

"IN DAYS OF OLD"

TECHNIQUE SHEET 170

DH-1571 ICE DRAGON

Materials Needed: Greenware, Various Brushes.

Doc Holiday Colors: DH-08 Black, DH-29 White, DH-30 Country Blue, DH-50 Regal Purple, DH-40 Turquoise, DH-22 Christmas Red, DH-15 Mystic Purple, DH-01 Daffodil, DH-23 Bone, DH-27 Midnight Blue, Fired-On Silver (By Ceramichrome), Orchid Pearl (By Ceramichrome)

Specialty Products: SP-02 Mask-It, Matte Spray Sealer, Glitter, Ultra-Fine Red & Clear, Brush-On Glitter, Mystic Blue & Lavender.
Note: For all Gold/Silver areas, apply 2 coats of Clear Gloss Glaze to bisque. Fire to Cone 05. Apply Liquid Gold/Silver to glazed areas. Fire to Cone 018-019. Clean any paint off fired-on gold/silver areas with a cloth dampened with water.

Step 1: Basecoat the ice with White. Allow to dry thoroughly.

Step 2: Apply a thin wash of Country Blue to all of the ice areas, making the color deepest in the crevices and cracks while leaving the tips of the ice very light. Apply a wash of Midnight Blue to the cracks and crevices of the ice. Shade the deepest crevices quite heavily but still allow some of the Country Blue wash to show.

Step 3: Wet-brush the ice with White. Make the edges and large flat areas totally White, allowing the blue shading to remain in the cracks, crevices and over hanging areas. It may take two to three coats of White to achieve this. Allow color to dry between coats. Randomly tint the ice with very thin washes of Turquoise and Mystic Purple. Apply these washes so the color is very subtle.

Step 4: Basecoat dragon with Black. Allow to dry.

Step 5: Wet-brush the dragon's belly with Turquoise. Add a small amount of White to the same brush and wet-brush highlights on center area of belly. Shade the sides and indentations of belly with a Midnight Blue wash.

Step 6: Wet-brush all the remaining areas of the dragon with Midnight Blue and lighten with a little White. Wet-brush Mystic Purple on the dragon's sides, face, toes, tail and wing tips. Add a little White to the same brush and highlight these areas. Wet-brush the front sections of wings with Turquoise. Add White to the same brush and wet-brush highlights on folds of wings.

Step 7: Shade the dragon with a Midnight Blue wash. Be sure to shade around the eyes, between wings and body, between body and belly, folds in wings and any other recessed areas of the dragon.

Step 8: Paint teeth and toenails with Bone. Paint entire eye Daffodil. Paint iris' of eyes Christmas Red.

Step 9: Shade base of toenails and teeth, around eyes, between wings and body and between body and belly with a Black wash. The Black shading should not hide the Midnight Blue shading but merely accent it. Use a liner brush to apply a heavy Black wash as needed on the piece. (For example, line around the Silver areas, the mouth, toenails and teeth.)

Step 10: Apply Mask-It to Fired-On Silver areas. Let the masking solution dry. Spray piece with Matte Spray Sealer. Remove Mask-It.

Step 11: Apply Snow-It to flat areas of ice. While still wet, sprinkle Ultra-Fine Clear Glitter on snow areas. Apply Red Glitter to iris' of eyes. Let these colors dry, then paint a Black slash pupil over glitter. Lightly dry-brush the purple areas of the dragon with Orchid Pearl Stain. Apply Mystic Blue Brush-On Glitter to belly and front sections of wings. Apply Lavender Brush-On Glitter to ends of wings.

DH-1648 NEW LARGE DRAGON WITH CASTLE

Materials Needed: Greenware, Various Brushes;

Doc Holiday Colors: DH-08 Black, Dh-19 Light Grey, DH-43 Teal,

DH-40 Turquoise, DH-29 White, DH-15 Mystic Purple, DH-12 Leather Brown, DH-22 Christmas Red, DH-03 True Orange, DH-10 Mustard, DH-01 Daffodil, DH-27 Midnight Blue, DH-21 Sand, DH-37 Cream, FT-03 Green Mist, Finger Tip Metallic, FT-02 Gold.

Specialty Products: P-400 Solvent, Matte Spray Sealer, SP-02 Mask-It, Mystic Blue Brush-On Glitter, Rhinestones.

Note: Same Gold/Silver directions as in other dragon tech.

Step 1: Basecoat entire piece, except Gold, Black.

Step 2: Wet-brush rocks, brick and stone sections of castle with Light Grey.

