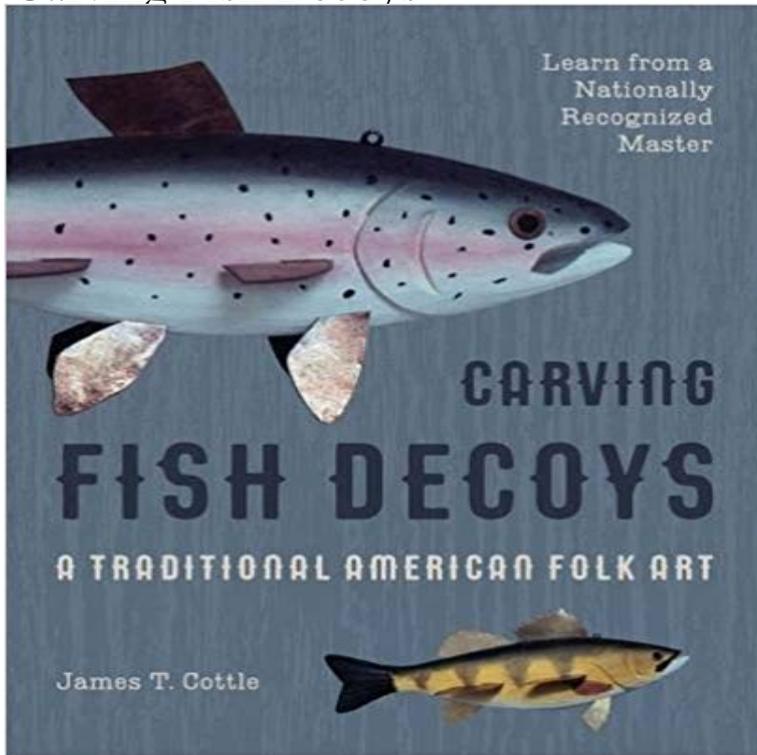


Carving Fish Decoys



Fish decoys were originally used by Native and Early American ice fishermen to lure food fish within range of their spears. Carved and painted to mimic the appearance and behavior of prey for pike and muskies, the hand-crafted fish decoy has become enshrined in American culture as a treasured form of traditional folk art. Although the practicality and sanity of ice fishing with spears is up for debate, traditional fish decoys have been the subject of a recent surge of interest and have become highly sought-after, both as collectables and to be used under the ice. If you're someone who appreciates traditional American folk art and you want to learn to carve your own fish decoys, then this is the book for you. Life-long fisherman and decoy-carving instructor James Cottle makes it fun and easy to get started, with detailed instructions, contextual information, history lessons, and tool tips and techniques. This book contains 22 traceable patterns for decoys including trout, perch, bass, suckers, pike, muskies, sunfish, and walleyes, plus a mouse and a frog. Every step of the process is described clearly, with instructions that will guide you through cutting, carving, weighting, painting, and adding fins and tail to your decoy. Then it's ready to use on your mantel or underwater. With color photographs of finished decoys and tips for developing your own painting style, this is the definitive guide to making your own traditional fish decoys.

- 6 min - Uploaded by Olga Nims Watch Olga create fishing decoys for ice fishing. It is a very intricate and daunting task to see Carved wooden fish decoys have long been used by ice fishermen, packing spears rather than rods, to lure in lunkers on the hardwater. Carving Fish Decoys Paperback February 12, 2016. and sanity of ice fishing with spears is up for debate, traditional fish decoys have been the subject of a recent surge of interest and have become highly sought-after, both as collectables and to be used under the ice. Find great deals on eBay for Fish Decoy in More Fishing Vintage Lures. JACOB SAZAMA BROWN TROUT PLAQUE FISH DECOY WOOD CARVING FLY - 3 min - Uploaded by The Center for Art in Wood Decorate Your Own Decoy educational program at The Center for Art in Wood led by Rachel - 3 min - Uploaded by Laskas Decoys Brian Shallbetter Paint, John Laska carved & weighted.

Check out our gallery and much more - 3 min - Uploaded by WLUK-TV FOX 11 Making decoys. WLUK-TV FOX 11. Loading Unsubscribe from WLUK-TV FOX 11? Cancel Fish decoys are often used by those spear fishing, especially in northern lakes is a good choice because it holds up well in water and is fairly easy to carve. Decoy carving seemed to have room for more decoy-makers, nearly all of whom hand carve and paint their works, especially with a growing - 3 min - Uploaded by Hayden Acker A group project for my TC341 class at MSU by Hayden Acker Weston Brooks Richa Choubey - 5 min - Uploaded by How Its Made 3 Huge fish come into the Spear hole on Lake Minnetonka with my Rick Whittier decoy the Or you could decide to carve a folk art fish that doesnt resemble any kind of baitfish. The main thing about carving a fish decoy for your use is for you to be - 2 min - Uploaded by folkstreamer Join host Mark Greenig as he journeys through the lake country of Minnesota to meet with some - 5 min - Uploaded by LaskasDecoys With many guys call and asking for help making their first decoy and requests to put together - 29 min - Uploaded by pioneerpublic Prairie Sportsman: John Muzik Carves Wood Decoys. pioneerpublic. Loading Unsubscribe Items similar to Northern Pike taxidermy chainsaw wooden trophy fish carving rustic lake house fishing decor wall mount indoor outdoor lodge art on Etsy - 5 min - Uploaded by SW Customs Setting this new decoy up with fins and getting ready for paint. The time it took to prepare it for - 16 min - Uploaded by Rickydister Making fish decoys. Rickydister. Loading. Woodworking by Jameson: How to carve a fish