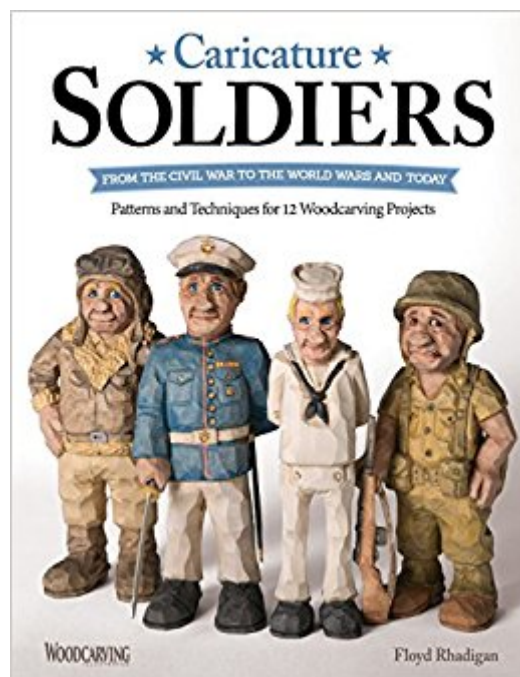




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# Caricature Soldiers: From The Civil War To The World Wars And Today: Patterns And Techniques For 12 Projects



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Throughout human history, ordinary soldiers have demonstrated their character and done their duty. Discover the creative art of caricature carving, and start making your own whimsical versions of classic service personalities. Award-winning carving instructor Floyd Rhadigan takes you step-by-step through the entire process of carving and painting a memorable and amusing military figure. Patterns are provided for both modern and historic service personnel, from the Revolutionary War, the Civil War, WWI, and WWII, to the present day. Floyd reveals his distinctive carving techniques, and shows you the basics of wood selection, tools, and finishing, along with inspiring color photographs of finished projects.

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Floyd Rhadigan is a past president of the Caricature Carvers of America, and a winner of the National Caricature Carving Competition. He is the author of several books from Fox Chapel

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Very interesting selection of military individuals. Great patterns that can be altered to your needs.

Great illustrations and good variety

Fun Carvings. Floyd's stuff is always good

I have carved these now to paint

Great reference book. Really special carving projects. Good instruction, photo's and patterns. Floyd does a remarkable job with these hero's. Almost have the sailor completed and ready for painting. Yup...I recommend this book. Let the chips fly.

My husband requested this for Christmas. He's a carver and is already working on a project.

Love all Floyd Rhadigan books. This one does not disappoint

After talking with the author, it is his method of honoring our veterans from all wars. The book does that in an exceptional manner. It makes me want to buy his roughouts and carve them myself. Excellent.

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