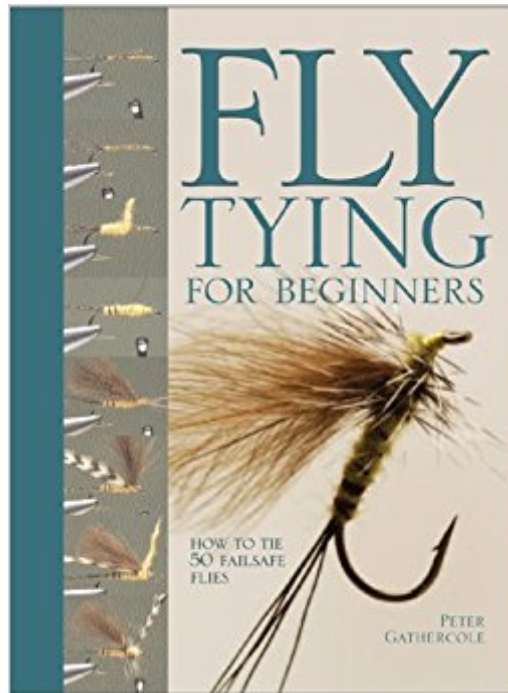




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# Fly Tying For Beginners: How To Tie 50 Failsafe Flies



## Synopsis

Any angler who takes up the art of fly tying will discover an added dimension to the wonderful sport of fly fishing. This profusely illustrated instruction book shows beginners how to craft 50 professional-looking flies for trout and salmon fishing. Each fly-tying project consists of step-by-step instructions accompanied by close-up photos of the work in progress and a large photo of the finished fly. Beginners will learn how to make dry flies, wet flies, bugs, nymphs, hairwings, and streamers. They'll also get advice on which flies are best for catching which variety of fish. Author Peter Gathercole is the ideal fly-tying instructor, offering a thorough grounding in the core techniques required for fly tying, while assuming no previous knowledge on the reader's part. As he instructs, he also demonstrates that with good guidance and a little practice, every angler can tie a fly that is good enough to fool a fish. More than 500 color photos.

## Book Information

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(back cover): Being able to tie your own flies gives an added dimension to the already absorbing hobby of fly fishing. This foolproof book is a complete guide to making 50 versatile flies for trout and salmon fishing. Each featured fly includes close-up shots and an explanation of its component parts, from threads and yarns to beads, tinsels, and feathers. A full-page photograph is also presented. Clear instructions allow you to master the core techniques quickly, and detailed photographs take you through every stage of the process, from dubbing the body to fixing the hook. Learn how to make sturdy dry flies, wet flies, bugs, nymphs, hairwings, and streamers. Each entry indicates where the fly should sit in the water, and which fish it is best used to catch. PETER

GATHERCOLE is one of Britain's leading fly dressers, and he is also a popular photographer and writer of articles and books on game fishing.. His work has appeared in Trout and Salmon and many other magazines, and his previous books include The Sotheby's Guide to Fly Fishing for Trout, Catch That Fish, and the hugely successful The Fly Tying Bible.

Peter Gathercole is a leading British fly tyer and game fisherman, and has written several books and many magazine articles on fishing and tying flies. He has fished in Europe, North America, and Polynesia.

I'm completely new at tying flies and wanted a visual aid. This seems perfect with quick reference in the front, clearly illustrated directions and even a list of predicted species of fish that each fly will catch. I also really liked the front pages dedicated to picturing and explaining the various fly tying tools you might want to have on hand. On its own, this book would leave me confused but used in reference with YouTube videos, it is a perfect companion.

This is an excellent book for beginner fly tyers. It provides instruction on the various techniques used in fly tying and then provides instructions for tying 50 flies. I have found it very helpful by how it explains the "how to" of different techniques.

Fly Tying For Beginners is a great step by step book for tying flies and is written by the same author of Fly Tying Bible which is another great step by step fly tying book. I recommend this book to anyone. Should come as standard for anyone learning to fly tying. Beautiful photos.

Great Illustrations and index of flies. Excellent quality of materials. Instructions are clear if you already have some fly tying skills. If you are truly a beginner learning to tie your first flies, I'd suggest looking for something slightly more instructive. Once you have tied a few flies and are comfortable with fly tying I'd move to this book of fly recipes.

Nice spiral spine. Good pictures and easy to follow

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