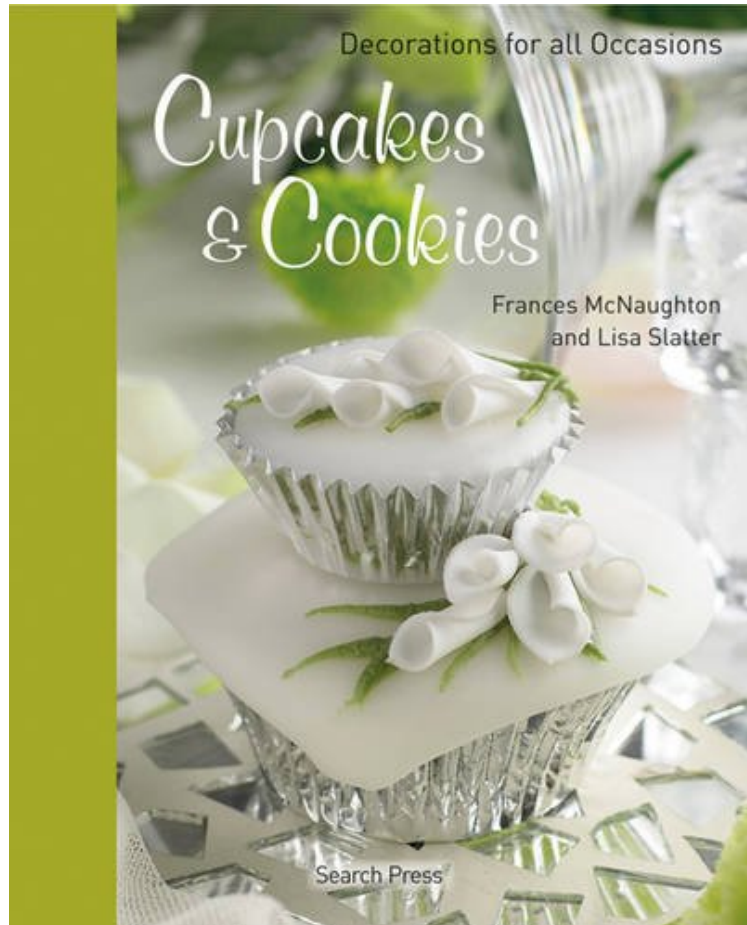


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1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Extremely Pleased with all the cupcake and cookie ideas! By Mary Goodwin The photos were excellent and the book provided a variety of ideas. Some of the cookie decorations could easily be converted to cupcakes. Even if you don't have the exact tools, it looks like you could easily adapt using what is around in your kitchen. I have been viewing many other books by the same author and watching You-Tube videos and these ideas appear to be easily manageable for a novice cake decorator. I would highly recommend this book to any one searching for ideas to WOW a group of people anywhere. 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. very nice book By dewajanti This book very helpful, especially for beginner like me. There are so many simple tips and tricks with very amazing result, which even I have never think. I really like this book 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. I love it! By realgirl I am new to cupcake cookie decorating. I like the pictures and recipes which make

decorating easy. I recommend this book.

Full of fun and inspiring ideas for novice or experienced bakers, this guide offers simple instructions for creating decorative enhancements using ingredients on hand. Containing 20 different designs and tips, this handbook shows how to decorate cupcakes and cookies—whether freshly baked using recipes provided or ready-made—for all kinds of occasions and an assortment of guests, including gardeners, knitters, and sun worshippers. From goodies for Easter baskets to Halloween horrors, the beautiful photography and step-by-step directions provide the know-how to make impressive cupcake and cookie decorating achievable.

This is a hardbacked compilation of two previously published books: *Decorated Cupcakes* by Frances McNaughton and *Decorated Cookies* by Lisa Slatter. Both were from the *Twenty To Make* series and if you already have these books you probably won't want to buy them again. However, if you don't have them and want to make some great-looking cookies and cupcakes to really wow your guests then I can recommend getting this book. For one thing it opens out flat and is a lot larger, therefore easier to read and work from. This is not a recipe book but a book of beautifully photographed projects for decorating cookies and cupcakes, and one recipe of each type is given along with some alternative flavoring ideas. Each project contains a page-sized photo of the item, often with another variation beside it. The facing page tells you what equipment you need, the ingredients and quite detailed instructions. These projects do not feature staged photos, but I think that most of them are simple enough for a sugarcrafter who has mastered the basics to tackle. The challenge is going to be making them look as perfect as the pictures in this book! Ideas include a duck, clown, pirate, gilded castle, flower, butterfly, shamrock, Easter duck and bunny, the inevitable teddy bear, Halloween witch, wedding cake, new baby and christening, and various Christmas projects such as holly leaf, snowman and Christmas tree. Amongst the more unusual can be found an edible family tree for those family reunions, cupcake like a box with an engagement ring peeping out and rose bouquets with numbers on for landmark anniversaries. All are detailed and quite stunning; so much so that perhaps eating them would be a shame, but if you are like me you just hate to waste good food - on second thought, maybe getting this is a good plan even if you do have the earlier *Twenty To Make* editions—Myshelf.com Here's a book we simply couldn't resist! It contains instructions for 40 delicious decorated cupcakes and cookies which are ideal for birthdays, engagements, weddings, new babies, parties, celebrations and festivities. There's even a colourful collection for someone who loves knitting. Simple recipes are included so, whether you bake your own cakes or buy, just follow the easy instructions to create some amazing teatime treats.—Machine Knitting Monthly

About the Author Frances McNaughton is a sugarcrafter; artist and instructor. Lisa Slatter is an award-winning confectioner and sugarcraft instructor.