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**Lyndie Wright : Puppets (Fresh Start)** before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Puppets (Fresh Start):

3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Not impressive  
By Nia  
The puppets in this book did not impress me at all. They look very homemade and not at all something I would want to do a puppet show with. However, some of the ideas and techniques I found very useful. They could be helpful when making other types of puppets. I wasn't sure if the book was geared more towards adults or children. My guess would be children. As an adult could do and want more complicated projects.

A step-by-step introduction to the skills and techniques required to master the art of puppet making. Features include excellent full- colour photography and use of modern methods and accessible materials. For ages 7+

From School Library Journal  
Grade 4-6-- Crisp color photographs and a clearly written, well-organized text combine to make that rarest of things, an attractive puppet-making book with projects easy enough for most children to complete. A brief introduction lists necessary equipment and materials (most are inexpensive), describes the four major types of puppets, and offers some tips on staging plays. Twelve short sections give step-by-step directions for making 11 different puppets and a toy theater. Color photographs are well coordinated with the text and show each major construction step; the directions are arranged in numbered captions. Tips on manipulation are given in a few sections,

but not all. Most of the projects presented are simple (basic sewing skills are required for some); the most difficult involves the use of modeling clay as a form for a papier-mache head. Some errors appear in the listing of organizations. The "Educational Puppetry Resource Center," given as an information source, ceased operations in 1980 (the "Puppetry in Education Resource Center" is the correct name). The Puppeteers of America's publication is the Puppetry Journal , not the Puppet Journal. Yet as most puppetry books available are aimed at adults working with children, this title will be a welcome addition to school and public library puppetry collections. --Karey Wehner, San Francisco Public Library Copyright 1989 Reed Business Information, Inc.