

## Free Project Sheet

# Colour that's fresh as a Daisy

Every year we welcome Spring with colour.. So does Deco Art!  
This year they bring us SPICED PUMPKIN!  
Warm and rich but not too bright.. Perfect Spring and Summer  
colour that will carry through to Fall too!! Here is a fun little  
project to get you into the Spring of things!!Enjoy!

You Need:

**Viking Woodcrafts:**

Long rectangular Wire Tray and Insert (3.5x14)

**DecoArt Americana:**

Margarita, Antique Green, Asphaltum, Soft Black, Lamp Black, Spiced Pump-  
kin, Warm White, Mustard Seed.

DecoArt Decoupage, Texture Glass

**Dynasty Faux Squirrel Brushes**

1/4 angled Shader, #2 Rigger,#4 Round,#2 Single Blender, 1" Palmer White  
Bristle Filbert.

**Misc:**

Scrapbook Paper( graphic 45 (NEGATIVE) ), I' Acrobat



**Step 1:** Cut a piece of the scrapbook paper/ Gift Wrap or News Print to fit the insert

**Step 2:**Apply a liberal coat of Decoupage to the insert and lay the paper into it, take the time to ensure that it fits neatly. ( starting at the center and working out to the edges) and brush out any bubbles and wrinkles that may form. If you have a few brush marks and ridges, don't worry about it. Let it dry thoroughly.

**Step3:**

For this Technique I am using Texture Glass.. ( don't panic it dries clear) Apply a generous coat of the Texture Glass over the paper , using the 1"Palmer. Apply in long sweeping motions creating brush marks and sweeping curves in the pattern, working out to the edges. Let it dry thoroughly.

**Step 4:** Apply a wash of Asphaltum over the entire surface, using Acrobat and a Piece of Moist Shop Towel. ( High Tech Applicator) Let it set then, gently wipe away the excess color with a damp shop towel. This will make all the brush marks highly visible!!

**Step 5:** With the 3/4 angle and Asphaltum apply a nice wide float to the edges of the panel, and let dry well.

Trace and transfer the Daisy and the Lettering( if you choose to) to the center of the insert using White Graphite paper. Shade along the outside of the transferred image with a float of Asphaltum on the Left side and Soft Black on the right

**The Daisy:**

Base coat the petals with Spiced Pumpkin, the Center with Mustard Seed, and the leaves and stem with Antique Green.

Shade the Petals near the center of the daisy with a float of Burnt Orange, Add highlights to the tips of the Petals with floats of Mustard Seed. Add a few tiny strokes of Warm White to highlight each petal, using the #2Rigger.. Add a float of Asphaltum to the center part of the Flower, then add multiple dip dots of Warm White, Asphaltum, and Mustard seed to create the texture.

Shade between the petals with a float of Asphaltum. Highlight the stem and the leaves with a float of Margarita. Brighten the float with a dry brush of margarita/warm White..

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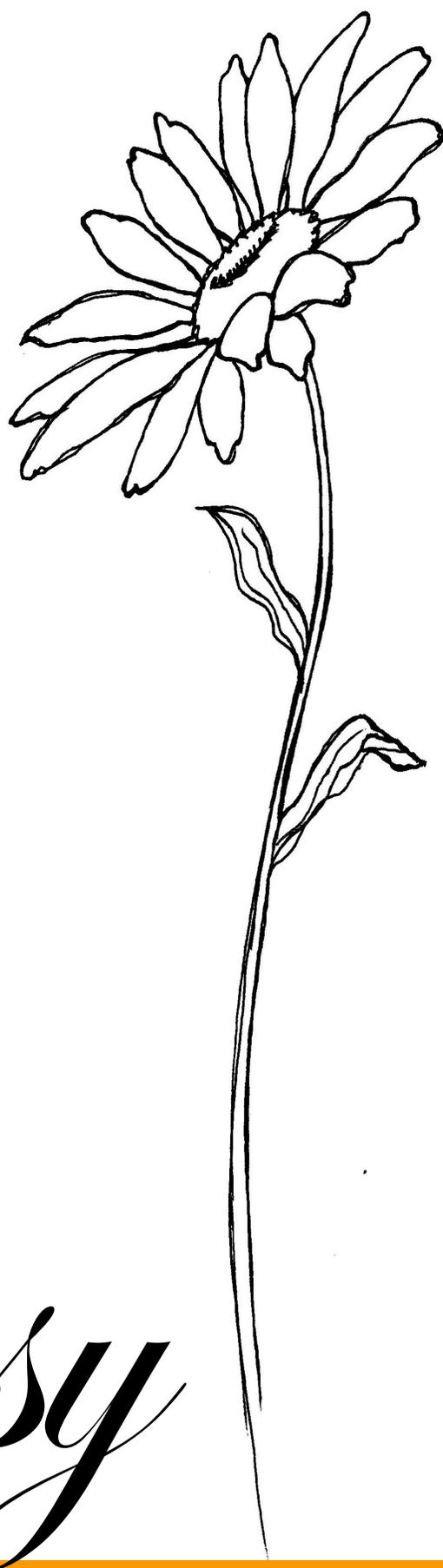


### The Lettering:

Base coat the lettering with Warm White. I use the #2 Rigger and thin my paint to Ink Like consistency. When the lettering is opaque, apply a float of Asphaltum over the bottom portion of each letter.

To finish apply two or three light coats of DecoArt Matt Spray to the entire surface. Enjoy!!

Thanks for Playin In My Sandbox!



# Daisy