This book is meant to offer practical means of learning to manipulate glass. Book I offers techniques and procedures of cutting, drilling, forming shaping, heating and decorating glass. Book II describes methods of using glass for more advanced activities. Of importance are discussions of hand rubbing and a portable polisher for removing scratches, the use of a sandbox and various adhesives for mending glass, the history of glass, and the properties of glass. The author also describes the use of epoxy and fiberglass for repairing fiberglass and metals, and there is a discussion of stained glass and glass mosaics. -- AATA
The way stained glass craftsmen worked also changed. Artists drew cartoons on paper and were able to carry those cartoons to different clients. Sample books of patterns were also transported. Blowing spun roundels may be seen in old prints such as those in Diderot's Encyclopedia. At first, the outer part of the roundel was in greater demand for glazing windows. The center with the punty mark was cheaper. The Encyclopedia of Card Tricks. [ Main Contents ] [ Next Chapter ]. Chapter I -Miscellaneous Tricks-. Fold the slip and put it on the table under a glass or some other object. Hand the pack to the lady and ask her to think of a number, then when your back is turned, to deal that number of cards face down on the table, turn the top card of those dealt, note what it is, replace the packet on the pack and make one complete cut burying the chosen card in the middle.