

Care Packages: Celebrating the Art and Craft of Thoughtfully Made Packages

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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Maximum eye candy!By Jane MarpleBest thought of as a book of inspiration and visual enjoyment, this is a real treat. With heavy paper and charmingly styled photography, it's essentially a small "coffee table book." There are some practical instructions (e.g. folding origami boxes and bags) and some bits of interesting and useful information (e.g. customs and suitable gifts for the bereaved in various cultures). Included are also touching stories of communication and gift-giving, written by various designers. Primarily, however, this is a small work of "book art." The reader is almost guaranteed never to have seen anything else quite like it.1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. " but found myself disappointed. My reasons for not loving it have everything ...By MeII was SO excited when I heard about this book that I pre-ordered it ages ago. When it arrived, I sat down with it almost immediately and started flipping through it, ready to "up my game," but found myself disappointed. My reasons for not loving it have everything to do with readability: white text on light-colored backgrounds, tiny, tiny print, etc.It's not exactly what I envisioned, but my way of sending care packages is my way,

and I didn't deduct any stars for that. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five Stars
By 5thAveSoaps
Beautiful book!

Ideas and inspiration for crafting beautiful parcels for any occasion
Michelle Mackintosh is on a mission to encourage people to reconnect with each other. Many of us send care packages without even realizing it—get-well packs, student treats, food packages to expats, clothes packages to charities, family packages to loved ones in the military—the list can be endless. Put together with Michelle's beautiful collage aesthetic, Care Packages brings back the art of crafting packages with love and care. The book is split into several chapters including reasons to send a care package, types of care packages, delivery, what to include and projects on how to design, craft, and decorate your care package. Projects are easy to achieve with step-by-step photography and instructions. This book will inspire a sense of time, love, and affection when corresponding with a loved one.

About the Author
MICHELLE MACKINTOSH is a book designer, illustrator, and self-confessed stationery nerd, with a passion for mixing up the discarded with the new, collaging vintage, cute and modern aesthetics into something totally unique. This is her delightful follow-up to Snail Mail.