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ROCK PAINTING

Paint a rock with an encouraging message to brighten your home or leave in a public place for your community to enjoy.

MATERIALS:

Rocks

Brushes

Acrylic paint

Clear sealer, like mod podge

Cup of water



PROCEDURE:

1 Select the rock you will be painting. Find one that has a flat surface if possible or let the shape of the rock guide your design.

2 Add the first layer of paint, this will be your background. Keep in mind that thin layers of paint dry faster.





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Wait for the paint to dry, then paint your design, one layer at a time.

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Add details and words; smaller brushes are best for this step.
Add a message such as, "This too shall pass."

5

Let the paint dry, then cover the rock in waterproof sealer such as mod podge.

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Add to your garden or leave it in a place that others will find.

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