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Kristin Omdahl : Wrapped in Crochet: Scarves, Wraps, and Shawls before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised *Wrapped in Crochet: Scarves, Wraps, and Shawls*:

24 of 24 people found the following review helpful. gorgeous stylish shawls, wraps. scarvesBy M. PollerI think Kristin came from Minnesota and settled for awhile in Israel where she learned to crochet so while I've never met her, we seem to have crossed paths. Judging from her other published patterns I was afraid this book might be difficult so I was happily surprised to find so many I will enjoy making. There seems to be a scarcity of crocheted shawl patterns that are attractive and this book really fills a need. The yarns are easy to find or substitute and the stitches not difficult but also fascinating as she is interested in geometric forms such as spirals, triangles, etc. She has good instructions for the hairpin lace scarf. Her triangle motif square shawl is beautiful and looks very easy for the beginner. I like her lacy cardi-wrap with sleeves. Another easy one is the medallion triangular shawl. All the instructions are written out and charted with helpful notes and a nice intro explaining the background to the design. One of her specialties is working spirals into her shawls. There are also wraps, a ruana and several scarves. Several pages in the back explain the stitches used with illustrations. There is also a glossary, index and list of yarn resources. Book is well produced with nice color photos, good print and while the binding is regular, the oversize paperback will lay flat. Highly

recommended to all crocheters: don't miss this one whatever your skill levels.5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Mixed emotionsBy AlpacaLadyI raise alpacas and crochet with alpaca yarn. I fell in love with the patterns I saw in this booklet, and just had to have it. I chose the Infinity Motif Wrap, because I had some beautiful lace weight alpaca yarn I had been saving for a special project, and I knew this was it. Immediately, the pattern instructions were wrong after the 1st round on the 1st Motif was done. I realized I had to use the diagram (which, fortunately, was a complete diagram and not just a sliver) and write out the remaining rounds from 2 through 8 in order to proceed. I've just completed the 5 motifs and am hopeful the rest of the pattern has been spelled out for me so I don't have to spend so much time figuring it out. I'm hoping this was the only gliche in the book, too.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five StarsBy Kindle CustomerGood patterns

Kristin Omdahl takes a fresh approach to crochet technique and construction in her new book *Wrapped in Crochet* (Interweave 2008). Featuring stitch patterns exclusive to Kristin and this book, Kristin shares 18 stunning patterns for crocheted scarves, wraps, and shawls. *Wrapped in Crochet* includes: Techniques for every skill level of crochet Projects to fit every budget and time commitment Charts for every stitch pattern and motif featured in the book And, each pattern has diagrams for all constructions With *Wrapped in Crochet*, you'll create stunning crocheted scarves, wraps, and shawls using clever stitch motifs, innovative and traditional shaping, and a variety of crochet techniques and embellishment ideas. These one-of-a-kind pieces invite you to take your crochet to the next level. Project details include unusual edgings and motifs, color work, lace, ruffles, and tiers, and more. Because sizing is usually not an issue with a scarf or a wrap, the projects featured here make the perfect gift. With designs full of variety from skill level to the time spent crocheting, there is sure to be something to get your hooks flying! Let these unique designs for scarves, shawls (circular, square, rectangle, and oval), capes, and card-wraps inspire you. Pick up your crochet hooks and wrap yourself in crochet today.

"These patterns are just beautiful. This is definitely a book you'll want to keep in your creative library and curl up with on a chilly afternoon." - McClatchy-Tribune Information Services "Featuring new and fashionable designs...Omdahl has compiled a well-rounded collection of crochet patterns that combine classic lines with unusual stitch applications." - monstersandcritics.com "Kristin is known for her gorgeous designs, and she doesn't disappoint in this lovely book. The wraps, scarves and shawls are totally wearable and range from the casual to super chic." - Crochet Insider "A wonderful collection of wrap patterns." - CraftGossip.com "Kristin Omdahl is a force to be reckoned with, as she's able to kick out innovative, thoughtful patterns." - YARN: The Australian Magazine for Knitting and More "5 out of 5 stars. The directions are clear and extensive. I am not usually as fond of a book of crochet designs as I am of this one. Thank you Interweave, for a great crochet book." - Knitting News "Will appeal to those who have crochet experience, though the instructions for the designs are clear and detailed." - Bangor Daily News