

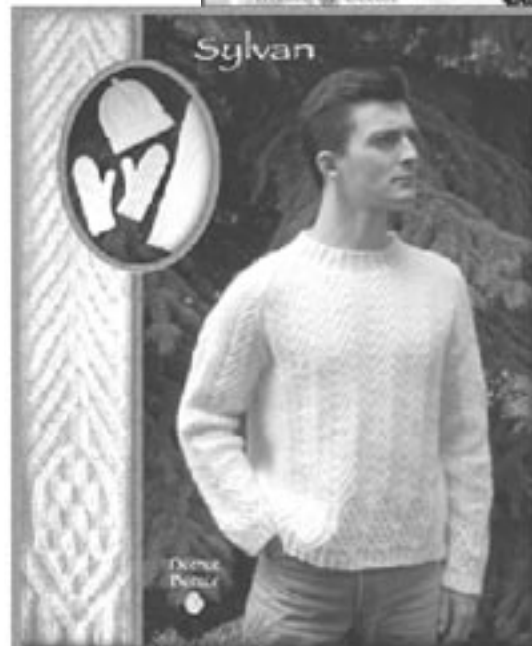
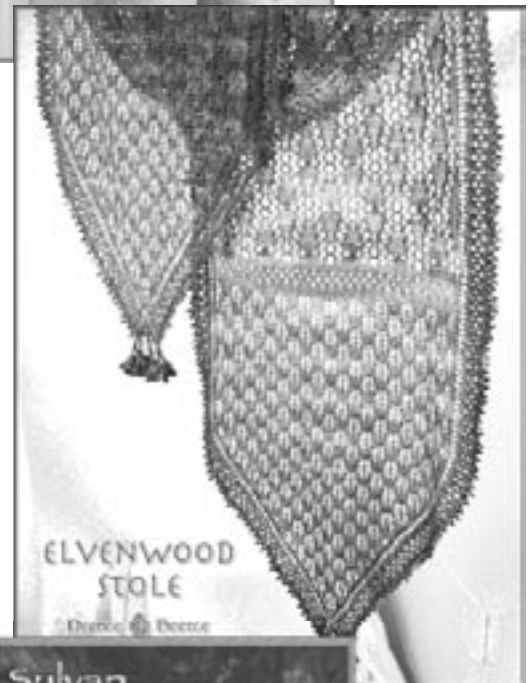


Brenda Zuk was born in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, in 1961 and was raised in Elora, Ontario. She received a Bachelor of Applied Arts in Fashion

Design, in 1988 at Ryerson University, Toronto, Ontario. Her knitwear design business, Needle Beetle, was launched in the fall of 1993.

Brenda's extensive gardens are home to the flowers and creatures that are the special inspiration for many of her knitted nature studies. She envisions the finished piece in her mind, working it out mathematically on paper long before the yarn and needles ever meet. The intarsia, lace and textural designs can then emerge from the needles, just as Brenda first saw them, to become the perfect portrait of a timber wolf or lacy butterfly.

She is an artist of many talents and has been drawing and painting for as long as she can remember. Combining that history with a degree in fashion design results in designs which are realistic, intricate, vibrant and honestly refreshing.



NEEDLE BEETLE

original handknitting patterns
colourwork - lace - texture - intarsia

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Intarsia patterns include:

Colour illustration/photograph of design

Full size intarsia charts, large charts are always on 11" x 17" double-sided paper

Intarsia pattern instructions are always a combination of intarsia charts and written instructions.

Sweater/garment schematics

Yarn & needle requirements

2ml or 3 ml 9" x 13" polypropylene bag

Colourwork, lace & texture patterns include:

Colour photograph of design

Full size lace or cable charts, large charts are always on 11" x 17" double-sided paper

Lace and texture patterns may be a combination of charts and written instructions or only written instructions, this information is given on individual pattern pages on the website.

