PAINT -

Here is my palette. Please bring good quality paint, <u>no student grade paints</u>. (I find that students get frustrated with student grade or different brands of oil paint when trying to learn some of my color mixing and techniques) *Note Below: Different Companies may use the same color names but they are actually different hues!!!!(example – Gamblin's Cad Yellow Deep is different from Winsor Newton's Cad Yellow Deep).

Please note the words: THIS IS REQUIRED

- Titanium White (Blue Ridge Oil Colors)
- Cadmium Lemon (Gamblin)
- Cadmium Yellow Pale (Winsor Newton)
- Cadmium Yellow Deep (Winsor Newton)
- Cadmium Red Light (Gamblin) *
- Cadmium Red Light (Rembrandt) ... yes, I use two Cad Red Lights *
- Yellow Ochre Light (Winsor Newton)
- Viridian (Rembrandt only) THIS IS REQUIRED
- Cadmium Red Deep (Gamblin)
- Terra Rosa (Winsor Newton)
- Alizarin Crimson (Gamblin)
- Transparent Red Oxide (Rembrandt only) THIS IS REQUIRED
- Cerulean Blue (Winsor Newton)
- Cobalt Blue (Gamblin)
- Ultra Marine Blue (Gamblin)
- Gamblin Solvent-Free Gel
- Quinacridone Rose (Rembrandt)
- Colbalt Violet (Winsor Newton)
- Violet Grey (Holbein)
- Indigo (Rembrandt)
- A Glass surface to mix your paints on (no paper please). You may already have glass in your easel... If not, one inexpensive way is to purchase a picture frame at Walmart or local Goodwill... 11x14 or larger.
- Empty, clean pizza boxes are a great way to transport wet paintings. So drop by your local pizzeria and plead your case!

<u> PLEIN AIR SUPPLIES – THESE ARE REQUIRED</u>

- One Outdoor/portable easel such as-
 - Alla Prima Pochade Box this is the brand I use. (allaprimapochade.com)
 - The Edge easel (for those with some experience in plein air) lightweight and the size of a laptop (edgeprogear.com)
 - Strada, Soltek or a good solid French easel.
- Palette Knife (I use "Liquitex Small Knife #5")
- Brush Washer (I use a Newton 5" tall clamped lid washer)
- Viva paper towels (smooth textured) these are the best... no substitutions please
- Sketch pad and pencil
- Mineral Spirits Gamblin Gamsol only (if flying in, Gamsol will be provided)
- Plastic grocery bags for trash
- TV Tray or portable lightweight table (optional). I use a 24" tall folding camping table.
- Cotton cosmetic swabs (I buy mine at Sally's Beauty Supply called Eye Tees, Precision Makeup Applicators). They have a small pointed end and a wider flat end. If you can't find these, I will have extras.
- Baby Wipes or ways of cleaning your hands
- An Old walking cane or mahl stick
- A good hat to block the sun!
- I will be doing demos in the field, so you might want to bring a folding chair or stool.

BRUSHES -

Visit Rosemaryandco.com and search for Kathie Odom's Brush Set (This will show the types and sizes of brushes I use).

<u>CANVAS</u> –

I use Centurion OP DLX Deluxe Oil Primed Linen Panels. The quality of the primed linen surface allows for versatility in the movement of paint. **No cotton canvases please**.

Purchase a variety of some of these sizes... 9x12, 12x16, 14x18, 16x20

(if bringing a larger canvas is a hardship because of travel, simply bring a couple additional smaller ones)

THESE LINEN CANVASES ARE REQUIRED... NO COTTON CANVASES

These are the materials I use. I am aware that it is a substantial investment (IT'S WORTH IT!). Bring an open spirit ready to try new things and come to enjoy being with kindred spirits !!!