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## **Fluid Art- THICK Paint Techniques**

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\*\$80 supply fee due to instructor at 1st meeting for specialty supplies

- Acrylic paints (small tubes/containers of your choice of colors) These paints can be fluid acrylic, soft, medium or heavy bodied. Have several colors that coordinate with one another. The typical painting will use anywhere from 3-6 colors.
- Metallic paints – buy a few metallic paints, DecoArt has great metallic paint in the Extreme Sheen line as well as the 8 ounce jars of metallics in 24K gold, Sterling, Champagne, Bronze
- Quart bottles of white and black (Artist Loft by Michael's or Creative Inspirations by Jerry's Artarama are good choices). If you prefer base colors of Navy Blue shades any line of paint in Payne's Gray or Prussian Blue shades are good choices.
- 12 Stretched/Primed canvases—begin with two 11" x 14" canvases and one round or oval canvas for the first class. Some people paint faster than others, we will use approximately 10 canvases in sizes 11x14 to 16x16 for the first three weeks.
  - For the final class, you will need two canvases that are the same size, either 10x20 or 16x20 for a diptych project.
- Roll of Painter's Tape (whatever brand you prefer)
- Supply of gloves for yourself to use
- Boxes – to take home your art each week. I recommend two XL (clean) pizza boxes which can be used week after week. Your canvas sizes will greatly impact your box size so please take that into consideration. The canvases should not touch each other while wet.
- Bring an apron, comfortable shoes, and a beverage.

Purchases can be made at Michael's, Jerry's Artarama, Dick Blick or any art supply store

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