

#8082 “This Is The Stable”

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This is a fun and fast project to do for the Christmas Season.
I used a wood shape tree, but you can put it on any surface.

Palette: Deco Art Media Fluid Acrylics

DMFA05 Carbon

DMFA10 Cobalt Teal Hue

DMFA03 Burnt Umber

DMFA12 Dioxazine Purple

DMFA16 Hansa Yellow Lt

Brushes: Artist Club 800-845-6507

#6, #10 shader

½” angular

1” wash brush

Stencil brush

Surface: Artist Club

#62967 Grooved Tree

Supplies:

Deco Art Modge Podge

Star and or burlap stencil

Basic painting supplies, paper towels, tracing paper, graphite, sanding disc, Styrofoam plates,

Old children’s story book, the one I used: “This Is The Stable”,

Deco Art Matte Spray Sealer

Surface prep:

Sand and remove dust. I cut out the color pictures from the book. You can use the words to.

I used the tile of the book, dove, and some of the animals.

Cut to fit each section. I used two different pieces of paper on some of the areas.

Using the 1” brush, brush Modge Podge onto the back of each paper and place onto surface. Using the brush to smooth out. You don’t want any bubbles under the paper. You can use a piece of hard plastic (credit card) to smooth out the paper.

Once all paper is applied, brush just Modge podge over the surface and let dry.

If you have any hanging over, used the sanding disc to lightly sand away the extra. Let dry.

Put very small amounts of paint on your palette. Just a drop will do: Cobalt Teal Hue, Dioxazine Purple, and Hansa Yellow Lt.

Dip #10 brush into water, lightly blot, dip into yellow and wash in the center of tree. Let the paint fade out around the edges. This is like water color.

Next, wet brush again and blot out. Dip into teal hue and brush around the top and down the edge.

Last, load brush with purple and brush in the bottom area and up the sides. Let dry.

Using the angular brush, load the toe with purple and shade around the edge.

When brushing on the colors, brush the grooves.

Paint the base with Burnt Umber. Brush on a little Hansa Yellow Lt across the top of pot.

Trace on the stable and bed.

Paint with Carbon Black.

Using the stencil, stencil stars and burlap with Carbon. I only did this up the sides. Let dry.

Spray with sealer.



