

Women of Wisdom with Lisa Thorpe

Group fee +

\$25 materials fee per person provides all the materials: patterns, face and hand photos, paints, canvas panels, decorative papers, ephemera, instruction and oodles of creative support!



Women of Wisdom 6-hour workshop Make your own custom Woman of Wisdom to whisper encouragement in your ear. Perhaps you need serenity... then create her, or maybe strength? Then make her. Whatever inspiration you need you can express yourself in this mixed media collage workshop. Your "Icon" can be serious or silly, meditative or magical it's up to you! I will provide photos of female faces of different ages and ethnicity to choose from as well as hands and a basic torso body patterns so you don't need to worry about your drawing skills at all. I will demonstrate how to design your Woman of Wisdom using the face and hands images provided which you will tint using acrylic paint then collage decorative papers to create the torso and background, the hair is made with twisted tissue paper. This collage technique is at once flexible, forgiving and fun. Everyone will go home with an image created on an 5x7" canvas panel.

What participants bring:

- All materials are provided but you mixed media artist out there with a big stash of art papers should bring them along this might just be the workshop you bought them for! Small flat charms and Milagros, tiny old buttons and lace can be nice too, but I'll bring lot's to share!
- Apron or smock
- Scissors large and small plus and exacto knife if you have one.