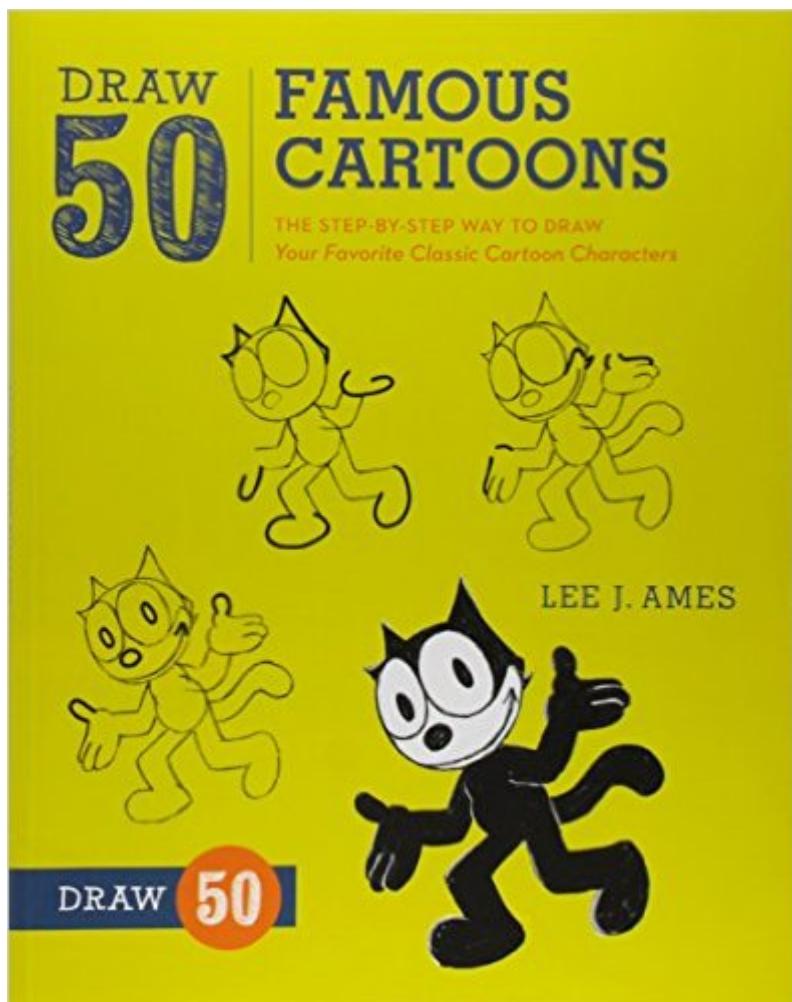


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Draw 50 Famous Cartoons: The Step-by-Step Way To Draw Your Favorite Classic Cartoon Characters



Synopsis

A barrel of laughs is what aspiring cartoonists of all ages will have while they learn to draw their favorite characters from the funny pages.

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Customer Reviews

I am 9 years old and love to draw. This book tells you how to draw a lot of famous cartoons. Some of the ones I like the best are PopEye, Flintstones and Scooby Doo. If you like to draw, you will enjoy this book.

The Lee Ames series of books are good if you already have the basics of drawing down and some minor artist skills. They show how to take your basic skills and make some neat stuff. But this book is basically 1 page to a cartoon star, and about 6 drawings on the page to get a completed look. For some simple ones it works but on others it gets a little tricky. No text instructions here, just the drawings which you are just copying. If you want to LEARN how to draw and get the basic skills first whether you are kid or an adult, the books by Jack Hamm and Ed Emberly are the best place to start. They can make anyone an artist. Then come back to books like Ames.

Kids like to duplicate what they know, it helps them to connect to popular art. So this drawing book has 50 characters from popular cartoons for them to copy. They did a great job with the final art and

the choice of characters from comic strips and comic books. You may need some basic skills before you try some of these. If you don't have these yet that's OK, we all have to start somewhere. I might suggest you try Ed Emberly's books (like "the Big Green Drawing Book") or Mark Kistler's books or videos, the best places to start learning to draw. A book like this is more useful when you have some very basic drawing skills, then use a book like this to practice and hone your skills with.

This book is great fun! I have enjoyed all the different characters covered in the book. Some have been flashbacks to a misspent youth watching too many Saturday morning cartoons. Others are completely new and alien to me. The one criticism I would have of this book is no Betty Rubble. The have Fred and Wilma, Barney and Dino, freakin' Dino! but no Betty. Otherwise I have had a blast with this book and expect a lot more enjoyable time working on the material in it.

My granddaughter has taken up drawing, and she wanted to try cartoons. So I got this, and she loves the different cartoons she can draw. I got her a variety of books, for her use. Fast delivery, packaged well, no problems ordering from this site again. Thank you!

Lots of fun! Good, clear instructions. Great choice of characters, though Jiggs without Maggie and Barney without Betty are like bread without butter. I made a lot of cartoon stand-ups to brighten up a sick room -- really brought a smile to the patient's face. Especially when he himself drew Felix, Broomhilda and Hagar!

My nephew loves cartoons AND drawing, so when he got this for Christmas, he couldn't believe his luck. Every time he comes over, the first thing he does is pull it out of the closet and practice his skills (keeps him quiet too)! He can't wait to finish it so he can get a new drawing book!

I like it very much. I work /w the city schools and the children really like it. I only wish the author had a updated version.(todays cartoons, Bugs bunny and like.

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