

SANDRA DE LEACY – GOLD COAST CHINA

FOOLS GOLD – Turps Repel – luster/ paint etc

This technique looks best over dark colours such as Black Green, Midnight Blue violet or Ruby luster.

First firing

- Trace on Design
- Mask out design areas and apply M of Pearl to background. Fire 800
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2nd firing

Work on 3 areas to be textured – Texture technique of your choice – Chipping off, Acid U Base etc . Fire 800

3rd Firing – Mask around 3 design areas to be coloured

Apply colour to 3 design areas as indicated. Either ground a deep colour or apply a deep luster colour. Reds look good and also Dk Blue luster. Fire 780.

4th Firing - Mask around 3 coloured design areas

Mix Fools Gold with pen Oil to a runny consistency. Lather on gum turps to the coloured areas . Now brush F.Gold haphazardly over the turpsed areas.

Allow the Fools Gold to repel and create patterns on the coloured design areas. You may occasionally need to drop a little Gum Turps in again as it evaporates quickly.

Do not fire until it is completely dry. Fire 780deg.

5th firing

Finish off Textured area with gold or lustres etc. Fire.