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13 of 13 people found the following review helpful. Home-run second book - both are worth owning!By Amanda FSuch a beautiful book! I also own Jean's other book and think it is really worthwhile to own both. There are a few repeat activities, but not many. The intent of both books is so different; her first book is more about process art (exploring art without set expectations) and this book is more about craft (making stuff with more of an end goal). I love her inclusion of recipes to celebrate the seasons, as well as her lists of favorite children's books for each time of year. I love Jean's attitude toward creativity with kids; that openness and excitement doesn't come naturally to me and

is a huge help for me in knowing how to create alongside my kids.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Fun TimesBy SunshineOverMiamiReally fantastic! Great ideas for the whole year and for different ages. Everyone likes to do creative, fun stuff! Even if you don't think the older kids will get into it, they will! Even the older older people (adults) will get in on the creativeness. I like that this book expands on some of the things we do for holidays, yet brings in season celebrating too. Most of the supplies can be found around the house or outside. So easy, simple, fun and active.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Nice book!By Okie TransplantBought for my daughter to use with the grandkids. A nice book filled with projects and recipes to try.

Winner of the 2015 Parent's Choice AwardFrom the author of *The Artful Parent*--a year's worth of art projects, seasonal activities, and recipes for simple, family-friendly crafting through the seasons and holidays. Celebrating the seasons and holidays is a wonderful opportunity to embrace creativity together as a family. It's also a fun way to decorate, prepare for, and learn about the holidays we celebrate. In *The Artful Year*, you'll find art activities, crafts, recipes, and more to help make each season special. By doing so, your family will create memories and mementos, you'll develop creative growth in your children and yourself, and you'll have lots of fun! The book includes: Arts and crafts, using the materials, colors, and themes of the season Decorations to make as a family Favorite seasonal recipes that are fun for children to help make (and eat) Ideas for celebrating the holidays together Suggested reading lists of children's picture books about the seasons and holidays *The Artful Year* is a fun and active resource for crafting and celebrating around the year!

About the AuthorJEAN VAN'T HUL, mother of two, lives with her family in the mountains of western North Carolina. She has been writing about children's art and creativity on her blog, *The Artful Parent*, since 2008. A graduate of Wellesley College with a major in art history and studio art, Jean worked in various art and nonprofit fields before devoting her time to writing and raising kids. She loves sharing process-oriented art, seasonal crafts, and joyful learning opportunities, whether with her own daughters or through her children's art groups, her magazine articles, or her blog.