

The Stickman No. 17 Puzzle Box (Try-Knot Box)

The Stickman No. 17 Puzzlebox looks a little like an artistic sculpture with colorful frames surrounding its decorative core. The intersecting frames of this puzzle mesh with each other and the three maze patterns on the sides of the box's exterior.

While visible, the combination of intertwining mazes produces a decent challenge. A single move depends on the position of its two other frames, and these other frames subsequently require the proper positioning of all other frames before a move can take place. This really is a knot, and a bit of advanced planning is required to solve this puzzle.



Working the shortest frame to one end of the inner box will allow a lid to slide open, and it has to then be manipulated back to the opposite side to open the other. This is a classic theme to many Stickman puzzles, in that no matter to the starting position of a box, there is still a decent challenge to get to at least one compartment.



Limited Edition Status: Limited to 55.

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Original Sale Price: \$499

Wood types: Cocobolo or Leopardwood with Yellowheart and Wenge frames.

Variations: Cocobolo or Leopardwood interiors.

Size: 6" x 5" x 4"

Number of Compartments: 2

Number of Steps: Minimum of 37.

Difficulty Level: Moderate

Instruction Book: 4-pages, color, illustrated.

Special features: N/A

Goal: Open both secret compartments.