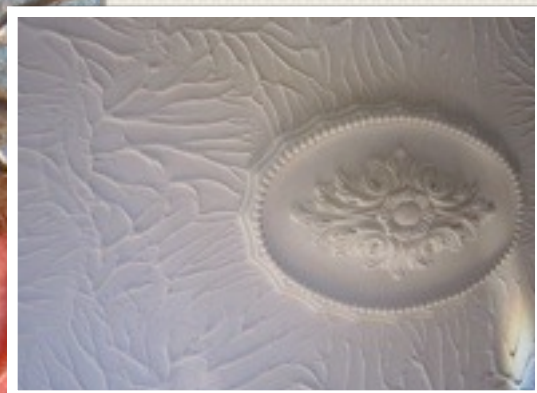


# ARTISANS BY THE SEA



TWO EXAMPLES OF THE DESIGNS MADE BY THE TOOL WE USED AND EXPERIMENTED WITH IN CLASS

## Interesting results using joint compound

Do you have some buckets or bags of joint compound sitting around, wondering what you can do with it before it hardens up and you have to throw it away? That was the main ingredient of the designs we made in our August class.



# PHOTOS OF OUR PROJECT



URSULA IS THINKING...  
"THIS LOOKS LIKE A LOT OF  
HARD WORK TO ME."

# DOING THE FUN PART---PAINTING



WE FOUND THIS TOOL AND TECHNIQUE VERY CHALLENGING. IT WAS A BIT HEAVY, AND ONCE LOADED WITH MUD, IT WAS REALLY HEAVY. THEN, YOU HAVE TO USE QUITE A BIT OF FORCE TO PRESS IT ON THE SURFACE TO GET COMPLETE COVERAGE. PAINTING IS FUN AND CREATIVE. LOTS OF NOOKS AND CRANNIES TO WORK WITH. IF ONE COULD TEAM UP WITH A PLASTERER TO DO THE HEAVY LIFTING, THAT WOULD BE GREAT. AMAZING FINISHES CAN BE ACHIEVED THAT ARE BOTH BEAUTIFUL AND UNIQUE.

## Notes from the meeting

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There were fourteen members in attendance for this class. Brenda Glad, our program director, spends a month each year at her vacation home in Maine, and this was her time away. Thanks, Brenda for setting everything up before you left!

Before we began our class, we spent a few minutes remembering Reba, and sharing some stories with each other. We all have fond memories of this lovely lady. Likewise, we acknowledged Sandi Scott, her sister. She set an example for all of us regarding self-sacrifice. She gave up everything for months to spend that time with Reba. And, she was there the whole way, right to the end. We are all grateful for the valuable life-lessons these two wonderful ladies taught us.

Katherine Hunter, our spiritual leader, spoke eloquently about Reba, telling us some sweet stories about her.

Elaine and Linda were our class leaders, and brought loads of materials along with them. This tool produces amazing and unique results. However, our group consensus is that it would be best marketed to drywallers and plasterers, not painters.

Our next two meetings will be held at Beth Cambell's house, and her address is 12465 Oakfort Place, San Diego, 92131. Watch for a meeting notice from Brenda about a week before the September 14 date.

Hope to see you there,

Teri Cardot, President