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. INSPIRATION! . My picture of the week... a spectacular light show!



Solar winds provide the most incredible shows of color. This is one of the Autumnal light shows that are a result of "equinox cracks". These solar winds can pour through the gaps in the magnetic fields and fuel the bright displays of color within the Northern Lights. This is an example from Yellowknife, Canada. Proving that color inspiration may come from near and very far away!

LEARN about Auroras

. ART . A tiny green purse!



I saw a picture of this little purse and recreated it in the Paper Mosaic style. Perhaps you could be inspired to create your own artwork. Maybe the flowers could be ON the purse and not growing from inside of it!

Check out the link below for some inspiration. Scroll down to find your favorite design. Paint flowers on your purse or in a painting!! I have faith in you... you can do this!! Go ahead... create!!

LINK to Floral Purse Examples

. HOME DESIGN . Sweet, soft GREEN!



Cool minty GREEN!!

If you are searching for a calming color in your world, turn to this incredible combination of soft green and gentle gray blue. This is tranquility to the max.

This room works really well because:

- There has been a commitment to the color on the wall. It is just strong enough to carry the theme of this room and define the space.
- This analogous scheme of colors that neighbor each other on the color wheel makes a gentle transition from one hue to the next.
- The lightness of the pillows and white trim in the room add just enough contrast to keep it fresh.
- The light Scandinavian woods underscore the desire to maintain a light and airy atmosphere.

Talk about Green Tea!



This is a perfect example of how to incorporate those little 'orphaned' tea cups into a beautiful color statement. This pretty green tea cup & saucer are used to cradle a most sweet display of paper flowers. There is a little black edge on the saucer and on the handle on the cup... so, we added little accents of black paper into the design pulling it all together. You could make this sweet gift for yourself, a friend or relative who would appreciate your creative and caring touch.

LINK to Paper Flower Instructions

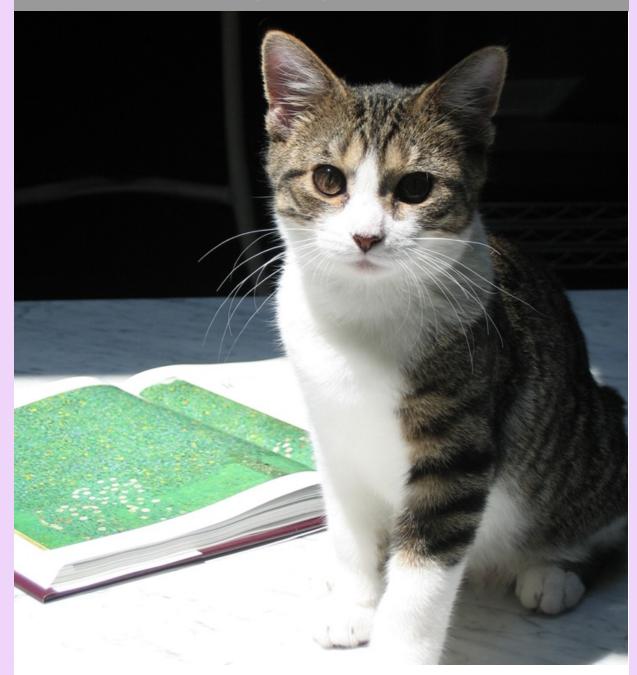
PAINTED FURNITURE. Sweet Dreaming!



Is this not spectacular? The idea is brilliant. This is a bed that has been reconfigured to be a bench. The color is excruciatingly pretty on this most unique creation!! The next time you visit a Flea Market, Estate Sale or perhaps even your own basement or attic be thinking of your creativity and what you can do with your own furniture!

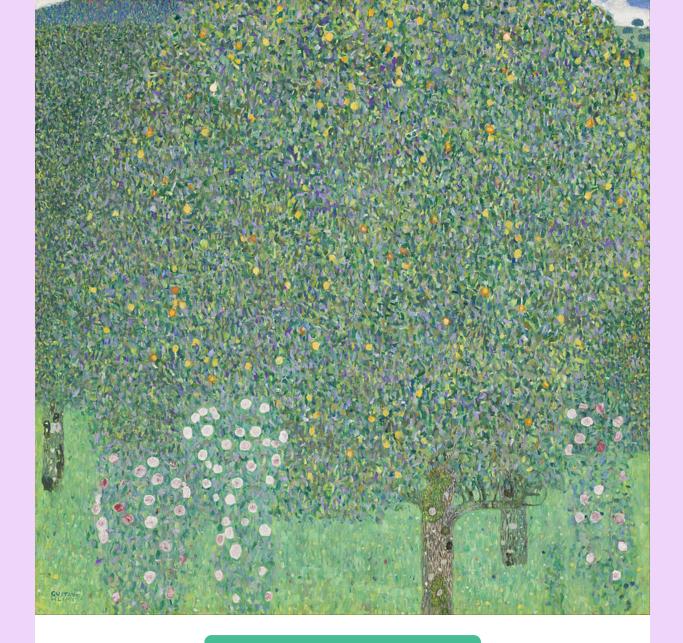
LINK to Painted Furniture

With my every best wish...



In closing, I wanted to share an old picture with you. This is our little Zachary. I had one of my favorite art books open to a painting of 'Rosebushes Under the Trees' by Gustav Klimt. It is one of my absolute favorites! It is calming and beautiful. The next thing I knew this little guy was laying on top of my book. Not reading of course, just looking at me wondering why I found this book more fascinating than him at that moment. What fascinates you? Focus on that and do something creative!!

I am sending you my very best wishes for a life full of health & love & creativity!!



LINK to Gustav Klimt

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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.
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