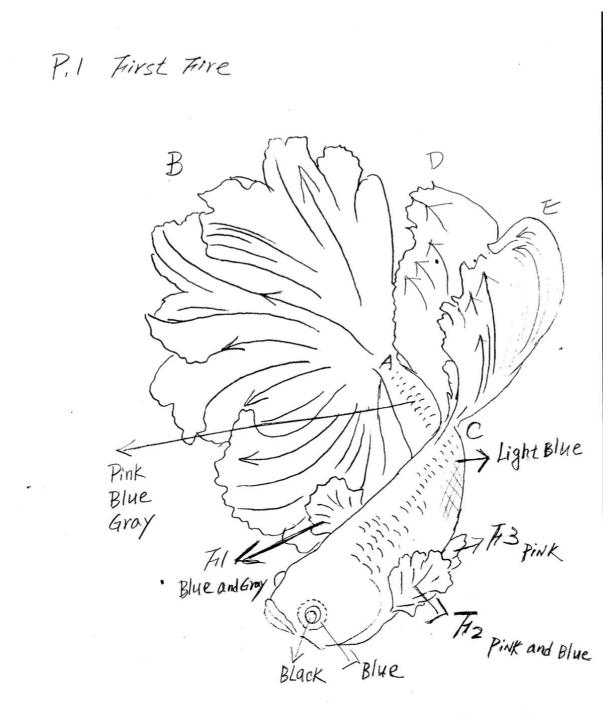
Blue Betta Fish on 8" x10" Tile



Supplies:

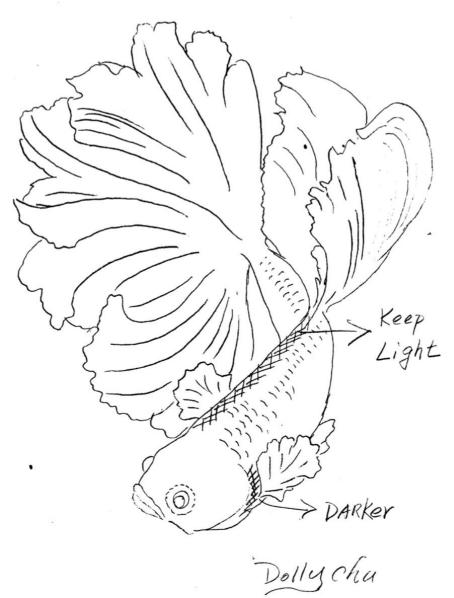
- 1. 8" x 10" Tile or similar size Plate.
- 2. Graphite paper and Stylus for trace patterns.
- 3. Wipe-out tools.
- 4. Brushes: Square Shaders, Size 2 for fish scal,Size 6 for fins and body, and Liners.
- 5. Colors: Pink, Rose, Burgundy or American Beauty, Sky Blue, Midnight Blue, Gray, Black for first fire. Blue Green, Midnight Blue, Sky Blue or Baby Blue, Banding Blue, Black for Second fire.
- 6. Medium: As you wish, open or close medium about the same, but I prefer Close medium.
- 7. Fire 016.
- 8. Note for First fire- start from the lightest color, Go to the tail fin first with fully loaded the color of the brush, and try just one and long stroke from end to end(I like start from A to B the tail fin ,then go to back fin start from C to D, then C to E. please refer the attached paper 1). Finish both Fins go to the fish body, I used "Pink color " wash the whole body super light then use #2 Square Shader for adding fish Scales with pink color on head and first forward part body use light blue for the shadows part, after body turns, use Pink, Blue and Gray. The last part is the side fines(I call them wings) F1(Blue and Gray), F2 (Pink and Blue) and F3 (pink only). Please refer the reference picture. Don't forget adding Black on eyes. Fire 016.
- 9. Note for Second fire- adding darker colors to enhance the tail fin and back fin to show the movement feels. Second fire I only use the Blue family which over most of the Pink . Adding details and using colors to show fish body's round and turning (please refer paper 2) .
- 10. During the zoom demonstration will talk about the other colors bettas fish's combination and suggestions. Fire 016.
- 11. This project based on 2 fire, of course you can always adding more fire with details as you feel comfortable.
- 12. Any questions please feel free to email me at dollychulee@hotmail.com
- 13. Happy Painting



Suggestions by Dolly chu



P.2 Second Fire



Another sample.