Sweater/garment schematics

Yarn & needle requirements

2ml or 3ml 9" x 13" polypropylene bag

Colourwork, lace & texture leaflets include:

Greyscale photograph of design

Folded 32 lb weight 8.5"x11" paper

A combination of charts and written instructions or only written instructions, this information is given on individual leaflet pages on the website.

Measurements

Yarn & needle requirements

1ml 6" x 10" polypropylene bag

(Leaflets are noted where applicable)

Needle Beetle Patterns

(prices in Canadian Dollars, subject to change)

Colourwork Patterns:

Alpin Glow (\$10 CDN) The colours of sunrise & snow-capped mountain peaks inspired this intricate stranded cardigan

Autumn - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of stranded leaf patterned socks inspired by the colours of the season

Butterfly Garden - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of stranded & duplicate stitched socks inspired by the Monarch, Red-spotted Purple & Western Tiger Swallowtail butterfly

Coral Reef (\$10 CDN) A mosaic patterned cropped v-neck cardigan emulates the colourful experience of a ride in a glass-bottom boat

Byzantium - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of highly decorated socks inspired by ornate mosaics from the Byzantine Empire

Day Trips - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of stranded socks

inspired by the Bruce Trail, the Elora Gorge & Lake Ontario

Gliteren (\$10 CDN) An elegant & tapestry-like mosaic knitted cardigan combining 6 luscious handpainted yarns

Impressions - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of stranded socks combining colour with twisted stitches

Milk & Honey (\$10 CDN) A sophisticated honeycomb and corrugated ribbed cardigan

Northern Tweed - Mittens, Hat & Scarf (\$8 CDN) Mittens, Hat and Scarf in reversible baby cable & slip-stitch knitting using 3 colours

Patio Garden Placemats (\$8 CDN) Traditional basketweave pattern framed by a stockinette border embellished with a charming floral cross-stitch design

Scimerian (\$10 CDN) A joyous, colour filled mosaic knitted cardigan

Spring - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of stranded & striped socks that are sure to put a "spring" in your step

Summer - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of cheery mosaic patterned & striped socks

White Water Rapids (\$10 CDN) A v-neck cardigan in the colours of rocks & water, edged with wavy lace frills & bobbles

Winter - Socks (\$10 CDN) 3 pairs of stranded snowflake patterned socks that will keep your feet warm in the chilly winter weather

Lace Patterns:

Daisy - Centrepiece (\$10 CDN) Nature's mandala, this daisy centrepiece represents everyone's favourite simple flower

Dragon Lace - Scarf & Hat (\$8 CDN) Lovely angora scarf & matching hat knitted in lacy dragon scales

Dragonflies & Water Lilies Stole (\$10 CDN) Dragonflies wing their way around the water lilies in this pond setting which is framed by a textured & lacy edging

Elvenwood Stole (\$10 CDN) Cable work & lace combined create tangled roots & textured leaves in this elongated hexagonal stole with two beautiful frills

Maia (\$10 CDN) A pretty spring cardigan of lace mesh & ribbing

Rose Garland Shawl (\$10 CDN) A dozen roses in garter stitch outlined by lacy holes encircle this pi shawl

Scallop Sea Shawl (\$10 CDN) Based on a scallop shell I found in Florida years ago

Seaweed Stole (\$10 CDN) A reversible beaded stole floating in the ocean waves covered in sparkling bubbles

Spider Web Shawl (\$10 CDN) Garden Drama! What is more beautiful than a spider web on a dew filled morning?

Tiger Swallowtail Shawl (\$10 CDN) Flying butterfly captured in eyelets, garter & stockinette

Texture Patterns:

Apple Orchard - Pullover, Mittens, Hat & Socks (\$10 CDN) A drop shoulder textured pullover with rows of gnarly apple trees & moss stitch pattern. Also accompanied by socks, mittens & hat in complementary baby cable ribbing & purl stitches.

