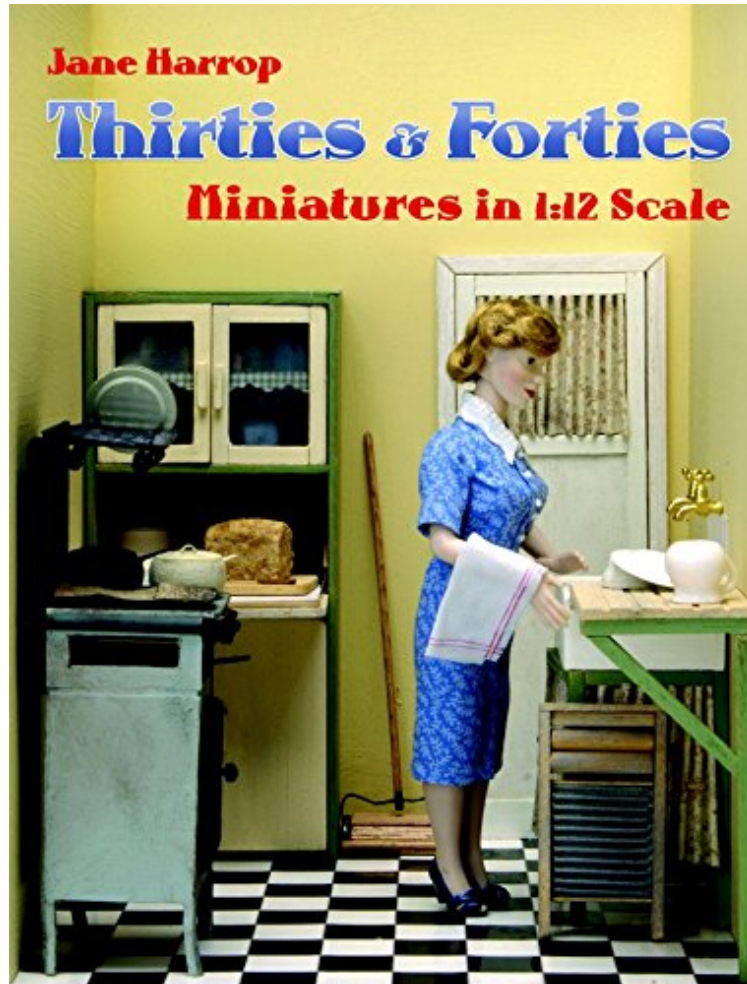


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This is the only book I've found on 30's and 40's decor. It has very good decorating tips and loads of patterns and instructions for making furniture and accessories of that time period. Since this was after the stock market crash, furnishings for the average family weren't very lavish but quite different than the turn of the century. This book shows what is appropriate for this time frame.

This manual is jam-packed with carefully researched, fun-to-make projects that will give any dolls house a truly authentic feel. The scene is set with a brief history of the 1930s in Britain and America, followed by the projects themselves, divided by room: the kitchen, the living room, the bedroom, and the foyer. Extensive details and practical advice are included on materials and equipment, templates and suppliers, and basic techniques. With so many wonderful ideas, this guide is the perfect resource for all miniatures enthusiasts.

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