

GAIL SPECKMANN's WORKSHOP SUPPLY LIST

If you have similar materials to what is listed below, those will be fine. I will be bringing various additional supplies, which you are welcome to try. The following are just suggestions based on my favorite supplies:

PALETTE: John Pike Palette, or any other sizable palette.

PAPER: BFK Rives Watercolor/Printmaking Paper or Arches 140 lb cold press are excellent choices. Bring extra paper for experimenting and exploring the techniques used. (This could include smaller pieces of watercolor paper or back sides of old paintings).

BRUSHES: A range of sizes in flat brushes such as a 2", 1", and ½", and at least one round brush such as a #6 or #8. Good quality synthetic brushes are fine.

PAINT: I strongly recommend using paint from tubes rather than pans. Holbein is my favorite, and there are certain colors noted below that are unique to this brand. Other brands which I use include Winsor & Newton, Daniel Smith, and Da Vinci. I have noted specifically if there is a paint listed that is very specific to a particular brand.

These are my choices:

Aureolin Yellow

Indian Yellow

Jaune Brilliant #1 (Holbein)

Raw Umber

Indian Red

Cadmium Red

Alizarin Crimson

Cobalt Violet (Sennelier)

Titanium White

Leaf Green (Holbein)

Umber (Holbein)

Lunar Earth (Daniel Smith)

Verditer Blue (Holbein)

Davy's Grey (Grumbacher)

or

Lunar Black (Daniel Smith)

Thioindigo (Da Vinci or Winsor & Newton)

Mineral Violet (Holbein)

Thalo (or Winsor) Blue

Cerulean Blue

Manganese Blue

French Ultramarine Blue

Cobalt Green -Yellow Shade (Holbein)

Viridian Green

I have highlighted what I feel would give you a fairly balanced palette (a warm and cool of each of the primaries, an earth color, one green, and white). Some of the others are favorites, but perhaps not as essential if you are building a base.

BOARD & CLIPS

Gator board---a rigid lightweight board which is excellent for clipping your paper onto and "bulldog"clips or use a board or support of your choice.

Here are a few of my favorite supply websites for ordering:

Blick <http://www.dickblick.com>

Jerry's Artarama www.jerrysartarama.com

Cheap Joe's www.cheapjoes.com

I look forward to painting together!