

# Stephanie Novatski \* Rusted Cloth Covered Book

Sunday #1D14 \* 1 Day \* 9am-4 or 4:30pm  
Workshop: Cloth & recycled materials



All Levels welcome

Pre class work – No \* Kit \$10.00

Learn to create a book from recycled vintage cotton Pillow Cases or 100% cotton fabric. You will create unique rusted fabric using Vinegar, Steel Wool, and stencils. You will create enough pages for covers, an 8 page 7" x 7" book. You will also rust some Venice Lace for the spine.

Kit will include Precut fabric for pages and covers, 2 pieces of stiff felt for the inner covers, felt for between the pages, Venice lace for the spine and a number of precut fabric and other embellishments for use on the pages. You will have access to various mixed media materials such as a die cut

machine and dies. Bring to class scissors, an inexpensive set of water colors (such as Crayola), stencils, embroidery floss in various colors, hand sewing equipment (needles, pins), assorted buttons, charms, old jewelry. Laces, fabric scraps, beads, and a picture printed on regular printer paper to use in your book. By the end of class, you will have semi bound book, have your pages planned, create various rag flowers, and fabric beads for embellishment. Techniques explored will include wet and dry fabric and lace painting, rusting and simple book binding and construction. Leave class with an appreciation of "slow" hand stitching using basic stitches such as buttonhole, chain, French knots and running stitch.



*Supply List on next page*

**Rust Book Student supplies for class:**

Hand sewing kit and neutral thread (off white preferably)

Embroidery floss in assorted colors or 12

Pearl cotton in various colors

Fabric. Lace, trim scraps, old jewelry for embellishments

Straight pins

Sketch pad or scrap paper (optional)

Any stencils (labeled with your name in permanent marker) you have

**Rust Book Kit fee: \$10**

Includes prepared fabric for 8 7" X 7" pages, felt for interlining, 8" X 1 1/4" piece of Venice lace for spine, Assorted die cuts including teacups, butterflies, hearts,

flowers, small houses, pieces of hand dyed cotton. Use of teachers vinegar and steel wool rust mix, assorted stencils, rubber gloves

