Canvas Painting

You will need:

A canvas – well supported by extra timber supports beneath the canvas to minimize any bowing which may occur with the weight of the Glass Coat.

Craftsmart Glass Coat (quantity depending on size of canvas) check coverage calculator.

Craftsmart Glaze Paste

Acrylic Paint

Butane Torch









Instructions

- 1. Using Craftsmart Glaze Paste seal the reverse of the canvas this minimizes the air being pulled through the canvas by the resin creating additional bubbles.
- 2. Paint your picture on the canvas, allow to dry.
- 3. Using a clean brush, paint a coating of the Craftsmart Glaze Paste over the surface of the canvas this will seal the surface and prepare it for the application of Glass Coat.
- 4. Elevate your canvas and lay plastic underneath to catch any drips.
- 5. Measure precisely one part resin (red cap) and one part hardener (black cap) in a disposable styrene cup. You do not need to use a measuring vessel, simply compare levels in the transparent bottles for accuracy, allow a few seconds for the contents to settle as the hardener is a little thicker than the resin.
- 6. Blend thoroughly together with a broad flat stirrer for several minutes.
- 7. Flood the surface of the canvas immediately, use a brush or spreader to help move the Glass Coat across the surface.
- 8. Bubbles may appear after the pour, we recommend you use a propane torch, sweeping lightly over the surface to remove the bubbles, take care not to scorch the surface.
- 9. The glossed surface will be torch dry in 24 hours but not fully cured for 2-3 days.

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