



20 Things we'll cover in our watercolor Class

1. Preparing and using your materials and equipment
2. Stretching the paper and preparing for the painting
3. Composition: The artists role as entertainer
4. Using a grid system to enlarge a picture for painting
5. Using Photoshop and digital editing to help plan and compose your artwork
6. The study of color theory
7. Laying out your palette and color mixing
8. Value Sketches and doing a value gradient blend
9. Regaining light areas using lifts, masking and scraping
10. Techniques using splatter, sponging, salt
11. Understanding shade and shadow
12. Studying still-life and inanimate objects
13. Perspective and horizon lines
14. Techniques for painting skies and sunsets
15. Studying foliage and trees
16. Creating a city or street scape
17. Creating a food/fruit still-life
18. Exploring "Plein Air" painting. That is a French expression which means, "in the open air" and describes simply painting outside.
19. Studying people and their proportions & measurements
20. Exploring water and waves