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V-Fold Pop-Ups

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The Pocket Paper Engineer

How to Make Pop-Ups Step-by-Step

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The Pocket Paper Engineer: V-Fold Pop-Ups. The V-fold is the most dramatic of all pop-up forms, rising in a whoosh to tower vertically above the page. In the third volume of this award-winning series on how to design and construct pop-up cards and pages, readers make ten projects right out of the book which illustrate a range of variations on the V-fold structure. This hands-on approach enables readers to quickly understand the basics of how to build a stand-up pop-up. Step-by-step illustrations and instructions provide additional guidance in creating one's own pop-up designs.

As with the first two volumes in this award-winning series, *The Pocket Paper Engineer, Volume 3* is filled with construction tips, illustrations of pop-ups and recommendations for tools and supplies. This volume also contains a special section on how to produce a pop-up edition (more than a few copies) to use as event invitations or as gifts for friends and family.

Offers Readers:

- Clear, simple directions and patterns that allow readers to construct their own pop-ups within minutes of starting the book.
- Pictures of finished projects and lots of full-color photos of sample pop-up cards and pages.
- Information on tools, supplies, production techniques and web resources.

Endorsements:

“Carol Barton’s pop-up workbook is glorious! Unique and delightfully playful, her work continues the time-honored tradition of movables in books.”

— Robert Sabuda, author, *Beauty and The Beast: A Pop-Up Book of the Classic Fairytale*

“I’m in love with Carol Barton’s book *The Pocket Paper Engineer*. . . . Most of the examples focus on grown-up uses for pop-ups. . . . but it’s really easy to see how you could use this with kids (or friends) to make wicked-cool art.”

— Cory Doctorow, boingboing.com review

Audience:

- Artists, crafters, graphic designers, origami enthusiasts
- Teachers, homeschoolers, kids of all ages
- College educators teaching sculpture, architecture, book arts

About the Author:

CAROL BARTON has devoted the past thirty years to making books that surprise, inspire, and delight her audiences. A nationally recognized teacher, paper engineer and book artist, she has introduced thousands of adults and children to the creative art of making pop-ups and sculptural books.

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