

Need access to water & cleaning supplies and access to outside for drying materials

### **Holographic Memories and Thermal Facts**

Complete an innovative 3-D effect, Holographic fiber Image, from your own photograph! Create your own painted fabrics for the frame and highlight with your personal thermal fax silkscreens. This unique presentation will amaze your friends and is so much fun to create!

Similar to Redmond's article in Quilting Arts Magazine May/Je 2007. Each student will mount and finish a 12x14 piece. Some *pre-workshop* image preparation.

#### Day 1 Paint Fabrics

Painting Fabrics- watercolor fabric techniques including sun printing, if weather permits.  
Paint stabilizer

#### Day 2 Make Thermal Fax screens

Create printing surface  
Prepare Thermal Fax screens and screen fabrics.  
Dry  
Choose fabric for borders and sew borders.  
Optional- Prepare borders with additional sewing.  
Glue organza edges.

#### Day 3 Holographic Memories

Put together frames.  
Transfer our images on stabilizer backing.  
Mount on frames.  
Trace, Trim & Glue  
Add hangers & wire  
Show n' tell Holographic work.  
Clean up and pack up.

### **Supply List**

Please note- the sizes in my Quilting Arts Magazine article are different from what we will do in workshop. Please read carefully.

We will create a 5x7 picture, sewn into 6-inch borders, and mounted on 12x14 bars.  
*ALL photographs need to be emailed to me 1 month before workshop! If I don't receive your files, I will select a sample for your use.*

### **FOR THERMAL FAX**

Screens are included in the materials fee.

Digitally copy and paste 4 photos onto a letter size file using your photo-editing program of choice or even word processing program. The images must be **black and white** (No gray!) The photos should be about 4x5" or ¼th of a letter sized paper. Each photo should have a small, ½" border as well.

Suggestions- print and paste your images together manually on an inkjet size paper. Remember to leave a border around your pictures. Take to a copy center; get a toner-based copy and snail mail me- W Redmond PO Box 535, Strafford NH 03884.

Or Scan your copy, upload on your computer and email the file to [wenredmond@yahoo.com](mailto:wenredmond@yahoo.com) with *Thermal/CO* in subject

**Notes on this process below on my blog-**

<http://fiberartgoddess.blogspot.com/2011/10/creating-thermal-fax-using-photoshop.html>

**and**

<http://fiberartgoddess.blogspot.com/2010/08/little-big-thermal-fax-process.html>

### **FOR Holographic Images**

Please email me 2 color photographs for the Holographic Imagery artwork with *Holograph/CO* in subject. Please save as a ".jpg" with *at least* a 180 resolution.

Select photographs that have strong, simple lines; small facial features and other details will not be discernible. Larger motifs seem to work best.

Each image will be sized to 5x7 and printed on Digital Ready Organza and Ink Jet Transfer Paper. This is included in the materials fee.

**Holographic Images** kits are \$35.00. This is materials fee.

I have found this kit introduces you to the equipment needed to complete this project in the most satisfactory way.

Includes

Fabric Paints

Screen inks

4 small Thermal Fax Screens

2 printed photographs on Digital ready organza

2 photos on Ink Jet Transfer Paper

4 Artist or stretcher bars- 2 bars at 12" and 2 bars at 14"

Medium Weight Poly/rayon Cut Away Stabilizer, about 15x17

Acrylic medium

Bracket Hangers & wire

SOBO Glue

### **THE REST OF THE SUPPLIES**

Bring T-shirts, clothing or totes to screen your thermal fax imagery onto!

Medium weight washed fabrics, such as denser weave cotton, PDF fabric, silk noil, or lightweight cotton duck etc. for the 'frame'. These will be painted to 'frame' your holographic photo.

Pre-cut your cloth between 20x24 and 20x30. You can also choose to bring a 6-7" wide x 45" long skinny fabric lengths. Having several pieces of painted fabrics allows for auditions of your new painted fabric to audition.

Please label all fabrics with your name or initials in permanent marker

Note- Solid light colored fabrics work the best but you can also paint over your old fabric stash.

Optional- Bring additional fabrics to paint.

Latex gloves to protect your hands.

Small (yogurt) containers to rinse brushes, hold water etc

1 20x30 Foam Core board, cardboard or any lightweight stiff surface.

Inexpensive felt or similar material and another layer of inexpensive tightly woven cloth to cover foam board.

Duck Tape

Kitchen garbage bags-to cover foam boards and later to carry work home.

Small zip lock plastic bag/s for wet brushes etc

Spray bottle for water

Brushes- all/any kinds and sizes, i.e., foam, bristle, sponge, cosmetic, it's nice to have a general supply- do not spend a lot on this- bring whatever you have.

Plastic spoons

1 or 2 sheets of plastic drop cloth about 18 by 22 inches or larger- I use 4ml plastic painters plastic tarp.

Scissors

Rotary cutter, 24" ruler and grid mat

Glue (I use **Sobo**) and small brush to use with glue.

<http://www.dickblick.com/products/delta-sobo-craft-and-fabric-glue/>

Padded ironing surface and iron- ability to shut off steam. These can be shared.

Sewing machine, (could share with someone- minimum of 4 seams)

Small hammer (like those used for scrap booking, can be shared. I found mine at Michaels.

Medium-duty stapler/staple gun, not Heavy duty! (Larger than regular stapler- shoots *10mm or 3/8" size- sold as JT21* at Home Depot)

Lots of staples and staple remover

TINY Phillips screwdriver (slightly bigger than eyeglass size)

Small Awl

Pen or Permanent marker

Small rectangular sponge

Apron or wear clothes you don't care about

Small bucket to soak screens, & tools

Paper towels or scraps of fabric to wipe off paint

Write your name on your tools and supplies.

### **Optional**

Flat items to print- leaves, cheesecloth, rug mats, beans, cereal, noodles, leaves, torn paper, or buttons, flowers, shells, feathers, bits of metal (beware of rust), etc for Sun

Printing if weather permits

Favorite paints

Hair Dryer

Goggles/glasses for eye protection- found in hardware in paint section of your local mart.  
Dust Mask- found in hardware in paint section of your local mart.  
Old towel to blot and dry screens for reuse.