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## **Darn It!** **Traditional Female Skills That Every Man Should Know**

**Sarah Williams**

### **Description**

Have you ever wondered how you'd survive without your wife or girlfriend (or mum!) attending to those little tasks - such as mending, sewing and cleaning - that you should, rather embarrassingly, be able to do yourself? Have you ever wished you knew these skills so that you can finally sew on a button or remove a stain on your own? Then this is the book for you!

From baking bread and making jam to ironing a shirt and treating a sting, *Darn It!* features all the essential skills that a man should learn to make his life that little bit easier. Divided into sections on housekeeping, craft and make do, the kitchen and first aid, each task is succinctly explained and accompanied by beautifully illustrated instructions.

The modern man need never again sheepishly ask for help!

### **Sales Points**

- Learn complete self-reliance as you master all the skills in this book, doing away with the need to ask for the help of the woman in your life!
- Features all the traditional female skills that every man should learn, from darning socks and sewing on buttons, to cooking one-pot meals and treating burns and stings
- Divided into manageable sections and sub-divided by different skills, each is explained in a step-by-step process with accompanying illustrations
- The perfect purchase for the man who really should know better!

### **Reviews**

- 'No man should leave home - or better still spend the day at home - without this essential book!' - *Lancashire Evening Post*
- 'lively and informative' - *Lancaster Guardian*

### **Author Biography**

Sarah Williams was born in Portsmouth and brought up in nearby Gosport. She escaped in the early 2000s and headed to Brighton, where she studied for a degree in Visual Culture. Since then she has worked as a writer, researcher and community arts facilitator, not to mention barmaid, waitress, cleaner, gardener and decorator. In her spare time she likes to eat, walk, knit and smile at dogs. She is married to the author of *Screw It!*, Aubrey Smith.