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Packing Tape Transfer Canvas Art  
Kathy Kromer creates a special wall art project using packing tape to create a photo transfer.



## **Materials needed**

Copic® Markers – Aqua, Pea Green, Brick Beige, Blue Violet and Red Violet  
Photo  
Liquitex® Gel Medium – Gloss  
Liquitex® Gesso – Black  
Spray Bottle with Water  
Packing Tape  
Brayer (or Old Credit Card)  
Scissors

## **TREES PACKING TAPE TRANSFER**

Canvas, 11"x14"  
Copic(R) Markers – Aqua, Pea Green, Brick Beige and Blue Violet  
Liquitex® Acrylic Paints – Burnt Umber, Cobalt Teal, Titanium White and Green Gold  
Golden Artists Colors® Retarder  
Paintbrush  
Palette Paper  
Stylus

## **THE GUYS PACKING TAPE TRANSFER**

Canvas, 16"x20"  
Copic(R) Markers – Aqua, Pea Green, Brick Beige, Blue Violet and Red Violet  
Liquitex® Acrylic Paint – Burnt Umber  
Scrapbook Paper – Designs of Choice  
Paintbrush  
Palette Paper

## **How To Create a Packing Tape Transfer Canvas Art**

**Step 1** Make a black and white copy of the photo of your choice using a laser or toner-based printer.

**Step 2** Color copy using Copic(R) markers as desired.

**Step 3** Place strips of packing tape side by side over photo, until completely covered.

**Step 4** Mist the back of the photo that has been adhered to the packing tape.

**Step 5** Starting at the corner, gently roll the paper off of the tape until all paper has been removed from entire surface.

**Step 6** Prepare canvas background as desired (see Trees Packing Tape Transfer Art Piece or The Guys Packing Tape Transfer Art Piece for inspiration).

**Step 7** Paint gel medium onto canvas in area where packing tape transfer is desired and onto the back of the packing tape transfer.

**Step 8** Using a brayer, (or an old credit card), burnish the packing transfer onto your canvas.

## **Trees Packing Tape Transfer Art Piece**

**Step 1** Follow Steps 1-5 for “How To Create a Packing Tape Transfer Canvas Art.”

**Step 2** Paint front and sides of canvas Burnt Umber. Let dry.

**Step 3** Dip paintbrush in retarder and desired paint and patchwork color on canvas as desired, one color and area at a time.

**Step 4** While paint is still wet, “scratch” message onto canvas with stylus.

**Step 5** Once canvas is prepared as desired, let dry.

**Step 6** Follow Steps 7-8 for “How To Create a Packing Tape Transfer Canvas Art” to complete art piece.

### **The Guys Packing Tape Transfer Art Piece**

**Step 1** Follow Steps 1-5 for “How To Create a Packing Tape Transfer Canvas Art”.

**Step 2** Paint front and sides of canvas Burnt Umber. Let dry.

**Step 3** Tear scrapbook pages into large sections and attach to canvas with gel medium. To do this, apply gel medium to canvas and place paper pieces onto it. Add a top coat of gel medium over paper pieces. Let dry.

**Step 4** Once canvas is covered as desired, follow Steps 7-8 for “How To Create a Packing Tape Transfer Canvas Art” to complete art piece.

**Step 5** Paint corners to add a finished look.

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