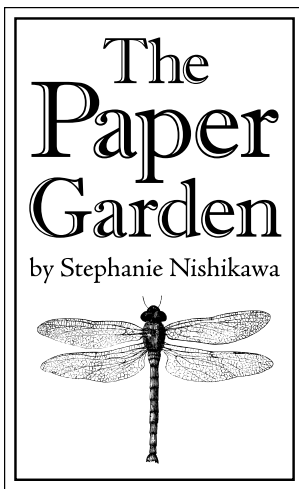


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Celebrating Five Years of Paper Bliss...

It was about this time of year, going back about a half of a decade when my husband Ken and I got the keys to my little boutique. The 1300 square foot room was painted a purple tone and the floors were dusty and concrete. We spent hundreds of hours... even watching the sun come up a few times to put wood flooring in, painting, counting cardstock and envelopes and carefully packaging each one, on top of that, we had to line up all of the stamps... it was like building a dominoes mansion. My family helped me build my little dream and it's time to once again, say "Thank you!" First my cousins, Laurie, Kelley and Shari came almost every day to help package and they continue to do so and more, and they know, without them, I am a speckle of dust. Then came Chelsea, my little cousin who is learning the trade and going to Sac State. Soon, she will be designing her own cards! My mom who makes sure I eat a good home cooked meal and cleans my home so it doesn't look like a haunted house and best of all, loves my son Miles as much as we do! My mother-in-law who never tells me no when I need some extra help and there's my Auntie Naomi who thought she was retired, but knows I always have another job for her waiting. Then there's the people behind the scenes, my talented graphic artist Greg Mar who designs our exclusive Paper Garden cardstock and newsletters and my wonderful husband Ken and beautiful son Miles who never complains when I have to stay late and work on projects when I come home. Ken also spends most of his weekends at the store, although, it's not by choice. We joke that he really loves it. I do too! Thank you again for five wonderful years. We have a lot to celebrate during our five year anniversary milestone. Look for classes by Dave Brethauer, owner of Memory Box in July and another visit and classes in September as he will join us for our big party.

We will also offer a series of classes that will go towards Japan's tsunami relief. Class cards are all Japan-inspired and designed by Laurie, Kelley, Ken and I. The classes are just one hour for \$15 and 100% of the proceeds will go directly to Japan's relief efforts. Since we are celebrating five years, we hope to write out a check for 5k! Please help us make our goal. The classes are fun, fast and fabulous! Thanks again everyone for five truly wonderful years, I am humbled and honored to know you and delighted to help you with your paper crafting projects! Let the celebrations begin!



July 2011

Free make and takes 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

Receive 10% off the store

4th of July—closed

Tuesday, July 5th

Saturday, July 9th

Friday, July 29th

Friday, July 1st 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Happy Birthday Celebrations! \$35

**Sign up for all three Celebration card classes and receive \$10 off.*

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Tsunami Relief Classes for Charity

As a former TV Journalist and a proud Japanese American, I cannot sit back and watch the devastation that occurred in Japan back on March 11th and do nothing about it. It's one of those days that you say, "Where were you when the tsunami hit Japan?" I was on my computer and like many Americans felt helpless and horrified watching the sea demolish mankind. It's never too late to help Japan... and in my efforts and yours... 100% of our class fees will go to the children. More than a 100-schools were ripped apart. My goal, having a 6 year old son is to replenish the schools... which would include books, crayons, pencils, educational materials and hopefully some stuffed animals my son calls "lovies." My goal is to raise \$5,000.00... won't you please help us in the cause. I know it will take billions of dollars to help rebuild the land of the rising sun, let's start now!

Each class is \$15, take all 4 classes and we'll give you 15% discount off your total purchase. Must be used the day of the classes.

Sunday, July 3rd 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #1, Cards by Laurie \$15

Make three cards celebrating Japan

Sunday, July 3rd 1:30–2:30 p.m.

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Sunday, July 3rd 3–4 p.m.

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Make three cards with different techniques celebrating Japan

Sunday, July 3rd 4:30–5:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #4, Projects by Ken \$15

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Tuesday, July 5th 10–11 a.m.