Bazil & Billie - Seed Stitch Teddybear (\$10 CDN) Adorable stuffed seed stitch teddybear & optional overalls with intarsia fish motif

Faerie Vine - Tunic & Tote Bag (\$10 CDN) Blossoming vines surround this adult tunic & tote bag

Salmon Run - Shawl Collar Cardigan (\$10 CDN) Salmon make their way upstream through frothy cables of water

Shoal Waters - Cardigan (\$10 CDN) Highly textured cozy cardigan designed for cool, breezy evenings by the water

Sylvan - Raglan Pullover, Hat, Mittens & Scarf (\$10 CDN) Fir cones and needle branches adorn this raglan pullover with accompanying hat, mittens & scarf

Leaflets:

Lil' Crop Top - Leaflet (\$5 CDN) Close-fitting sleeveless crop top knit in the round till armholes, then worked back & forth

Nancy's Mittens & More! - Leaflet (\$5 CDN) Classically styled mittens, hat, headband & scarf

Newsies - Leaflet (\$5 CDN) Dual purpose newsies keep your hands warm & fingers free

William - Leaflet (\$5 CDN) Twisted stitches travel around this pair of elegant socks

Arabesque Stole - Leaflet (\$5 CDN) This pretty stole is reversible, making it the perfect choice for any evening event

Adult Intarsia Sweater Patterns - Animals:

Atlantic Puffin (\$10 CDN) 6 puffins ashore

Humpback Whale (\$10 CDN) Breach & underwater view

Massaicus (\$10 CDN) Lion & lioness portraits

Muskoka (\$10 CDN) Flapping loon churning up water & loons with baby in calm water

Quanah (\$15 CDN) Sitting tabby cat in 3 flavours, orange, calico & black & white

Ringtail Bandits (\$12.50 CDN) Adult, babies in a tree

Timber Wolf (\$15 CDN) Portrait, howler, pup & wolf tracks

Wild Things (\$15 CDN) White siberian tiger & african elephant portraits - Tunic

Adult Intarsia Sweater Patterns - Landscapes & Flora:

Eastern Shore (\$10 CDN) Lighthouse scene

Forest Mists (\$10 CDN) Misty treeline beside water & rocks

Mountain Mists (\$10 CDN) Misty mountain scene

Spirit of Manitoulin (\$10 CDN) Rocks, water & sky

Spring Thaw (\$10 CDN) Icebergs

Sugar Maple (\$10 CDN) Colourful maple leaves - Tunic

Adult Intarsia Sweater Patterns - Dog Breeds:

Arctic Frost - Siberian Husky (\$10 CDN) Grey puppy lying down

Ashley - Clumber Spaniel (\$10 CDN) Orange or lemon puppy in sitting pose

Bounce & Melanie - Miniature Schnauzers (\$10 CDN) Sitting, & playing with a ball

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Bucky - Pug (\$10 CDN) Black or fawn puppy lying down

Kali - Dalmatian (\$10 CDN) Puppy lying down in 2 poses

Libby - Basset Hound (\$12.50 CDN) Puppy sitting, & lying down

Rainer - German Shepherd (\$12.50 CDN) Puppy sitting & adult profile head study

Rebel - Pied French Bulldog (\$10 CDN) Puppy in standing pose

Sasha - Labrador Retriever (\$12.50 CDN) Puppy sitting, available in yellow, black & chocolate

Sugar - Poodle (\$10 CDN) Regular cut & show dog style!

Tanner - St. Bernard (\$10 CDN) Puppy sitting in front of a mountainous background

Tasha - Alaskan Malamute (\$10 CDN) Puppy sitting & adult head study

Tooie - Yorkshire Terrier (\$10 CDN) Portrait pose

Wesley - West Highland White Terrier (\$12.50 CDN) Puppy sitting, & playing with a ball

Intarsia Sweater Patterns - Kidknits:

Dinosaurs (\$10 CDN) 6 different dinosaurs take a walk around this pullover

Tree Frog (\$10 CDN) Red-eyed tree frog

Unicorn Dreams (\$10 CDN) Rearing white unicorn in a starry night setting

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