## Abstract Watercolor Painting with Deborah Velasquez

## For the first class:

We'll begin by painting a color wheel, so please bring three primary colors (red, yellow, and blue).

- Watercolor Paper: 140 lb cold press or heavier for durability i.e Fabriano, 11x14 or larger if you prefer working larger
- **Dr. Ph. Martin's Concentrated Watercolors:** red, yellow, indigo/blue, black plus colors you enjoy suggested: orange, green, pink, violet
- Gouache: Small tubes of white and black gouache
- Brushes: Round brushes (sizes 4, 6, 8, 12), flat brush, filbert, and a 4-inch foam brush
- Water containers: for rinsing brushes
- Paper towels: for blotting and lifting color, also creates great texture details
- Palette or mixing tray: for blending colors
- **Drawing and Mark-Making Tools:** Pencils, markers or Posca pens (black or color of your choice), and a white gel pen (#10 recommended)
- Calligraphy Pen: An inexpensive pen with an interesting nib for embellishing your paintings

• Markers or Posca pens (for accents)

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