

## **Date: 3-26-21 Activity**: Flower painting with MaryAnn Remer

Home supplies/tools:	Supplies Provided by Artist
Water	1 painted canvas panel, 1 easel  1 sheet of sample designs
Pencil, black marker	2 stirrers, packet with 3 brushes, Small container white paint
Paper towels	Flower & vase <b>templates</b> , 1 pen, 3 sheets practice paper

- 1. Draw a **few flowers** with the **templates** on **practice paper**. Then draw a final design on the painted panel with a pen, marker, or pencil...whichever helps you to see the design. If you want a table cover, draw a line about ½ to 1 inch from the bottom of the canvas panel. Your vase can sit on this line.
- 2. **Stir the paint** in its container... it should be creamy. You might need to add a drop or two of water....not too much! Stir again.
- 3. Use the **smallest brush to outline your design**. Flowers, leaves, vase. The colors on your panel will bleed a little...that's good. Wait just a few minutes to let this coat dry.
- 4. Use a larger brush to **fill in the space all around your design** elements with thin coats of **white paint**. Let each coat dry for just a minute or two. Your background will become whiter after each coat of paint.
- 5. When the background is the color you want, you are finished...**Congratulations, you are ready for Spring!** When dry, show off your painting on the easel.