

AVERAGE TIME

2
HOURS

CHALLENGE LEVEL



Simple Techniques - Stunning Effects

HOPPY'S GARDEN PLANTER



MATERIALS

DB44381 - Footed Planter
Large Fan Brush
Small Flat Brush
Small Round Brush
Medium Round Brush
Small Liner Brush

COLORS

CMM 88 - Vanilla Bean
CMM 14 Gum Drop
CMM 13 - Cinnamon Stick
CMM 72 - Sahara
CMM 3 - Carnation
CMM 31 - Licorice
CMM 15 - Mississippi Mud
CMM 67 - Snowflake
CMM 12 - Mocha Java
CMM 18 - Pumpkin Pie
CMM 62 - Just Blue
CMM 76 - Lemon Mist
CMM 101 - Fresh Heather

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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Paint 2 coats of Vanilla Bean on the whole planter besides the feet.
2. Paint 2 coats of Gum drop on the feet of the planter. Also, using a flat brush to do this makes it easier to keep straight lines where the feet meet the planter.
3. Trace out the bunny outline on the side of the planter.
4. Fill in the outline with 3 coats of Cinnamon Stick.
5. Paint 3 coats of Sahara on the inside of the ears, around the eyes, nose, mouth, chest, and belly.
6. Once those coats of Sahara are dry, paint the end of the hands that are half on the Cinnamon Stick body and half on the Sahara Belly in 3 coats of Sahara. You don't have to go as heavy on the paint where there is already Sahara painted underneath, but make sure that there is a solid coat over Cinnamon Stick.
7. Paint 3 coats of Carnation on the inside of the ears and make sure to stay inside where you already painted Sahara to leave an outline.
8. Make a nose using 3 coats of Carnation.
9. Paint the eyes using 3 coats of Licorice.
10. Add a dot and small line of Snowflake in each eye.
11. Using a small liner brush and watered down Mississippi Mud that's 80/20 paint to water, add in outlines and details to the whole bunny. They shouldn't be perfect and in places like around the head, ears, chest, and belly you can add fur like details. Make sure to add an outline around the eyes to make it look more cohesive.
12. For the butterflies, trace their outlines around the planter. Don't add too many and space them about 1-2 inches apart.
13. Paint the body and head of each butterfly in 2 solid coats of Mocha Java.
14. Fill in the outlines of the wings with 2 solid coats of either Just Blue, Lemon Mist, Carnation, or Fresh Heather. Do at least one butterfly of each color.
15. Add in the details inside the wings of the butterflies with the same colors (Just Blue, Lemon Mist, Carnation, and Fresh Heather). The top color should be different than the bottom and not the same as the background of the butterfly wings.
16. Add 2 antennae to each butterfly with a small liner brush. Do 1 thick coat or 2 thin coats.
17. Lastly, add a dot of Pumpkin Pie on the end of each antennae.

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