

# EMBROIDERIES



## Små och stora broderier

Karin Holmberg  
195 x 240 mm, 128p

*A modern inspiring book about embroidery with patterns for interior decoration, clothes and accessories. The book is designed for practical use with clear step-by-step instructions and is aimed at beginners as well as more experienced embroiders.*

The book is permeated with Karin Holmberg's personal style which delights in colour, is romantic and has a touch of past times. With simple means, she can smarten most everyday objects. The traditional regional Swedish stitches that dominated in her earlier book, are now joined by other techniques and stitches, such as application and printing.

The thirty or so projects include: duvet cover with embroidered monogram or figure, embroidered vintage dress, embroidered T-shirt, a cell-phone cover with wool embroidery and applications, a sign 'No advertising leaflets!' in cross-stitch, a cloth bag for clothes pegs with embroidery in backstitch, fridge magnets, kitchen towels, jewellery/tiara/accessories in various techniques, cushions of various types with a mixture of embroidery, application and printing, Christmas-tree decorations...

The book ends with a section on technique with instructions about materials, tips & tricks and descriptions of various stitches.



## About the author:

Karin Holmberg is Sweden's new fixed star in the handicraft world when it comes to embroidery. She graduated from the specialist college Handarbetets Vänner in 2008 and her examination project attracted a great deal of attention with its traditional Swedish embroidery work on jersey clothing products from H&M.

Now she teaches embroidery courses and works at Svensk Hemslöjd's handicraft shop on Norrlandsgatan in Stockholm, has workshops in embroidery and takes on private commissions.



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