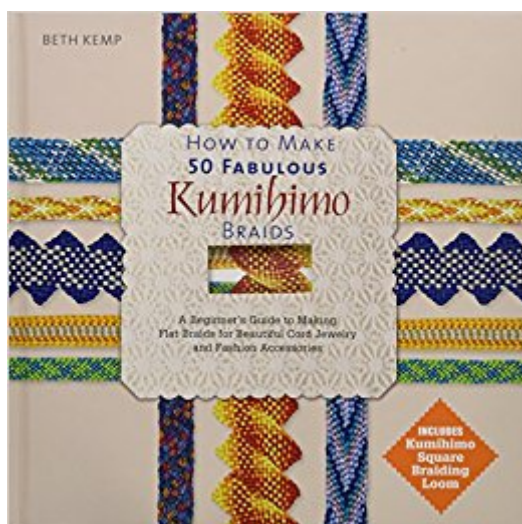


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# How To Make 50 Fabulous Kumihimo Braids: A Beginner's Guide To Making Flat Braids For Beautiful Cord Jewelry And Fashion Accessories



## Synopsis

The best-selling author of *Twist, Turn & Tie 50 Japanese Kumihimo Braids* first taught us how to create stunning cord jewelry with a round loom. This time, she'll teach you how to make stunning kumihimo braided friendship bracelets, jewelry, and fashion accessories with the square loom. In the pages of this book, you'll find: 50 flat braiding projects, including friendship bracelets, shoelaces, bag handles, jewelry, watch straps and more. A kumihimo square braiding loom to remove and practice on. Specially-drawn graphics, detailed instructions, tools, and materials needed for success. Clear, annotated illustrations and photographs of the completed project. Projects that start out simple and increase in complexity, offering beginners and more advanced braiders the chance to broaden their skills and creativity. Crafters will also find plenty of ways to experiment with colors and textures, finish projects with clasps, decorative loops, tassels, and more. It's a must-have guide for tweens, teens, and adults who love making their own handcrafted jewelry.

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Beth Kemp's background is in the premium jewelry industry. Ten years ago, her love of textiles and beading led her to Kumihimo. She is passionate about this art form and loves sharing her knowledge with braiders worldwide through her online store, *"Braid & Bead Studio,"* and her Facebook pages dedicated to Kumihimo.

This is a very well written and illustrated. Great for many types of projects from bookmarkers too

beaded necklaces. When I purchased the book I also purchased a square loom; what I didn't know was that there are differences in looms. This book uses a loom that has numbers 1 through 12 at the top and bottom; the loom I bought has 1 through 10; so that threw me off a bit. I'd suggest to buy the "right loom" so everything looks the same as it does in the book. The cardboard loom that is included with the book is numbered 2 through 11. (yes, the numbered 1 through 10 certainly works, just doesn't match the book).

I lost this book after getting it and doing two of the projects in it and then got the big loom for this art and after getting comfortable with that I could not find this book which has some great flat patterns it which I was not ready to tackle until after I felt comfortable with the other patterns. I have tried using wire however found myself getting too frustrated so I decided to back up and start from the beginning as is how we generally learn things instead of starting at the middle as wire is harder to control at times when making some patterns. I highly recommend this book for those whom are interested in patterns and in achieving new patterns and new ways of making old things and new things. In my head I can see dresses made like this as I am sure you have seen the shoes. ;)

Both of her books are excellent. They have detailed diagrams and pictures.

Nice book to have when learning Kumihimo. Great for beginners.

Made so many things from this book I just love it

So fascinating to learn new things...Thank you so much.

Fast delivery Awesome book.

Phenomenal projects and different than the rest.

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