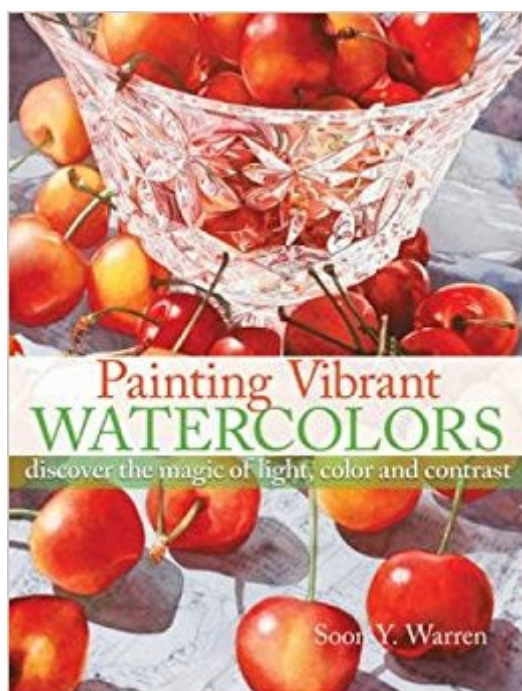




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Painting Vibrant Watercolors: Discover The Magic Of Light, Color And Contrast



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Paint Watercolors that Shine! Make the most of watercolor's fresh, vibrant nature through light, color and contrast. In the first few chapters, artist Soon Y. Warren helps you lay the groundwork; everything from choosing and lighting subjects to color theory and perspective. Then, follow along with a thrilling series of step-by-step demonstrations to put your ideas into action for paintings that shine! Learn how color, value, contrast and composition affect the impact of your paintings. Discover the plans and techniques you'll need for successful, realistic watercolors. Follow 16 demonstrations to create brilliant paintings. Paint a variety of subjects, including still life, landscapes, water scenes, flowers, architecture and animals. This book is the perfect balance of classic theory and hands-on technique. Engaging and easy-to-follow instruction gives you a solid foundation so you can take your work to the next level as you create dynamic paintings.

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Soon Y. Warren is an award-winning artist and teacher. She is a signature member of the National Watercolor Society, Southern Watercolor Society, Texas Watercolor Society, Purple Sage Brush, Alabama Watercolor Society and Society of Watercolor Artists. Her work has been in Watercolor Artist magazine, The Artist's Magazine and four editions of Splash: The Best of Watercolor. She is the author of two books, Vibrant Flowers in Watercolor (North Light, 2006) and Painting Vibrant Watercolors (North Light, 2009). She is represented by Southwest Gallery in Dallas, Texas; Your Private Collection art gallery in Granbury, Texas; and Brian Drake Studio and Gallery in

Stevensville, Texas. Visit her website at <http://SoonWarren.com/>. Warren lives in Fort Worth, Texas.

I purchased this book to understand how Soon Y Warren paints crystal. She is a fantastic artist and her book provides outstanding examples in clear language. Highly recommend it!

For me, after 2 years of classes and practice, this is the best watercolor book I have ever read. I wish I had found it at the beginning.

As expected, Soon Warren delivers another excellent book with lot's of tips and tricks that are not found in other books. I especially appreciate the way she gave me the key to using powdered metallics. I have never seen anyone else explain how to use them so successfully and originally. I also own a copy of her first book, 'Vibrant Flowers in Watercolor', which I highly recommend. Her techniques are original but easy to understand and learn. In fact her books are my 'go to' source when I need inspiration or guidance. I can't wait to see what she does for her next book. Loved it !!! and would happily recommend it to anyone at any level of expertise who wishes to paint with watercolor.

Very beautiful, complex paintings. More inspirational than instructional for a beginner.

I have been painting with watercolors for years and I learned things that I didn't know within 5 minutes into this book. It is wonderfully informative.

Most watercolor painting technique books available today are simple and don't give much of a challenge to the artist. But as a painter who was serious about taking my work to the next level this was just what I needed. Soon's book is a fresh look with the medium and her instructions are easy to understand.

I love Soon Y. Warren, she is one of my very favorite artists. She has great tips and tricks and her paintings are so colorful and realistic looking.

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