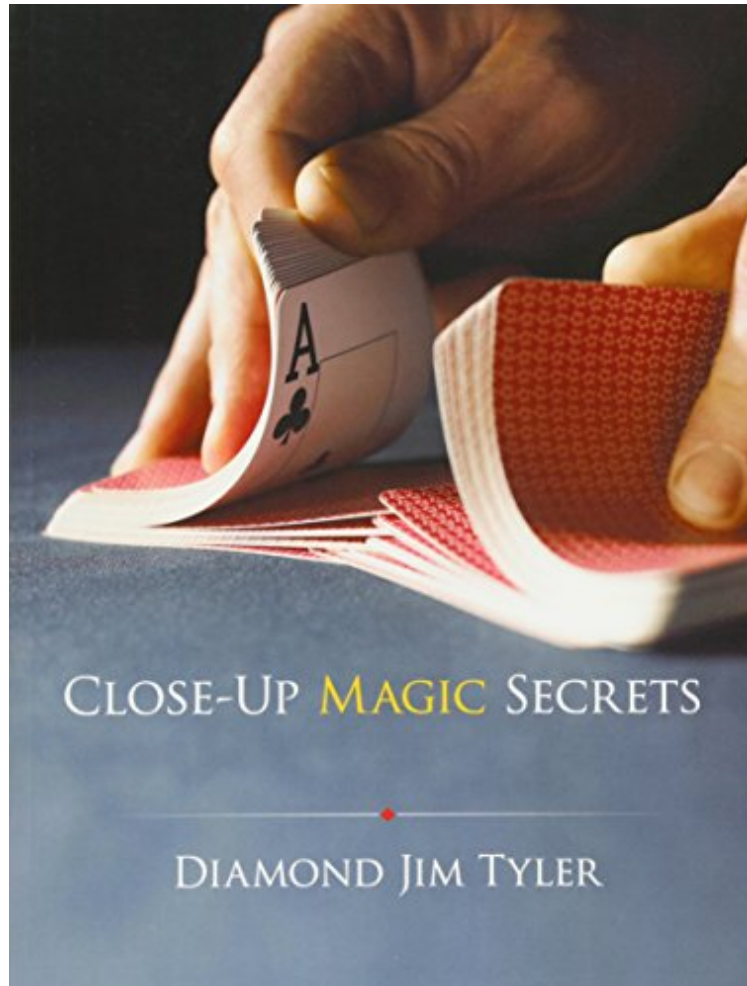


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Jim Tyler : Close-Up Magic Secrets (Dover Magic Books) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Close-Up Magic Secrets (Dover Magic Books):

32 of 32 people found the following review helpful. Not For Beginners or Dabblers By Phil Reda This is a book full of professional close-up magic from a full time working Pro. The book goes beyond tricks and gets into the how and why - it is a book designed for the intermediate and above skill level - there are a few tricks that require little technical skill but require some performance skill. The following couple of questions will gauge the required skill level and help you decide if this book is appropriate (the reason is this book should not fall into the wrong hands or frustrate the reader.) 1. What is a double lift? 2. What is finger palm position? 3. What is a Hindu Shuffle? 4. Si Stebbins System? These are basic concepts and if you have never heard of them then may I suggest the following two books (Both available on Amazon): Mark Wilson's Complete Course in Magic or Magic: The Complete Course (Book

DVD)Both books should be in all Magicians Libraries anyway and they will give you the foundation you will need to advance to the next level and they have excellent magic. The effect in this book range from standard Card and Coin to odd objects like a soda straw. The instructions are clear and well written. I especially like the appendix where he briefly covers required sleights (though you still need to have a basic library for more detailed explanations.) This book was originally published and sold for around \$45 - this is a steal! Dover has done it again with quality and affordability. Dover has also published other great magic books checkout: The Royal Road to Card Magic Expert Card Technique: Close-Up Table Magic Modern Coin Magic: 116 Coin Sleights and 236 Coin Tricks As a note I have been doing close-up magic for over 30 years and have an extensive library This Dover publication is right up there with books costing 3 times the price. It is hard to pick my favorite effects from the book but I really like (just to name a few:)

1. Gunslinger
2. Base Ball production from card box a rework of John Bannon effect
3. The FBI Trick - will have to find my thumb cuffs - very good routine that take a stage classic and brought it to a walk around performance piece. What I really like is that most of the effects reset or have a quick reset time.

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Value

By bob Moyer Mix of easy items and some that require a lot of practice. Worth the price.

6 of 6 people found the following review helpful. Close-up magic of Diamond Jim Tyler

By J. McClure This is a very good book on close-up magic. I had the pleasure of seeing Diamond Jim Tyler last year at a magic convention in Kentucky, where he performed a lot of the effects that are in this book. It is not a beginner's book for magicians, but I would put it in the intermediate category. IT is a very good book. Jim

Move objects with your mind, pass coins through tables, escape police restraints, and reveal other people's thoughts! Diamond Jim Tyler shows how to transform an ordinary act into a truly entertaining show. Learn 29 routines that include several original tricks as well as many tried-and-true crowd pleasers. Written for beginners and used by pros, this guide is designed for illusionists performing in small venues bars, restaurants, and other places where audiences will be watching from close range. Its tricks for every type of magician include a variety of routines involving cards, money, fire, mind-reading, and comedy. Diamond Jim offers tips on patter and a helpful glossary of magic jargon. More than 300 photographs illustrate his easy-to-follow instructions.

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