

# BOOK REVIEW

HTML Template designed by Hev & modified by Jessica Phillips

I always seem to be asking Hev for her HTML templates she uses on her site. After putting my pattern HTML template in PDF form I thought to put the book review HTML template Hev gave me. This is what I use for my book reviews. It is based off of what Hev has for hers.



1. This was written for the text editor in Wordpress Blog. It can be used on any HTML/PHP page. The only thing that is not usable as is are the HTML for Font Awesome.



2. If you want to use the Font Awesome coding please go to <http://fontawesome.com> and do what it says. The coding for Font Awesome WILL NOT work unless you do this. The coding in this is for FontAwesome5.
3. Know the basics of HTML. Or go to W3Schools and learn. <https://www.w3schools.com/>

I am going to try to go through each HTML part and tell you what it does. I am self taught. I have no training or degree for HTML or coding of any sort. I am NOT responsible should you mess anything up on your blog, web server, etc. This is just a guide describing what I do for my book reviews I offer on my site. At the end of this will be the plain code with no description of what things are. If you have any questions please contact me on my site <http://crochetjessica.com> Please do not bother Hev.

**IMPORTANT:** You will have to add CSS to your theme. Most themes let you add additional CSS. In the Wordpress build I am using it is Appearance > Themes > Customize & the screen you are taken too should have 'Additional CSS' on the bottom of the options that show up. I will add the CSS to the end with the HTML.

## BOOK COVER IMAGE

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This is the coding you use to show the book cover of the book you are reviewing. If you use this in a Wordpress install you can change the align="right" to left or center. Either way if using Wordpress you will have your words wrapping around the image.

## BOOK TITLE, AUTHOR, GENRE, & RATING

```
<strong>Title:</strong> <a href="URL TO BOOK GOES HERE – USUALLY A GOODREADS LINK" rel="noopener" target="_blank">NAME OF BOOK</a> <br />
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<strong>Author:</strong> <a href="URL TO BOOK AUTHOR GOES HERE – USUALLY GOODREADS AUTHOR LINK" rel="noopener" target="_blank">AUTHOR LINK</a><br />
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<strong>Genre:</strong> BOOK GENRE GOES HERE<br />
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<strong>My Rating: </strong><i class="reviewrate"><i class="fas fa-star"></i><i class="fas fa-star"></i><i class="fas fa-star"></i><i class="fas fa-star"></i><i class="fas fa-star"></i><i class="far fa-star"></i></i><br />
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This is where you put the title, author, & genre of the book at. The rating uses Font Awesome coding. If you want to use FontAwesome please refer back to the beginning. If not use something else – just delete anything in this section in the <i> tag. If you do use FontAwesome the rating is set up for YELLOW stars with 4 solid stars & 1 empty star.

## BOOK DESCRIPTION

```
<strong>Book Description:</strong></br>
<blockquote ><i>
DESCRIPTION ABOUT BOOK GOES HERE – USUALLY FROM GOODREADS
</i></blockquote>
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This is the coding you use to show the book description as used by the place you are getting the description from. I usually use what GoodReads has. Make sure you can use the description given before using it. It is wrapped in block quote & italic tags so the reader can differentiate between the description & your review.

# BOOK REVIEW

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<h3>My Review</h3>  
YOUR REVIEW GOES HERE
```

This is the coding you use to show your review of the book. I usually write the review here before posting it on any other site. It helps me make sure all grammar and spelling is correct as well as making sure it's what I want to say. It can be as long as you want.

# BOOK PROVIDER

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<hr />  
<p align="center">I received this book from <a href="URL GOES HERE">SITE YOU  
GOT BOOK FROM TO REVIEW</a> for a honest review.</p>
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Did you get the book in exchange for a review? If so add this to your post. It should say that you have to do this anyhow if you got it from netgalley.com or similar sites. The `<hr />` tag will provide a line break that you can see. Wherever you put it there will be a faint line across the web page. It will only put the line across the area the theme has assigned for the page. In this case it helps draw attention to the book provider.



**Title:** Getting Started Knitting Socks  
**Author:** Ann Budd  
**Genre:** Art > Crafts  
**My Rating:** ★★★★★

**Book Description:**

*From cast-on stitches to binding off, this handbook details the simple steps needed to turn seemingly complicated sock knitting projects into easy and enjoyable activities. Helpful photographs and instructional drawings ensure that even inexperienced knitters will be able to produce high-quality socks and handle more complicated techniques, such as the Kitchener stitch at the toe. Using instructions for five different sizes—from child through adult large—at five different gauges, knitters can produce styles ranging from delicate dress socks to thick and furry slipper socks. More adventurous knitters can add variety and flair by following one of 16 unique designs or trying one of the dozens of rib, cable, and lace patterns provided. With plenty of tips and a handy stitch dictionary, this guide unleashes the creativity and fun of sock knitting.*

The book cover features the title 'GETTING STARTED knitting socks' in bold, colorful letters. Below the title is a photograph of several colorful knitted socks (red, orange, blue, green) and balls of yarn in various colors (purple, blue, red, orange, green). The author's name 'Ann Budd' is at the bottom.

This is a screen shot of one of my book reviews. To see my books reviews go to <http://crochetjessica.com/category/book-reviews/>

Hev can be found at <http://tigerwhispers.com>

## MY REVIEW

I thought since I started reviewing books I would review the books I cannot live without. This book is one of those. Though I can knit all sorts of styles of socks I always refer to this book for anything sock related. I bought this book from a yarn store for the price on the back because I was desperate to learn how to knit socks. It was well worth the price and I will pay full price for ANY of Ann Budds books in the future.

Ann Budd explains the construction of socks very well. She tells you what materials you need as well. How she explains the anatomy of a sock just clicked with me when others couldn't.

This is my 'Sock Bible'. I really don't think I could live without this book and continue to knit socks.



# BOOK REVIEW HTML

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# BOOK REVIEW CSS

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.reviewrate {color: #FFC300}

.reviewbookcover
{
border: 1px solid #eee;
padding: 4px;
background: #fff;
width: 60%;
display: block;
margin: auto;
box-shadow: 2px 2px #666;
}
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