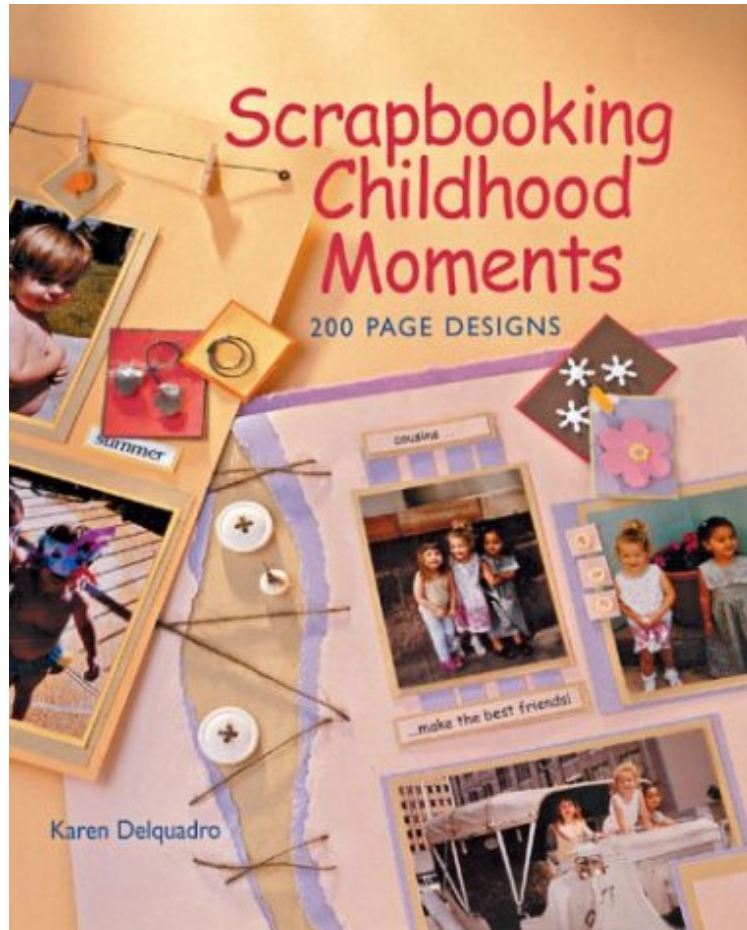


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2 of 3 people found the following review helpful. Very basic, very understated, extremely simple. By A. Ryan There is nothing wrong with this book. The information inside about scrapbooking is correct and helpful, there are many examples of typical childhood moments that would need layouts, such as first haircuts, holidays, etc, and there are some good timesaving tips and techniques. I liked that page accents were paired down and kept out of the spotlight so that there was room for the photos and journaling to shine through. For my taste, however, the page designs were a little on the oversimplified side, and that's saying a lot considering that I usually define myself as a Simple-style scrapbooker. Maybe it all comes down to something as basic as color choices/preferences: this author does seem to prefer beiges and browns, often in the same layouts, while I like a more sharply contrasting, graphic look with richer and bolder colors for an album about children. Then, too, I think some of the photos looked a little too "lost" on the pages - perhaps matting would have benefited them. Karen's very basic style is a little too basic for me. Recommended

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These 200 clever and creative ideas for scrapbook pages celebrate those special childhood moments in a delightful, freewheeling style. A Helping Hands layout has rubber-stamped handprints. Craft wire decorates the A Summer Day page, along with stickers and pressed flowers. Other designs use die-cut and metal-rimmed tags, string, lace eyelets, glass beads, distressed and aged paper, and much more.