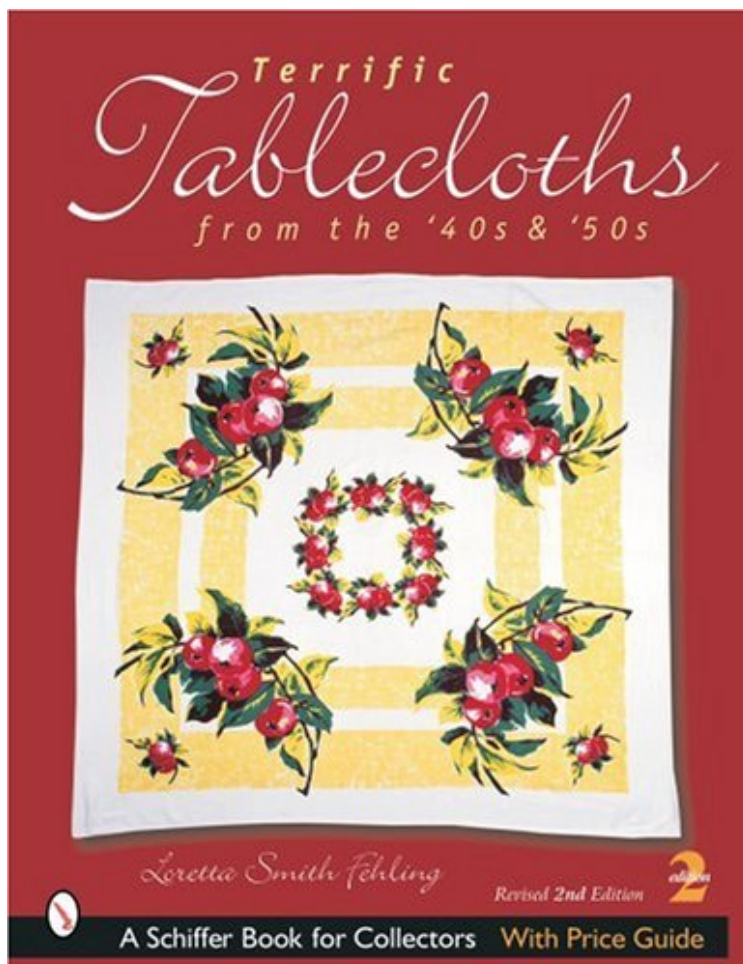


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## **Terrific Tablecloths: From the '40s '50s**

**Loretta Smith Fehling : Terrific Tablecloths: From the '40s '50s** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Terrific Tablecloths: From the '40s '50s:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great Tablecloth Book With Excellent Photos!By BlackRain4I wanted to get Loretta Smith Fehling's first book, as I already have the second one. The photos are great! It's a pleasure to look at, for a vintage linen lover! :O)32 of 32 people found the following review helpful. Looking For More...By Cheryl SizovAlthough this book beautifully catalogs hundreds of vintage tablecloths, it is virtually devoid of any solid information about them. Maybe I'm looking for something that doesn't exist, but I had hoped to learn more about when certain styles of tablecloths were designed and manufactured, who the designers and manufacturers were, the trends in tablecloths over time, the homemaking culture that went with them, how to care for them (and repair them), and maybe even a little about the vintage tablecloth market--what's hot, regional trends/specialties, etc. In short, I had hoped for something a little more scholarly and not just pretty pictures. Nonetheless, with very few resource books on the topic, this book does at least show the variety of vintage tablecloths that exists. And that's a start!0 of 0 people

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Terrific Tablecloths from the '40s and '50s is a must have book for anyone interested in textiles. These tablecloths take us back to mom's or grandma's kitchen and the colorful prints inspired by wartime victory gardens, mountain dogwood, and springtime bouquets. And who can forget the wonderful souvenir maps from vacations in Florida? More than 400 color photographs are here to be enjoyed. Captions and updated values make this an invaluable resource for collectors, designers, and antique dealers.

About the AuthorLoretta Fehling began collecting tablecloths in the 1970s, and now designs one-of-a-kind articles of clothing. She enjoys traveling both in the states and abroad and is always on the lookout for great fabric.