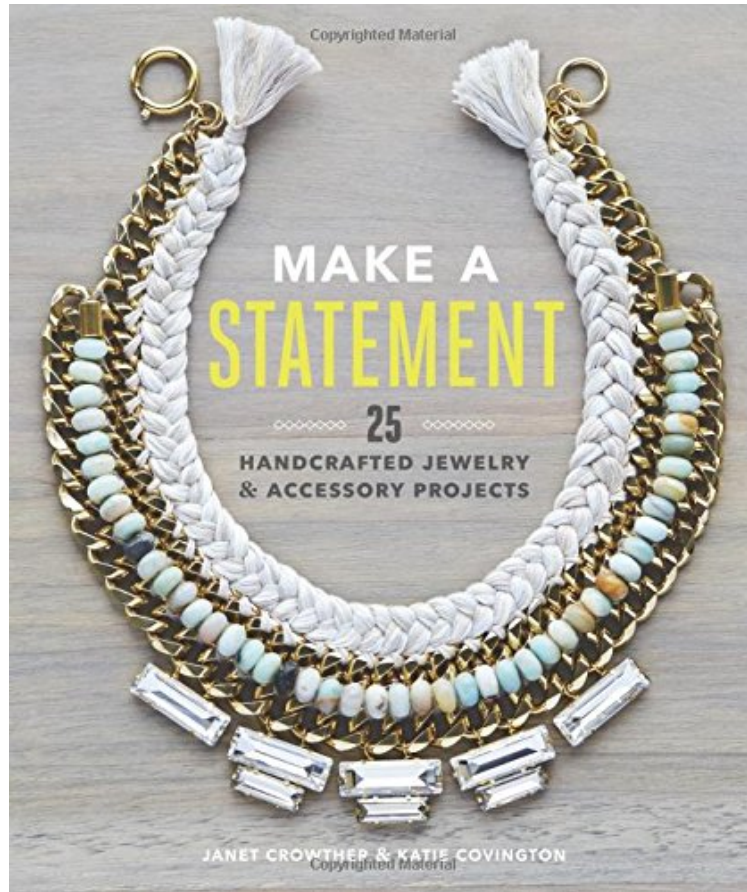


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review helpful. This beautiful book was great inspiration for making jewelry and understanding ...By Mary S. This beautiful book was great inspiration for making jewelry and understanding how to get started. I have also followed The author's online "Forthemaker's" site and this coordinates nicely with the book. I found it to be a wonderful gift for friends who want to be creative but need help getting started. Having a hard copy of projects so well organized is less overwhelming than starting online. 3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. This is a great book for anyone who wants to know more about ...By Thomas Bowman This is a great book for anyone who wants to know more about the best way to make jewelry. The step-by-step process is well thought out and the projects are lots of fun. The introduction of materials, tools and techniques gave me a lot of confidence to make something that I'd not attempted before. I've made three things already and plan to make more for myself and as gifts. I thought there was a good assortment of photos and illustrations- certainly enough to understand the process. I wanted to make the long tassel earrings and couldn't find the supplies nearby but checked the website for the company and there are lots of tutorials there of projects that look like fun to make. Plus- I found the things I needed to make my earrings and they turned out great. This is a book I'll be referring to for a long time to come.

From runways to boutiques, statement jewelry has become the coveted accessory. In *Make a Statement*, jewelry designers and co-founders of For the Makers Janet Crowther and Katie Covington share their trade secrets for using basic techniques and easy-to-source materials to make stylish jewelry and accessories, from a gold bib necklace and geometric hoop earrings to a classic charm bracelet and elegant shoe clips. Featuring gorgeous watercolor how-to illustrations, an introduction to the basic tools needed, and helpful information on sourcing high quality, affordable materials, *Make a Statement* will inspire readers to craft pieces to dress up any outfit.

About the Author Janet Crowther and Katie Covington have designed jewelry for Marc Jacobs and Kate Spade. Together, they co-founded For the Makers, a DIY supply company that provides materials and instructions for crafting stylish jewelry. They live in New York City.