Step 3: Wet-brush dragon with Teal. With color still in your brush, add increasing amounts of Turquoise to brush and wet-brush the dragon's body, wings and face. Make the areas near the Gold belly, tops of wings, toes, knees and face the lightest color. Add a little White to your brush and highlight these areas again. With same brush, add Mystic Purple and wet-brush wing ends, ankles, near end of tail, along ridges on back and lightly between wing bones. Make the ends of wings lightest by adding a little White to the Mystic Purple. Wet-brush Mystic Purple on the fur, fins and around mouth and eyes on dragon's face; highlight by adding a little White to same brush.

Step 4: Paint tongue Leather Brown, then Christmas Red, highlighted with True Orange. Paint eyes Mustard, then Daffodil. Paint teeth Black.

Step 5: Shade rocks with washes of Mystic Purple, Teal and Midnight Blue. Wet-brush lightly with Cream to blend colors.

Step 6: Apply a wash of Sand on Castle. Try not to let it seep into brick cracks. Lightly highlight around windows, doors and corners with Cream.

Step 7: Shade the dragon with a Midnight Blue wash. Use photo or sample as guide.

Step 8: Shade piece with a corner-loaded Black wash. Use a liner where necessary, around fins, gills on face, along edges of Gold belly around Gold toes, etc.

Step 9: Apply Mask-It to Gold areas. Spray with Matte Spray Sealer. Remove Mask-It.

Step 10: Apply Green Mist Finger-Tip Metallic to ridges on back with your finger. Moisten a brush with P-400 Solvent and use to apply the metallic in small areas. Apply the metallic so it looks solid.

Step 11: Using a brush moistened with P-400 Solvent, apply Finger-Tip Gold to doors, teeth and smooth upper areas of castle.

Step 12: Apply Mystic Blue Brush-On Glitter to tops of wings, on body and face to highlight.

Step 13: Glue Rhinestones in eyes.

DH-1670 Goblet Top, DH-1672 Gargoyle Goblet Base, DH-1658 Business Card Holder, DH-1659 Gargoyle Figure for Business Card Holder & DH-1661 New Large Gargoyle

Materials Needed: Greenware, Various Brushes, SP-01 Texture-It & Matte Spray Sealer.

Doc Holiday Colors: DH-08 Black, DH-23 Bone, DH-25 Toast

Step 1: Clean greenware and Fire to Cone 03.

Step 2: Mix Black Stain with Texture-It and basecoat each piece. Let Dry.

Step 3: Drybrush each piece with Bone. Apply a wash of Toast to entire piece and drybrush again with bone.

Step 4: Spray with Matte Spray Sealer.

DH-1670 Goblet Top, DH-1671 Dragon Goblet Base, DH-1673 Plain Goblet Base, DH-1658 Business Card Holder, DH-1659 Dragon Figure & Wizard Figure for Business Card Holder

Materials Needed: Greenware, Various Brushes, Matte Spray Sealer, Mystic Blue Brush-On Glitter, Rhinestones.

Doc Holiday Colors: DH-08 Black, DH-49 Premier Gold, DH-43 Teal, DH-40 Turquoise, DH-29 White, DH-15 Mystic Purple, DH-04 True Red, DH-01 Daffodil, DH-27 Midnight Blue, DH-21 Sand, DH-25 Toast, DH-19 Light Grey, SP-02 Mask-It.

Step 1: Basecoat Black.

Step 2: "Smack-dab" plain surfaces. Use a 3/4" brush - load 1 corner in Black, the other corner in Premier Gold and "smack-dab" piece, overlapping and blending as you go. Reload brush with Gold more often than with Black as you work on piece.

Step 3: Wet-brush dragons with Teal; highlight with Turquoise, then White (with same brush color). Add Mystic Purple to same brush and highlight same areas of body and wings. Add more Mystic Purple and wet-brush wing tips, belly, back ridges, faces, etc. highlight these areas by adding White. Paint tongue Red, eyes Daffodil, teeth and claws Premier Gold. Shade dragon with Midnight Blue wash, then Black wash. Line with Black where necessary, around gold areas, fins, toes, etc.

Step 4: Wizard: wet-brush dress Teal; highlight with Turquoise, then White. Wet-brush robe Mystic Purple; highlight by adding White. Paint skin Sand; apply a Toast wash over it to tint. Wet-brush beard & castle Light Grey; shade with Black wash. Tint bricks with Sand wash. Tint rocks with Mystic Purple and Teal washes. Shade creases and next to gold belt with Midnight Blue wash. Shade where needed with Black wash.

Step 5: Mask-It to Gold areas. Spray with Matte Spray Sealer. Remove Mask-It.

Step 6: Apply Mystic Blue Brush-On Glitter to dragon's, (Body, fronts of wing - not whole thing.)

Step 7: Glue Rhinestones in eyes.

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