HAND PAINTED MATZAH COVER
CH #195

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Materials:

- 4 pieces of 50/50 cotton polyester fabric 15" x 15"
- Deka-Permanent Fabric Paint - the colors you desire
- Angle brush
- Sharpie pen
- 1 sheet of sandpaper
- 1 sheet waxed paper 15" x 15"
- Pattern or stencil
- Needle
- Thread
- Optional: Lace or other trimming or embroidery thread

Procedure:

1. Take one 15" x 15" square of fabric. This will be your top layer. If you wish it to be fringed, do it now.

2. On this square of fabric, outline your design with a sharpie pen.

3. Place sandpaper under the fabric, with the rough side touching the fabric.

4. Select the colors you wish to use and, with an angle brush, carefully paint your design. Add your Hebrew name and the date.

5. Remove the sandpaper before the paint dries and place the painted cover on waxed paper, painted side up.

6. When dry, sew the four layers of fabric together, then finish according to taste. Your may fringe the top layer or embroider the edges of the four layers after they are sewn together or sew them together and trim with lace.

7. Enjoy your hand painted matzah cover.