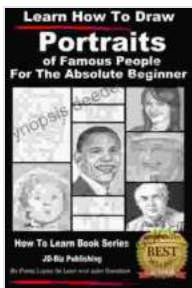


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Drawing portraits of famous people in pencil is a great way to improve your drawing skills and learn about the human face. This step-by-step guide will teach you everything you need to know to get started, from choosing the right materials to capturing the likeness of your subject.



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Materials You'll Need

- A pencil (HB or 2B is a good starting point)
- A sharpener
- An eraser
- A reference photo of the person you want to draw
- A piece of paper

Step-By-Step Instructions

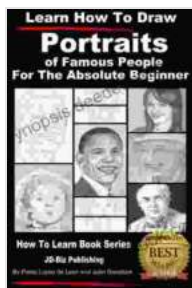
1. **Start with a light sketch.** Use your pencil to lightly sketch the basic shapes of the face. Don't worry about getting everything perfect at this stage, just focus on getting the proportions right.
2. **Add the details.** Once you have the basic shapes in place, you can start to add the details. Start with the eyes, then the nose, mouth, and hair. Pay attention to the shape and size of each feature, and try to capture the expression of your subject.
3. **Shade the face.** Use your pencil to shade the face, adding darker tones to the areas that are in shadow and lighter tones to the areas that are in light. Be careful not to over-shade, as this can make your drawing look muddy.
4. **Refine the details.** Once you have the basic shading in place, you can start to refine the details. Use your pencil to add highlights and shadows to the eyes, nose, mouth, and hair. You can also use your eraser to lighten areas that are too dark or to fix any mistakes.
5. **Finish the drawing.** Once you are satisfied with the details, you can finish the drawing by adding a background or frame. You can also use your pencil to sign your work.

Tips

- Use a reference photo to help you capture the likeness of your subject. This will help you to get the proportions and details right.
- Start with a light touch and gradually add darker tones as needed. This will help you to avoid over-shading.

- Pay attention to the shape and size of each feature. This will help you to create a realistic portrait.
- Be patient and don't give up. Drawing portraits takes practice, but with time and effort, you can create beautiful and realistic works of art.

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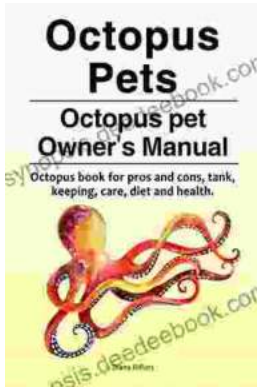


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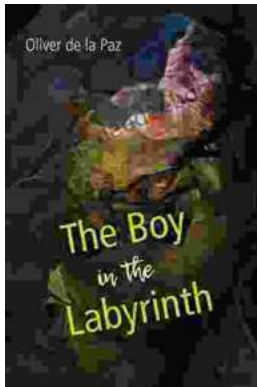
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