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Tuesday, July 5th 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #2, Cards by Kelley \$15

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Tuesday, July 5th 1–2 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #3, Cards by Stephanie \$15

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Tuesday, July 5th 2:30–3:30 p.m.

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Friday, July, 8th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Asian Inspiration \$35

**Sign up for all three Asian card classes and receive \$10 off.*

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These cards are always different! Enjoy six cards using beautiful Asian designs with inspiration from the Far East.

Saturday, July, 9th 4–6 p.m.

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Sunday, July 10th 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

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Sunday, July 10th 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #2, Cards by Kelley \$15

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Sunday, July 10th 3–4 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #3, Cards by Stephanie \$15

Make three cards with different techniques celebrating Japan

Sunday, July 10th 4:30–5:30 p.m.

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Please welcome back Dave Brethauer, owner and lead designer of Memory Box papers and stamps located in Seattle, Washington (www.memoryboxco.com). This is the fifth time that Dave has taught classes at the Paper Garden and every year, his classes are a sell out! This year, learn new techniques with your colored pencils and paint brushes. Dave will show us color tricks by using tissue paper, inks and embossing powders! Also, be the first to see and use Dave's new holiday rubber stamps and papers!

Classes are \$45 or sign up for 2 or more classes for \$40 each.

Friday, July 15th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Watercolor with Dave Brethauer \$45

Turn those beautiful cards into works of art using stunning watercolor paints by twinkling h2o's. Once dry, the paints actually have a pearlescent look. You will learn the difference between cold and hot press cardstocks and learn how to make those images come alive with color!

Friday, July 15th 1–3 p.m.

Colored pencils with Dave Brethauer \$45

One of the most talked about techniques when customers look at our card samples is shading and coloring with colored pencils. Dave will show you the right and wrong way to color... you would not believe all of the cool shading and shadowing effects. Also, learn about heat embossing and water color techniques tied into the colored pencils.

Friday, July 15th 4–6 p.m.

Memory Box Holiday with Dave Brethauer \$45

Be the first to get your holiday card ideas and replicate the cool techniques offered in this class by Dave. See all of the newest and greatest holiday stamps.. there's a bunch! ho-hohoho!

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Sunday, July 17th 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #2, Cards by Kelley \$15
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Sunday, July 17th 3–4 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #3, Cards by Stephanie \$15
Make three cards with different techniques celebrating Japan

Sunday, July 17th 4:30–5:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #4, Projects by Ken \$15
Make three projects celebrating Japan...whether it's a box or gift card holder

Friday, July 22nd 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Christmas in July \$35

**Sign up for all three Holiday card classes and receive \$10 off.*
Get out your red pens, white glitter, candy canes and sugar plum fairies out, we're gearing up for Christmas! Be the first to get your holiday card ideas ready! We'll make six Christmas cards.. that's six more than your friends!

Saturday, July 23rd 4–6 p.m.

Christmas in July \$35

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Tsunami Relief Classes for Charity

Sunday, July 24th 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #1, Cards by Laurie \$15
Make three cards celebrating Japan

Sunday, July 24th 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #2, Cards by Kelley \$15
Make three cards... fast and easy celebrating Japan

Sunday, July 24th 3–4 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #3, Cards by Stephanie \$15
Make three cards with different techniques celebrating Japan

Sunday, July 24th 4:30–5:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #4, Projects by Ken \$15
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Monday, July 25th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Christmas in July \$35

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Get out your red pens, white glitter, candy canes and sugar plum fairies out, we're gearing up for Christmas! Be the first to get your holiday card ideas ready! We'll make six Christmas cards... that's six more than your friends!

August 2011

Free make and takes 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

Receive 10% off the store

Tuesday, August 2nd

Saturday, August 13th

Friday, August 26th

Friday, August 5th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Celebrations: Candles, Wedding Bells, and Party Hats \$35
Please join us for another celebration inspired cardmaking class. This time we'll be making cards for birthdays, brides, anniversaries and other happy occasions!

Saturday, August 6th 4–6 p.m.

