

# New Method Inspired By Old Masters

This article will describe a new method of painting that is inspired by the old masters. The method is based on the use of a limited palette and a focus on the underlying structure of the subject.



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## The Old Masters

The old masters were a group of painters who worked in Europe during the Renaissance and Baroque periods. They are known for their mastery of painting techniques and their ability to create realistic and beautiful works of art.

One of the most important things that the old masters understood was the importance of using a limited palette. A limited palette is a palette that contains only a few colors. This allows the painter to focus on the

relationships between the colors and to create a more harmonious composition.

The old masters also understood the importance of focusing on the underlying structure of the subject. When painting a figure, for example, they would first draw the basic shapes of the body. They would then use light and shadow to model the forms and to create a sense of depth.

## **The New Method**

The new method of painting that is described in this article is based on the same principles that were used by the old masters. However, the new method also incorporates some new techniques and materials.

One of the most important new techniques is the use of a grisaille underpainting. A grisaille underpainting is a monochromatic painting that is used to establish the values of the subject. This allows the painter to focus on the overall composition and to create a more harmonious work of art.

The new method also incorporates the use of new materials, such as acrylic paints. Acrylic paints are a fast-drying type of paint that allows the painter to work quickly and efficiently.

## **Benefits of the New Method**

The new method of painting that is described in this article has a number of benefits over traditional methods. These benefits include:

- Faster drying time
- More harmonious compositions

- Greater depth and realism
- Easier to learn and master

## The new method

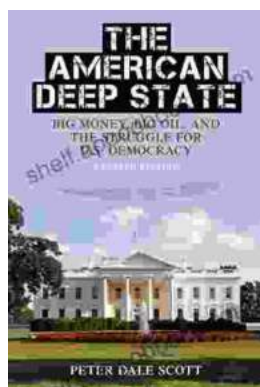


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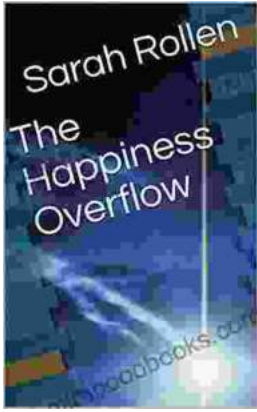
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