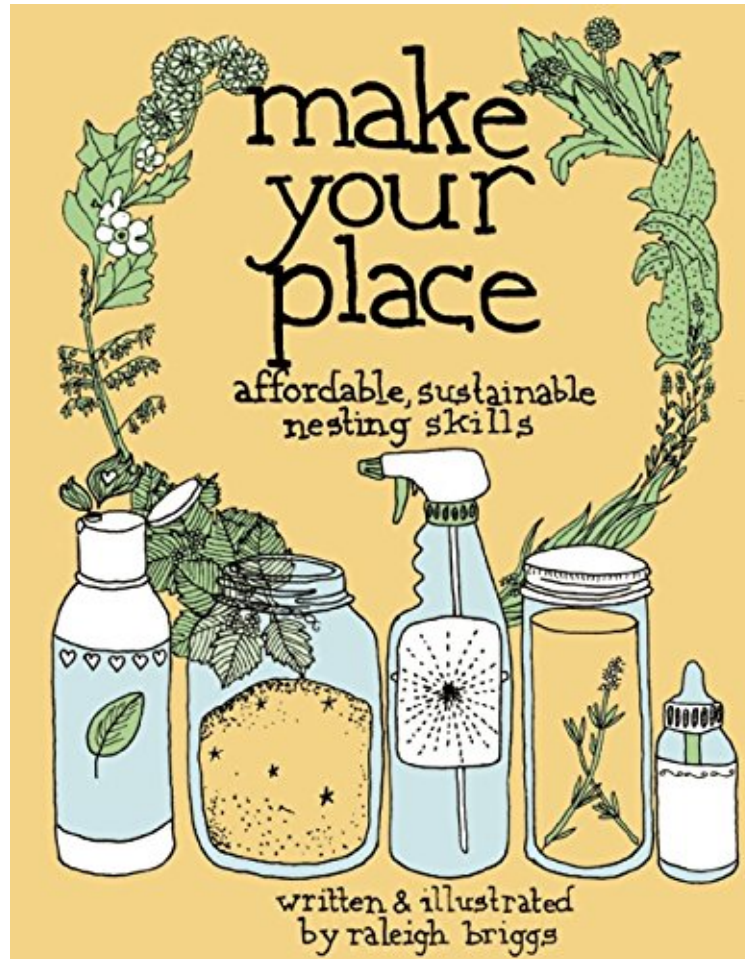


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6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Useful, short and sweetBy RachelThough this book was MUCH smaller than I had anticipated (122 pages, 5"x7"), it was both entertaining and informative. The entire thing is hand-written with drawings/doodles all over the place. The information on Health First Aid, and Body/House Cleaning Supplies is much better than you can find online, but I'm not sure the gardening is extensive enough, though I should caveat by saying I have a pretty large garden. For me, the first two chapters alone are worth the cost of this book, explaining how to make poultices, tinctures, salves, all manner of cleaning supplies and the properties of a ton of herbs, all from products commonly found in your house or in the woods somewhere. After reading it, I'm tempted to

buy copies to just keep around the house and give to people. I can't wait to run out of my other cleaning supplies to start making/using these!

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. A simple and lovely book. By H. Jasper This book is a very easy to understand summary/collection of DIY information on how to grow and use herbs alongside simple products like castile soap and vinegar in mild/gentle yet effective first aid salves, tinctures, infusions, and household cleaners. The three chapters are 1) First Aid 2) Cleaners 3) Gardening. Aside from this information, it's an adorable handwritten/drawn book with a very practical voice (not kitchy, preachy, or otherwise annoying). One thing I would have liked to know is how long the first aid tinctures/salves/infusions are good for, especially since they tend to need to set a few days before they can be used. If I have an earache and I need to make the solution outlined in this book, it will be three days or so before I can use it and maybe I won't need it by then, so I'd like to prepare it in advance, especially if I need to grow or have access to seasonal ingredients. This goes for cleaners as well.

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A wonderful book! Full of great resources and recipes to ... By Ayla A wonderful book! Full of great resources and recipes to make things at home. Written in a very enjoyable and endearing way.

Raleigh Briggs teaches us how to craft a sustainable domestic life without relying on smelly, toxic, expensive consumer products. And it's not as hard as we may think! This hand written and drawn book of charming tutorials is both fun and accessible. It's full of simple skills that anyone can and should learn. From creating tinctures and salves to concocting all-natural cleaners and body products to gardening basics, this book is great for anyone looking to live more simply, create a comfortable nest, and truly do it yourself.

A forceful antidote to the cheapening of thrift culture: a meticulously hand-lettered, pint-size volume. When you raise your fist against the values that derailed our economy, lift this book in it. Utne Reader There are about 100 levels of cool here. As someone who makes her own deodorant and underwear, I feel an urge to stalk this woman. Amy Karol, Angry Chicken Conversational and witty... Briggs is never condescending and instead inspires the reader to better his or her life with simple tutorials. Natural Home Magazine A helpful journal written by a friendly and knowledgeable woman... An infinitely interesting read that could be beneficial to the reader, and, on a somewhat larger scale, the planet." Razorcake