

Tuscan Olive Oil Bottle Tag.

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I thought that this simple Olive oil Bottle tag might make a fun and easy project. It'll get you started on using texture, color washing and antiquing. Have fun with it, use these basics to create lots of your own designs!! Enjoy!

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You will need:

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Dynasty Faux Squirrel Brushes 1827 Brushes:

1/2 angle, 1/4 angle, #2 Rigger, #4 Round

DecoArt Americana

Honey Brown, Warm White, Antique Green, Margarita, Plantation Pine, Asphaltum, Black Green, Soft Black, Butter. Texture Stucco.

Misc Supplies:

Tracing paper, White graphite paper, shop towels, wide blade palette knife, Acrobat Fast Drying Glaze, 4 inches of Inexpensive gold chain and two #4 Jump rings.

To Begin:

Apply a very thin, patchy layer of texture stucco to the surface. covering only 50% of the total surface. For these tags 1/2 tsp is plenty! it should only break up the surface slightly. avoid lumps and ridges when ever possible. Let dry thoroughly then sand very lightly to remove any sharp edges or loose bits.



Base coat the tag with one coat of Butter. let dry thoroughly. Apply a wash of Honey Brown (thinned with acrobat) over the surface , allowing the color to collect in the low areas of the textureTake care to gently wipe the excess color from the high points of the texture. Float along the outside edges of the tag with Asphaltum to add a little AGE to the piece.



1: Base coat the leaves and the olives with Antique Green, and one leaf on the left with Plantation Pine. .

2: Shade the Olives as indicated in the line drawing, with floats of Soft Black. shade the leaves with floats of Plantation Pine.

3: Highlight the olives with several dry brushes of Warm White. add a small smudge of warm White for the final highlight.

Add highlights to the leaves with several dry brushes of Margarita. ending with a final highlight of a dry brush of warm white.

4: Attach the small length of chain to the tag using the Jump rings.

Hang the tag around the neck of your favorite Olive Oil Decanter and enjoy this small touch of Tuscany.

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