

Welcome



Finding Joy with Watercolor G26010302

with Sean Hudson
January 18-24, 2026

Hello Friends,

I'm delighted you'll be joining me for Finding Joy with Watercolor. This course is about learning the essentials of composition, value, color, and atmosphere while also embracing watercolor's spontaneity and surprises. Together we'll balance structure with freedom, exploring how watercolor can guide us as much as we guide it.

Our mornings will begin with focused lessons and demonstrations, while afternoons will give you the space to paint in the studio or outdoors at Ghost Ranch, with plenty of one-on-one guidance along the way. Surrounded by luminous skies, dramatic cliffs, and wide horizons, you'll discover how place and paint can work together to spark inspiration. Whether you're new to watercolor or expanding your practice, my hope is that you'll leave with stronger skills, fresh confidence, and a joyful connection to both the landscape and your own creative voice.

Warmly,

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COURSE SCHEDULE

Meal times:

Breakfast - 7:30 - 8:30am

Lunch - 12:00 - 1:00pm

Dinner - 5:30 - 6:30pm

Sunday Afternoon

3:00pm - Check in

6:30 - 7:00pm - Ranch orientation

7:00 - 8:00pm - Intro, slideshow, course overview

Monday

9:00 - 12:00pm - Instruction begins

1:30 - 4:30pm - Afternoon session

Tuesday

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1:30 - 4:30pm - Afternoon session

Wednesday

Field trip

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1:30 - 4:30pm - Afternoon session

Thursday

9:00 - 12:00pm - Instruction begins

1:30 - 4:30pm - Afternoon session

Friday

9:00 - 12:00pm - Final session

1:30 - 4:30pm - Art show prep

6:30 - Ghost Ranch art show!