



# SPIRIT BOOKS VIA SKYPE

FOR ART CLASSES MIDDLE SCHOOL AND UP, RETREATS, NATURE CENTERS, BOOK GROUPS, AND MORE

*“Very thought provoking, inspiring, yet concrete enough for the age group to work with and not feel too overwhelmed. Loved it!!!! ”*  
*Wendy, middle school art teacher, Cedar Crest Academy, Clarkston, MI, photos upper left and lower right*

Susan’s Spirit Books connect creativity with the spirit of nature. They are bookmaking at its most organic and free—no measurements, no rulers, just your response to the materials and the world around you. For those with bookmaking experience, it offers a chance to let go and take part in a simple project which requires only an engagement with the materials and the moment. For those without prior bookmaking or art experience, it is an excellent entry into creative exercise. The Spirit Books are truly for everyone.

SPIRIT BOOKS VIS SKYPE CONSISTS OF:

- a 30-40 minute show and tell of Susan’s Spirit Books and an introduction to the project—how to gather materials and basic instructions on making the book and adding the gathered materials—with time for questions after
- a pdf of detailed illustrated directions for making the books from paper grocery bags (or art paper if you choose)
- a pdf with images of all Susan’s Spirit Books for closer viewing
- an optional show and tell of your books with Susan in a shorter second session. This is not a critique. The intention of the Spirit Books is to make art in an open and organic way.

*Spirit Book Skype Program: \$200. With Second Session: \$250.*  
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