




# RENDITIONS

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IN THE ARTS & CRAFTS TRADITION  
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NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2005

## WIPE OUT STENCILING













 RENDITIONS celebrates the Artisans, their skills, and their products, seeking to apply the ideals of the Arts & Crafts movement to our time.

The owners of  RENDITIONS are also the major artisans:

-  **James Farley** specializes in Mission style furniture;
-  **Kristine Lindahl** creates original stained glass designs; and
-  **Marilyn Lindahl** stencils and embroiders Arts & Crafts textiles.



 RENDITIONS also features:

-  Furniture by James Farley and Hile Studio
-  Ephraim Faience Pottery
-  Motawi tiles and handmade address tiles
-  Porteous Handmade Tiles
-  Hammered Copper Mica Lamps
-  Charles Rennie Mackintosh collection: pewter, cups, books, cards & stencils
-  Dard Hunter collection: cards, welcome mats, tiles, etched mirrors & framed quotes
-  Frank Lloyd Wright collection: magazine rack, pottery, door mats, pillows, throws, silver key tags & letter openers, books, cards, mousepads, & screen savers
-  Extensive selection of Arts & Crafts books, journals, postcard books, cards
-  Arts & Crafts and Mackintosh stencils and Paintstiks
-  Wood turned bowls by Wayne Terhune
-  Robeez and Bobux Shoes, the shoes that stay on!

Many of us are familiar with stenciling as a decorative art for walls, furniture, and textiles. It was used in many Arts & Crafts homes and is reviving its popularity with many home owners today. Stenciling is applicable to almost everything in and around a building, including walls, ceilings, floors, furniture, textiles, and wall art.

Two hundred years ago, stenciling was the answer to the otherwise expensive French wall coverings and floor coverings. Tin or leather stencils of simple patterns like leaves, flowers, or fruit were available from the itinerant stencil artist. But if you were looking for something more unique than ordinary stenciling, wipe out stenciling was an option. This specialized form of stenciling was used by professional decorators during the Arts & Crafts movement. This art form, as well as typical stenciling, is described in detail in the book Arts & Crafts Stenciling by W. G. Sutherland, originally published in 1925 (available at Renditions, \$17.95).

Wipe out stenciling has soft edges and the capacity for delicate gradation of tone. It is best used as a spot, stand-alone stencil, in friezes or in framed art. The process is quite simple, but, as with most arts, takes much practice to master. The basic technique for wipe out stenciling can be done using oil paints or watercolors. The paint, after applied, is "lifted" or "wiped out" with a cloth or sponge down to the original background color. This method allows more individual artistry.



Renditions carries a large collection of stencils from well-known designers. We look forward to introducing our own line of Arts & Crafts stencils in the spring of 2006. Renditions also carries stencil brushes and Paint-Stiks, the best oil paints for stenciling walls, furniture, and fabrics.

### Interested in learning the age-old art of stenciling?



Gather together five or more of your friends and arrange to have a class with us at Renditions. You choose the time, we do the teaching, and you take home a finished project.

Basic and advanced stenciling classes available:  
Basic = learn about brushes, paints, surfaces, techniques, \$30  
Advanced = learn shading, to cut your own stencil, stencil a pillow, \$40

Stenciling is a great way to bring out the artisan in everyone!

# EPHRAIM FAIENCE POTTERY

The first pieces from Catalog #10 (2005-06) have arrived! Now is the time to reserve one for that special Christmas gift!



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YOU'LL LOVE WESTON'S *Holiday* WEEKENDS

**HOLIDAY HARVEST: Friday-Saturday Nov. 5-6**

Kick off the season with Pilgrims, Turkey Legs, and a Fall Harvest Market.

**HOLIDAY LIGHTS: Friday-Sunday Nov. 11-12-13**

Shop for special offers and treats, Father Christmas,  
Dickens Carolers, Carriage Rides and B&B Open Houses.

**HOLIDAY TREES: Saturday-Sunday Nov. 19-20**

Beautiful trees in store windows and a chance to win a  
shopping spree and a night at the Inn At Weston Landing.

**HOLIDAY SHOPPING: Friday-Sunday Nov. 25-27**

Relaxed shopping and dining. Pick up a unique holiday  
wreath and help support a local charity.

**CANDLELIGHT HOMES TOUR: Saturday-Sunday Dec. 3-4**

Tour beautiful historic homes all decked out for the  
holidays. Tickets limited so call 816-640-2909 today.

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