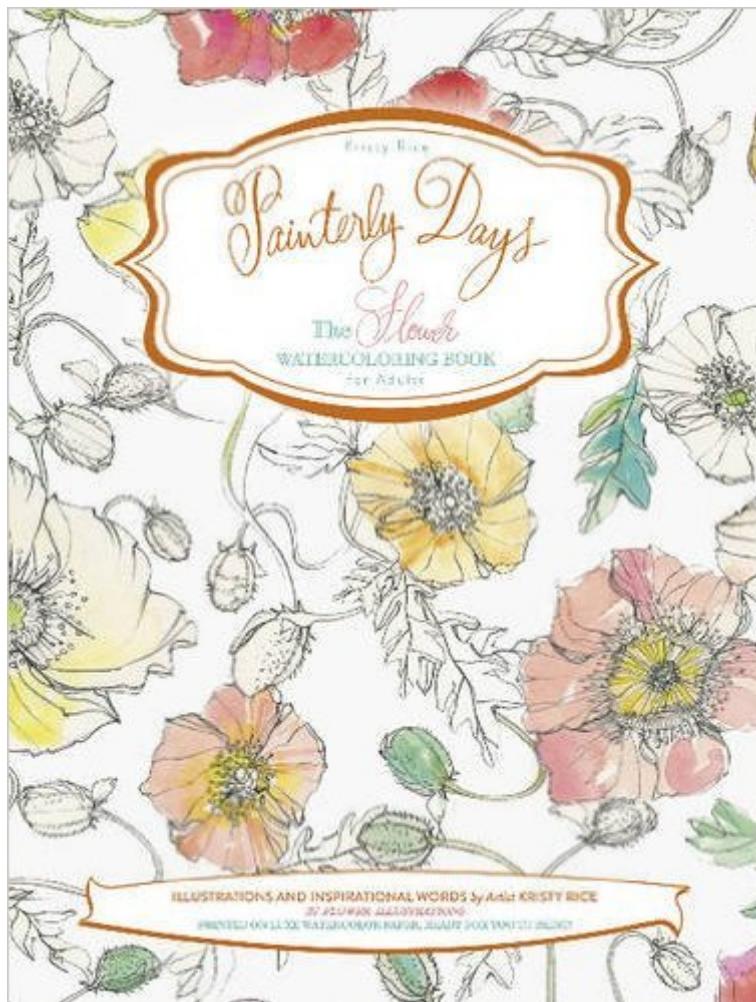


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# Painterly Days: The Flower Watercoloring Book For Adults



## **Synopsis**

A book of 25 floral sketches printed on lovely watercolor paper invites artistic experimentation with only a brush and paint. Each page is double-sided, offering the opportunity to paint the same page in different ways. The author shares painting tips for each sketch and advice for discovering the artist within. Also included is a painting tutorial and handy color wheel. Each book is small enough to carry anywhere and simple to use. Creativity is an escape, and this book offers a delightful way to make art regardless of skill level.- Artwork printed on heavy watercolor paper- Pages tear out easily for gifts and framing- 7 of the 25 pages feature inspirational quotes together with artwork for watercoloring- Each pattern is printed front and back of page for extra practice- Cover flap folds around and lays behind the page you are painting to prevent paint transferring onto next page- Gold foil accents on front and back cover

## **Book Information**

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## **Customer Reviews**

This book is wonderful! I'm a hobbyist with watercolor and I painted the page attached. I used lots of water to test out the paper quality and had no problems with bleed through of color or water. Each page has the same image on both sides so you can practice! Just think how great I'll be by the end of this book. This would be a great gift or fun for a painting party. I can't wait to collect the other two books!

I am very happy with my book. You can feel the quality as soon as you pick it up. The cover is

beautiful. I was happily surprised with the large size of the book (9x12 inches). The covers have flaps so that as you progress through the pages you can use the flaps to protect the pages you aren't working on. I like that the flowers are drawn in a soft grey that actually looks like pencil when painted on and recedes nicely into the page so that it lets the watercolor be the main focus. I was a little bit skeptical when I first saw the watercolor paper because it looked a little thin but I gave it a try after watching a video of someone painting on it and it is great. The paper didn't just suck up the color and dry immediately... no it acts just like you would want watercolor paper to do. Stay wet / damp for a while to allow you to paint. I am attaching a picture of the edge of one of the pages I painted to show it dried almost flat after taking a lot of water.

Very well made! I've had a lot of fun painting in this book. The paper is sturdy enough to take a lot of water and even some mixed media.

As a watercolor enthusiast who hates to draw, I can't tell you how much in love I am with these books!! Out of the three available the Flowers book is my favorite. The book's size is really what drew me. At 9x12 with all patterns covering the entire page, I have hours and hours of coloring/painting ahead of me. I was a bit worried about the size for framing but sells pretty frames with mattes that fit these perfectly (I want to give some of my finished pieces as gifts).The paper inside is so much better than I anticipated. All pages of the book are printed on a smooth watercolor paper that acts very much like any of my professional brand watercolor papers. It holds water well, lets, the color move around on the page and explode before drying...just a really nice paper for a book like this!! I wish would show more of the inside art...so good. Hydrangeas, Begonias, Peonies, Pansies, Plumeria, Hibiscus, Poppies, Anemones and on and on!!

Great book for a beginner watercolor artist! Gives you ideas to get you going instead of having to come up with them yourself while you're just trying to learn to paint! Also nice that each design is two-sided so you can try again as you learn.

I love this watercoloring book! I am a floral watercolor painter and this book is so much fun and so well designed! The paper is great and allows for a lot of water to be put down! I would love to buy her other two watercoloring books one day because this has been a wonderful purchase :)

I am real beginner for the water coloring but this book gave me lots of confidence because it is very

easy to start with.

These were the first coloring books I saw that actually were made with watercolor paper so I was super excited to give them a try with my watercolor paints! They do wonderfully with watercolors though I generally use the Artists Loft set with this as I prefer to save my more expensive paints for my own works. The only reason I give this a 4 is the designs aren't so much to my taste. I don't really like saying on my books - I prefer to color scenes for the most part - gardens, landscapes and the like. But for watercolor paper, I was willing to play with these! For anyone who loves coloring books on watercolor paper, there are 2 coming out in June and July - Rainforest Escape and Island Escape - both by Jade Gedeon. Those are more my style and I am looking forward to their arrival. Of course, I pre-ordered! Wish these were all tagged so you can search watercolor coloring book. I think these now pop up that way, but the Jade Gedeon ones do not so you may have to search by name or title!

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