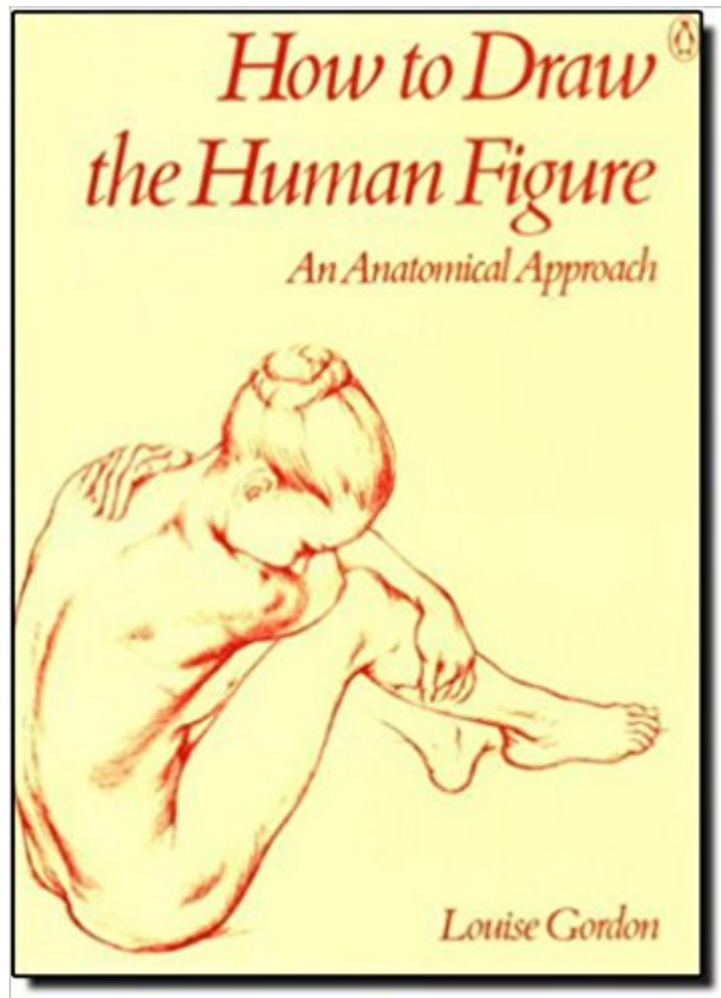




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I teach drawing and ask students to (pleeze!) buy themselves an anatomy book. I spread out my collection in class to give them an idea about what's to choose. But this one is my favorite. The drawings are graceful, the pencil-quality is sensitive, and the muscle and bone beneath the skin are explicit. Her 'x-ray' drawings tell the whole story. I find I can pour over this book hypnotically and repeatedly -- and gain in understanding in a way my other books can't match. I never get sick of Louise Gordon. She writes clearly, too. I keep buying another copy because I'm always giving mine away to students. I probably need to cut that out ...

Everything in this book is geared toward the artistic mind; it leaves out anything that you wouldn't need to draw the human form from an artistic perspective, and is excellently succinct at explaining every small gesture. The illustrations are expertly crafted, and easily understood, and the book progresses in a simple, understandable manner. Buy this book, if you want to draw the human form accurately, and effectively.

Good starter book for someone trying to learn figure drawing also excellent for references

The book itself is in good condition and all the body parts in each diagram are easy to distinguish from one another :)

Gives more complete drawings and poses.

Simple little book, but very useful and handy. Great sketches and fairly detailed.

The author is a medical illustrator and her familiarity with human anatomy is evident with each drawing in this book. Both male and female anatomy is presented, and the differences between each are noted. Where possible, the anatomical and finished drawings are placed side by side so that underlying musculoskeletal features are shown on the surface. Most of the drawings are of dynamic poses to show how the parts of the body work together. This book will be one of your primary references on human anatomy.

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