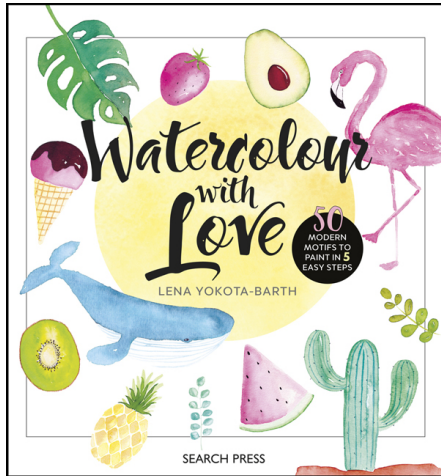


Watercolour with Love

50 modern motifs to paint in 5 easy steps

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Key Selling Points

- Features fifty iconic and fashionable motifs, including a flamingo, a llama, cacti and a watermelon
- Motifs can be painted in five simple steps in a style influenced by Japanese Etagami painting which combines images in watercolour with a message
- Author Lena Yokota-Barth runs workshops, blogs regularly and is active on Instagram under the handle 'berriesandbuttercup'.

Description

On trend watercolour painting for beginners!

Influenced by the Japanese art of watercolour painting called 'Etagami', author Lena Yokota-Barth starts with what you will need by way of materials, moving on to applying and mixing colour. There are then fifty motifs to choose from, all divided into levels of difficulty.

For those new to watercolour painting, this book offers an easy introduction. All fifty motifs can be painted in five steps, which are detailed clearly for a striking end result. Among the motifs are animals such as flamingos and llamas, popular plants, and fun-to-paint fruits, such as strawberries and watermelons.

The basics of watercolour painting are presented in an easily understandable fashion, and the fifty motifs will give rise to limitless possibilities for designing posters, greetings cards, journal covers or even thoughtful, framed gifts.

About the Author

Lena Yokota-Barth was born in Tokyo, Japan, in 1985 and grew up mainly in Germany. It was during her maternity leave, at the end of 2016, that she started her blog, 'Berries and Buttercup', which stemmed from her passion for watercolour painting and DIY projects. On her blog, Lena inspired her readers with colourful watercolours and DIY ideas.

During annual visits to her native country, Lena kept coming into contact with Etagami, the Japanese style of watercolour painting. She never lost sight of this and, over the course of 2017, began to specialize in this form of watercolour painting. Lena's artwork can be seen on her website: www.berriesandbuttercup.com and on her Instagram account: www.instagram.com/berriesandbuttercup

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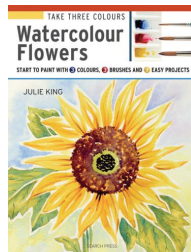
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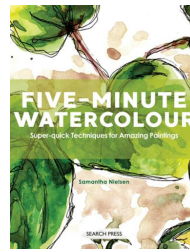
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