

EMERALD & VIOLET

. INSPIRATION! .

"We are like seashells upon the beach, beautiful and unique
each with a story of its own to tell."



Blue seashells are so unusual and pretty. The variation in this cool shade is spectacular. Take the challenge of drawing or painting just one simple shell. Or, just dream about a day on the beach & let your mind wander.

[Learn about Seashells](#)

. ART .
Blue NEON !!

276. But don't we at least *mean* something quite definite when we look at a colour and name our colour-impression? It is as if we detached the colour-*impression* from the object, like a membrane. (This ought to arouse our suspicions.)

This neon art, 'Infinite Blue', was created by Joseph Kosuth. It features blue in all its variety, a strand of visual poetry running from ancient times to the present day.

[LINK to Joseph Kosuth Art](#)

. INTERIOR DESIGN .
Faithfull allure of Blue !



Tranquil & Focused BLUE !

This study space works really well because:

- The blue provides a serene work area with a feature color & countertop working together to create calm.
- Soft, dark blue velvet chairs maintain a serene demeanor & create a peaceful flow of color.
- Count on white to brighten & add reflective qualities that keep the environment balanced.

Begin with a tiny blue teacup...



...then add your favorite paper flowers to create a little magic. This triadic color scheme of blue, magenta pink & gold create an unusual bouquet. Use your color wheel, or find one on the Internet, for a guide to schemes. I have included one below with four basic schemes.

[Link to Paper Flower Instructions](#)

Triadic - This scheme is the most unusual and creates a triangle on the wheel. Look to this concept for a most dynamic combination of color.

. PAINTED FURNITURE .

Royal Blue !



Have vision with respect to your furniture. If you have a piece that simply does not fit into your style today... then reimagine it! I found this example and wanted to share with you the stunning transformation. The wood on the left is so tired... the blue on the right is on target!

With my every best wish...

Never give
up for that
is just the
place and
time that the
tide
will turn



In closing this week I wanted to share this quote. We all have moments where we simply want to put our heads in the sand or pull the sheet up over our heads & go back to bed. Me too.

Yet, let's all move forward with faith that the world will be OK. Our paths will change, some courses revised, we won't understand every alteration.

The only thing we can do is harness our ability to pray, be strong & have faith.

Each day let's make it our goal to be kind & be creative...
in this way our world will become more fulfilling than
we could ever have imagined!

Be well, stay safe & remember, the world needs
your love! ...with my every best wish...Barbara

EMERALD & VIOLET STUDIO

We are all about Art, Color & Design!!!

I am working on creating classes that I will be able to
share with you online, via Zoom or another method. I'll be
in touch as soon as I have it all developed.

Until then take good care, be well & stay healthy!

A LINK to our Website:

Hours:

Currently closed...

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