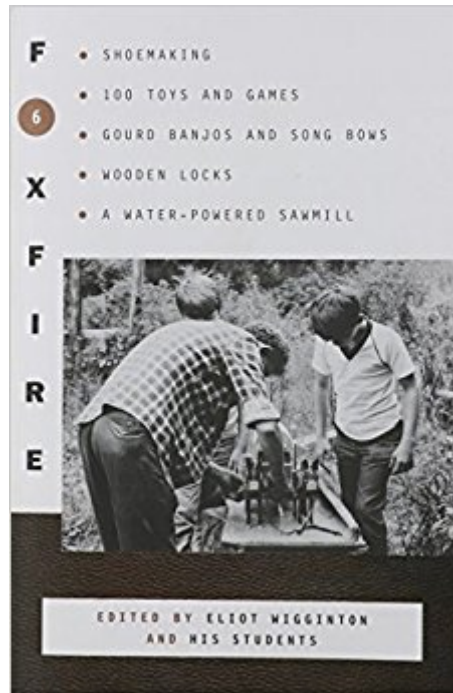




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Synopsis

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Purchased this book as well as Foxfire 5 as a Christmas gift for my guy. He has the first 4 of the set and was wanting to add to it. So far, he is still reading them. I've looked at them and read some, they are interesting in that they represent how things were done in an earlier time by people who had no money but had resources and the imagination, knowledge and time to utilize them. We live

on a farm and are attempting to become as self sustaining as possible and these do help understand what needs to be done and how to do it. There are also some pretty interesting stories about growing up in the first part of the 20th century.

My son wanted the entire Foxfire collection so I purchased all of the books from . He has read all of the books now and while some of the volumes he said did not have much practical instructional information he still enjoyed reading them immensely if just for the story aspect. These books are great for anyone who loves to read about old-fashioned ways of living before modern conveniences were commonplace or for someone who wants to learn how many things were done before things were so readily available. These books would be great for anyone who is of the "survivalist" mindset or anyone who just wants to learn to be more self sufficient.

I bought my first Foxfire book "back in the day" and kept buying them as they came out. Over these many years, some disappeared to siblings or children, so I decided to fill in the gaps and buy the ones I needed. I think they are wonderful guides to the way things were done by our ancestors and I've referred to them for some old time wisdom. I enjoy just reading from them. If anything ever happened to our society and the grid went down, the wisdom contained in these books would be a treasure. I'll bet all the Preppers would like to have the complete set.

I was first introduced to these books by my father and I have a daughter who is fascinated with learning to survive off the grid. All of the foxfire series have wonderful tips and realistic advice with great photos. I believe these are truly a must have series for anybody who wants to learn the old ways.

Finally bought all the Foxfire books for myself, having seen them years ago but never owned them. They are fascinating to read, and I bet from time to time you will use something in them for your own. I Love It!

I purchased Foxfire 1- 6 just to keep as reference books. I am really happy with them. They are just what I expected. I have not read them from cover to cover, but, what I have read is so interesting. I plan to purchase Foxfire 7 - 12 just to have to read now and then. They have so much information and "how to" of things back when my parents were young, things I can remember listening to my parents talk about. Thank you for these books.

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Foxfire 6 was okay but did not have the detail in it that I was hoping for. You may like it.

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