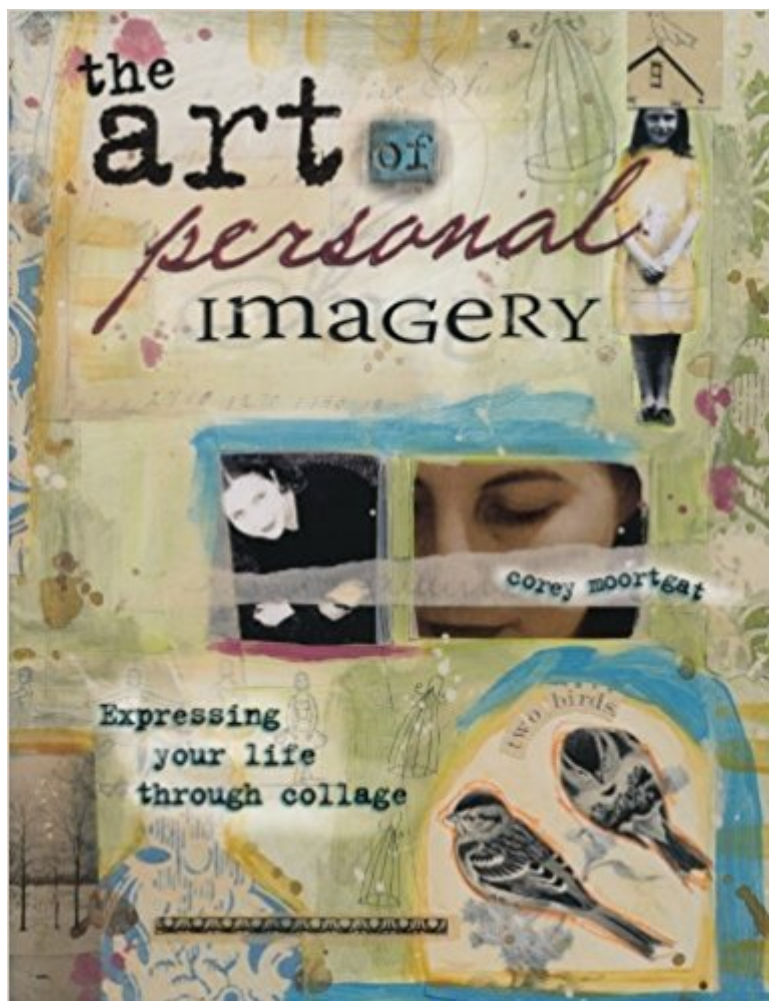


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The Art Of Personal Imagery: Expressing Your Life Through Collage



Synopsis

Express yourself and celebrate your life with collage. The Art of Personal Imagery introduces a fresh approach to collage, one that blends traditional methods with innovative new techniques for capturing your favorite moments and most treasured memories in your artwork. Step by step, author Corey Moortgat teaches you the secrets to adding visual and emotional depth to your collage: Commemorate special occasions by transforming mementos into clever collage elements. Add meaning to your work with written sentiments about your friends and family. Use painting and paper layering techniques to blend a glossy modern photo with vintage ephemera. Stage your own photo shoot to capture images perfect for your artwork. Find your personal symbols with creative exercises to unlock your subconscious mind. Push yourself beyond impersonal collage! Create beautiful artwork that honors your loved ones and glows with your essence.

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Customer Reviews

Corey Moortgat works primarily in collage, with her favorite subjects being personal imagery, old photographs, nudes, any vintage papers she can find, and most recently, her newest muses: her son, Riley, and her second baby on the way. Her work has been featured in Somerset Studio, Artitude Zine, and the books StampArtistry, Frame It!, Kaleidoscope and Artist Trading Cards Workshop. She has taught many small classes at local art supply stores and at ArtFest.

As an avid scrapbooker and beginner mixed-media artist, this book has really made me redefine my style. I've reached a point in my art that doing pretty pages was just not enough, and I found myself

including more and more symbolic items in my artwork. Being OCD-like, this book has really prompted me to loosen up, experiment and have fun with my artwork. Coreys artwork is so rich in meaning and symbolism. I couldn't put this book down, and even sent my kids early to bed so I could read it. The artwork is breathtaking, the examples are thorough, the supplies are listed, and...she even explains her inspiration and mental process of creating that piece of work. If you are interested in taking your artwork to the next level- out of the cookie-cutter mold- you will find this book a gold-mine of eye-candy and information.

I just thumbed it and saved it, along with my tear-outs for collages. It is modern in its preference for understatement and sophistication. Others may like it much for that very thing. It is focused on very personal imagery, as if exchanged in letters and on postcards. I love the availability of books like this; I have more than one on collage. Now to find the time.

The book has very good information, but the publishing looks to be done on the cheap. The pictures were faint and on poor quality paper. It looked as if it was printed on a copy machine low on ink. What a shame. The art work is very interesting.

Just received this book last week-wonderful inspiration. Being familiar with Corey's work online i couldn't wait for the book-it doesn't disappoint. The illustrations are great, as is the information included. It helps make you think about your next piece of art and giving it personal meaning.

This book was not bad. It contained a lot of interesting ideas for creative journaling. I would definitely recommend it for someone looking to be more creative with their writing.

Love this book and the gentle sweet journaling stories shared by the author. Tons of interesting ideas and 'how to's' that look easy and are very inspirational.

Never having created an art collage before, I found this book to be full of ideas and useful advice. I especially loved using the Golden Glaze colors recommended in this book. I'm also happy to report that my first art collage turned out beautifully!

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