Celebrations: Candles, Wedding Bells, and Party Hats \$35
Please join us for another celebration inspired cardmaking class. This time we'll be making cards for birthdays, brides, anniversaries and other happy occasions!

Tsunami Relief Card Classes for Charity

Sunday, August 7th 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #1, Cards by Laurie \$15
Make three cards celebrating Japan

Sunday, August 7th 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #2, Cards by Kelley \$15
Make three cards... fast and easy celebrating Japan

Sunday, August 7th 3–4pm

Tsunami Relief #3, Cards by Stephanie \$15
Make three cards with different techniques celebrating Japan

Sunday, August 7th 4:30–5:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #4, Projects by Ken \$15
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Friday, August 12th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Asian-Flair \$35
Join us once again as we create six cards celebrating Asian culture.

Saturday, August 13th 4–6 p.m.

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Tsunami Relief Card Classes for Charity

Sunday, August 14th 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #1, Cards by Laurie \$15
Make three cards celebrating Japan

Sunday, August 14th 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #2, Cards by Kelley \$15
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Sunday, August 14th 3–4 p.m.

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Sunday, August 14th 4–5:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #4, Projects by Ken \$15
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Friday, August 19th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Summertime—Waterfall Cards \$45
Our most talked about card is baaaaack! Please join us as we create four different versions of the waterfall card with summer inspired images. If you always wanted to learn to make this card... now is the time!

Saturday, August 20th 4–6pm

Happy Halloween—Waterfall Cards \$45
Our most talked about card is baaaaack! Please join us as we create four different versions of the waterfall card with Halloween inspired images. If you always wanted to learn to make this card... now is the time! Ghoulish Greetings!!!

Friday, August 26th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Christmas in August \$35
Join us for another Holiday card class using the latest and greatest stamps to inspire you to make your own Christmas cards!

Saturday, August 27th 4–6 p.m.

Christmas in August \$35
Join us for another Holiday card class using the latest and greatest stamps to inspire you to make your own Christmas cards!

Tsunami Relief Card Classes for Charity

Sunday, August 28th 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #1, Cards by Laurie \$15
Make three cards celebrating Japan

Sunday, August 28th 1:30–2:30 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #2, Cards by Kelley \$15
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Sunday, August 28th 3–4 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #3, Cards by Stephanie \$15
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Receive 10% off the store

Tuesday, September 6th

Saturday, September 10th

Friday, September 30th

Friday, September 2nd 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

“Boo-tiful” Cards for Halloween \$35

Join us for a creepy card making class with a trick or treat.

Saturday, September 3rd Happy Birthday Paper Garden Boutique!

10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Please join us for our Five Year anniversary party! We will have two free make and takes and Memory Box owner and designer Dave Brethauer will be our special guest artist. Enjoy 10% off our store the entire day, plus we'll have door prizes, freebies and a big sale!

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Sunday, September 4th 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

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Sunday, September 4th 3–4 p.m.

Tsunami Relief #3, Cards by Stephanie \$15

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Sunday, September 4th 4:30–5:30 p.m.

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Friday, September 9th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

“Panaisa” \$35

The best of Asian-influence designs come together in the form of card-making!

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Birthday Cards —“Eat your Cake, Cupcakes and Candy Too!” \$35

This cardmaking class will have all the makings of old fashioned colors of pink frostings, chocolates, creams, pastels... lots of beautiful colors that are good enough to eat. We'll add these colors to fun birthday icon designs.

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Friday, September 23rd 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Christmas in September \$35

Celebrate the holidays with us by making six sparkling, snowy and glittery cards!

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Friday, September 30th 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Spookilicious Cupakes \$35

Let's make 6 almost edible halloween designs using cupcakes as the main ingredient!

Saturday, October 1st 4–6 p.m.

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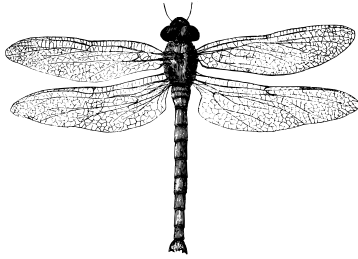
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The Paper Garden

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Class Wish List:

