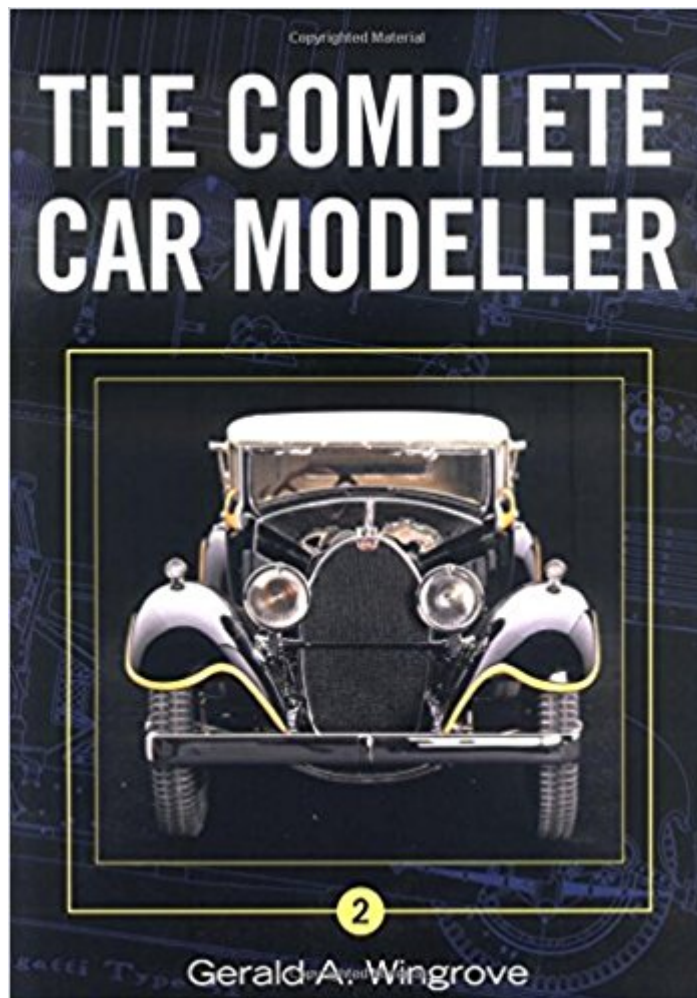


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Synopsis

In this follow-up to the successful Complete Car Modeler 1, Gerald Wingrove takes the aspiring modeler to the next level by describing in detail the process and skills involved in the construction of his world-famous 1/15 scale models. His example subject throughout the book is the fabulous Weinberger Bugatti Royale. Thus the re-creation of the Royale, including all engine and chassis detail, is revealed step-by-step. Includes full plans for the Bugatti Royale not previously published.

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Beautiful book on professional model making skills! Museum quality!

This is an addition to the original book by Gerald A. Wingrove titled "The Complete Car Modeler" in H/B or "The Complete Car Modeler #1" in S/B. It covers many modeling techniques that are not only applicable to the model car builder but can be applied to any scratch building projects. Both books make a very outstanding set of books to aid the model scratch builder. As a "bonus" there is six pages of an excellent and very detailed drawing of a 1931 Weinberger Bugatti Type 41 in the back pages of the book.

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