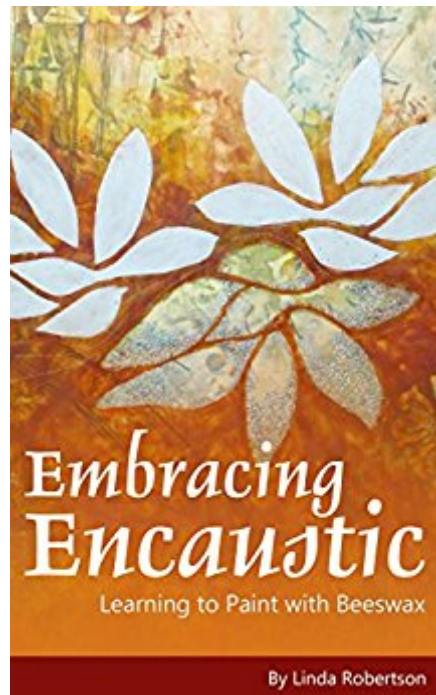




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Embracing Encaustic: Learning To Paint With Beeswax



Synopsis

Encaustic is the art of painting with beeswax mixed with colored pigments and resin. This mixture is applied hot then fused with heat to bond each layer together. In the third edition of this popular book, *Embracing Encaustic: Learning to Paint with Beeswax*, offers illustrated step-by-step instructions that walk readers through the terminology, tools, and techniques required to bring this ancient art form into the modern studio. Topics include information on painting and fusing, adding and removing wax, photo transfers, incising lines, wax collage, adding texture and mixing your own encaustic medium and paint. The Inspiration Gallery includes 35 talented artists who not only share their work but also reveal their personal painting methods and explain why they are compelled to make the work they do.

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Customer Reviews

While other people have loved this book I found that I was very disappointed. I bought the Kindle version and read it in less than an hour. The technique section is very skimpy. The author repeatedly refers to the online classes she sells if the reader wants more details. The bulk of the book is a gallery of work by artists using encaustic techniques. I was really disappointed that most of

the book was taken up by this gallery. If I wanted to look at a gallery of encaustic art I could do a Google search for encaustic art and select "images" and I would be able to view quite a bit of encaustic art without having to pay ten bucks for it.

I am an Encaustic Artist and got started with four classes from Linda and her original book. Her book is as easy to understand as her workshops. I also have read her ebook and appreciated the the artists work included in the book. Her books are my go-to place for accurate and easy to understand information. Thanks Linda, you have a gift for communication.

Embracing Encaustic is sure to be a must have guide for every artist wanting to explore the medium of wax. Linda Robertson, well respected author and teacher, has created a wonderful combination of basics and advanced techniques to get the new artist started along with an inspiration gallery. In this section each of the contributing artists explain about the process used in creating their art. Everything to teach and inspire you on your art journey.

I am thoroughly enjoying the direction Linda Robertson shares in this latest book for those of us wanting to know more about this beautiful art. I've found it a good for reference during the learning process and inspiring as well. She does a great job of making this art form approachable, showing just how easy it is to get started and encouraging the reader to try it's many aspects. Well done!

Linda Robertson has written a well organized highly informative book which provides necessary information for the artist wanting to paint with encaustic. The visuals and explanations which are defined by each particular artist offer varied techniques and give the viewer many ideas and specific ways of working with encaustic. It is an inspiring journey!!!

A great little Ebook - concise instructions for beginners to the encaustic medium, along with a great reference section of well known encaustic artists' work and tips from them for success using encaustics.

I have this book in print and as an E-Book. I love the clear instructions and great photos to go along with it. Lots of inspiring works by other artists with links to find out more about the specific artists. Linda is a great teacher and I'd recommend this book for anyone who wants to dip into wax and express themselves in that medium.

This book covers all the aspects of encaustic painting necessary for someone getting started in the medium, as well as for a good reference book for those further along. Beautiful examples of encaustic work. The instructions are clear and well written.

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