accompanied by beautiful photographs, easy-to-follow charts and artwork illustrations.

Here's a technique for making pretty decorative flowers. This is a kind of crochet, called oya, that comes from Turkey, using a needle as opposed to a crochet hook. It is often used as a trim on scarves. There is an interesting history of this type of needlework in the book. To me, this book has the wrong title, I would rather have seen it called Oya Crochet or even Turkish Crochet. At first I thought it was flowers made with one of those plastic flower makers. This is far more interesting. I love the example on page 7, which unfortunately is not included despite the fact that the subtitle of the book suggests there are border patterns included, the only patterns are for single flowers. The book shows how to make different flowers and suggests how to use them, but for the majority of suggestions, it is simply attaching the flowers to an object such as a frame or headband. It is an interesting method and I would like to see a book of trims.-

[yarnsandfabrics.co.uk/crafts](http://yarnsandfabrics.co.uk/crafts) The British born author moved to Turkey where the local craft of Oya work inspired her to help the Turkish women to develop their age-old craft skills. This book helps to introduce the craft to a wider audience. After a brief history each project has clear instructions and beautiful photographs, showing the flowers. The stitches are clearly explained also. An interesting technique for any one capable with a needle.-[Megonline.co.uk](http://Megonline.co.uk) About the Author Figen Cakir is an ex-pat Briton living in Turkey. A keen knitter and fan of all things textile, Figen was inspired by the craftsmanship she found in Turkey to set up her own business selling locally sourced yarns and accessories. A desire to help and encourage Turkish women to further develop their age-old craft skills, led Figen to discover the beauty of traditional Oya. In helping to preserve this ancient textile art, Figen is hoping to introduce the skill to a wider audience.