Creating Dynamic Design from Photographs

- · 2-3 canvases or canvas panels 6x6" or 6x8"
- · 2-3 canvases or canvas panels 8x10" or 9x12"
- \cdot 2 11x14's or 12x16's

Note: This size of panel can be ordered from: www.raymarart.com

They have cotton or linen, linen is best, cotton is cheapest

If you are working in oils:

- · odourless mineral spirits ONLY, PLEASE DO NOT BRING TURPENTINE
- · (I use Gamblin Gamsol)
- · medium if you like using it (Walnut Oil or something similar)
- · small open containers to pour these in for use while painting
- · larger thinner container with screen for cleaning brushes
- · paper towel (at least one full roll of good absorbent paper, shop towels are best)
- · small plastic bags for garbage
- brushes: I use mostly flats up to 1" and one small round
- · (if you can get some Mongoose or Badger flats, these are really nice, as well as either hoghair (I like Robert Simmons) or Silver synthetics
- · Palette or palette paper (large size is preferable) and palette knife
- · Oil paint: Titanium white and ANY colours you have/like.
- · I use: Alizarin Crimson, Cadmium Red Light, Ultramarine Blue, Cobalt Blue, Hansa or Lemon Yellow, Cadmium Yellow Medium, Dioxazine Purple, Yellow Ochre Light (Rembrandt), Transparent Oxide Red (Rembrandt)
- · Portable easel/palette
- · Sketchbook and pencils + at least two Sharpie Black CHISEL EDGE felt pens
- A selection of 10 to 20 photos to work from. Choose photos that have strong patterns of light and shadow in order to get the most out of the exercises. Bring any subject matter that interests you, does NOT have to be landscape.

*PLEASE BRING PROFESSIONAL QUALITY BRUSHES AND PAINT.