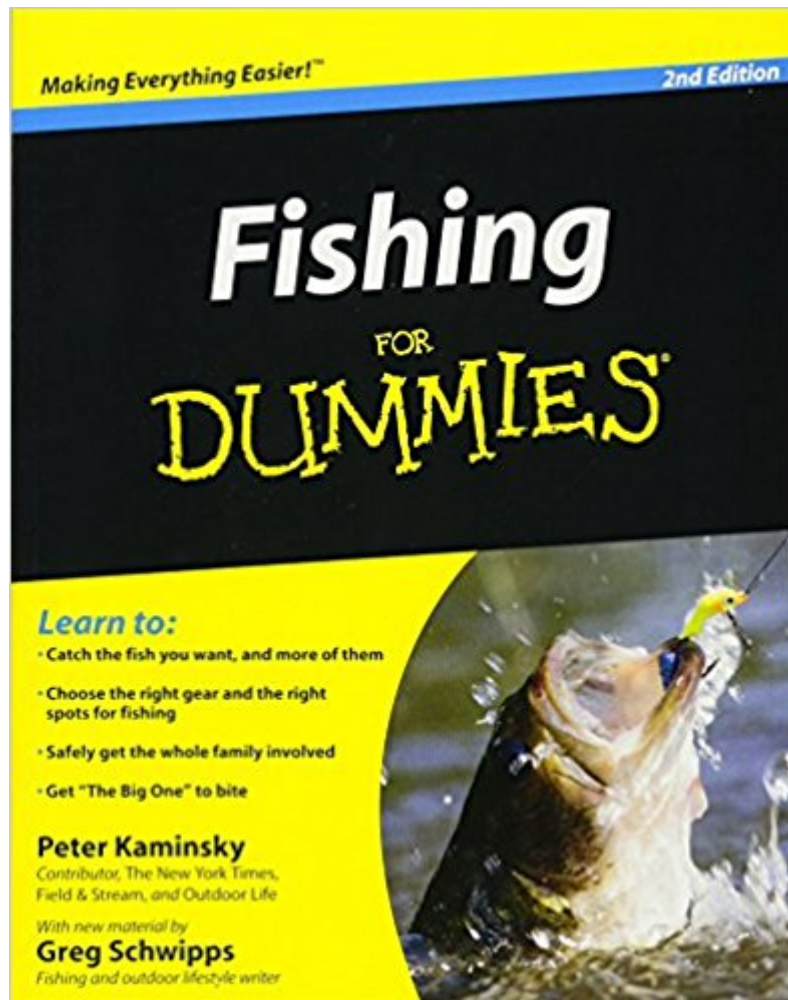




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# Fishing For Dummies



## Synopsis

Make fishing easier and more rewarding every time you pick up your rod and reel! No one can promise that you will catch fish all the time. For as long as we've been catching fish, fish have been outsmarting us. But there are tips and pointers that even the most seasoned anglers can pick up! *Fishing For Dummies* helps you prepare for what awaits beyond the shore. From trout to carp and bass to bonefish, you'll get coverage of the latest and greatest techniques to fish like a pro. The latest in fishing line and equipment technology, including new electronics and gadgets. An expanded section on casting methods for spinning tackle and bait casting. 8 pages of full-color fish illustrations! If you're one of the millions of people who enjoy fishing, whether for fun or sport, this hands-on, friendly guide gives you everything you need to keep "The Big One" from getting away!

**From the Book: Common Fish**

**Rainbow Trout** Rainbow Trout The beautifully marked rainbow trout, one of the world's most popular gamefish, prefers water cooler than 70 degrees.

**Channel Cat** Channel Cat The channel cat is a hard-fighting gamefish widely stocked in ponds, reservoirs, and lakes everywhere. Its barbels (whiskers) help it locate food even in clouded water.

**Largemouth Bass** Largemouth Bass The largemouth bass ranks as one of the most recognized and prized game fish the world over. A largemouth will take live bait, but it's usually caught on a wide range of lures, including the soft plastic Yum Big Show Craw. See more fish, as well as lures and additional fishing information.

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The fast and easy way to get hooked on fishing For as long as we've been catching fish, they've

been out-smarting us. But there are tips and pointers that even the most seasoned anglers can pick up! From trout to carp and bass to bonefish, this plain-English guide gives you coverage of the latest and greatest techniques to fish like a pro – and keep "The Big One" from getting away. Go fish – find out how to take a fishing trip like a pro, from how to dress to finding and evaluating your fishing waters to familiarizing yourself with the types of fish you can expect to encounter. The reel deal on fishing gear – get advice on the equipment you'll need (and what you won't need) for freshwater and saltwater fishing. Hook, line, and sinker – get the bottom line on the best bait, lures, and flies you'll need to entice that next big bite. Book it or cook it – discover how to photograph your catch before it swims free, and get advice on how to clean and cook the catch of the day. Open the book and find: A color section featuring fish and lures. New fishing tools and gadgets. How to choose the best gear for you. How to trick fish with lures. Common freshwater and saltwater fish. Safety advice. Recipes to turn your fillets into delicious meals. Advice on using live bait. Flies that work everywhere. How to tie popular fishing rigs. Learn to: Catch the fish you want, and more of them. Choose the right gear and the right spots for fishing. Safely get the whole family involved. Get "The Big One" to bite.

Peter Kaminsky has written for Outdoor Life, Field & Stream, and The New York Times "Outdoors" column and is the author of numerous books on cooking and fishing. Greg Schipps' work has appeared in outdoor magazines such as Outdoor Indiana, Indiana Game & Fish, and In-Fisherman.

Great beginner guide for a someone new to fishing. Easy to follow lessons plus a wealth of information to help anyone learn the basics of fishing. Plenty of pictures and helpful visuals to aid in teaching.

Great book , easy to understand with great pictures , drawings and commentary. Just what I needed. buy this book before you buy equipment or if you have been away from fishing a while.

Had information on everything, most is just general information for a true beginner. Talks about differences between rods, reels, baits, lures, rigs, stream fishing, lake fishing, freshwater and saltwater. Great read for me.

Good for beginners, I was looking more for rigging different ways to catfish , unfortunately there wasn't any info on that really. I hadn't fished for several years, and was trying to get back into it the

last few years without much luck. I remembered some basics.

My son loves it - it has given him some great advice! I really recommend this book for the beginner fisherman (woman).

This is a very very very basic book. If you have no idea which end of a fish bites the bait, this is your book. If you are looking for presentation techniques for different lures, there's only a few pages you'll be interested in.

It has many years since I have been fishing, and now that I am retired. I would like to try it again, I wanted to start by learning some of the basics, and I thought there was no better way than a "For Dummies" book. This is only a start, but gives an insight into a multitude of subjects. This is a good starting point.

If you are looking to catch up to speed on fishing gear and some other basics, this will do it well. Book addresses many safety issues for the entry level angler. And I found it to be very informative. But if you are looking for specifics on how or what to use in say heavy weeds or something you won't find it here. Good overall.

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