

“Six Rivers Friendship” & “Six Rivers Sturgeon Back”

Ornament Size: 3-10 inches

Skill Level: Intermediate

The following ornaments represent the interconnected culture of the Six Rivers national forest. Both ornaments include the following components: the six rivers (Eel, Van Duzen, Klamath, Trinity, Mad, and Smith) found throughout our national forest, tribal designs from local peoples, and a salmon, a very important species to the six rivers region and tribes.

Supplies needed:

- Recycled plastic plate
- Acrylic paints
- Gloss varnish

Instructions:

1. Both ornaments follow the same instructions.
2. Gather materials. For this design we are recycling plastic dessert plates.
3. Paint the base of the plate up to three times to reduce opacity. Colors can vary.
4. Paint either the “Six Rivers Friendship” or the “Six Rivers Sturgeon Back” design over the base color plate.
5. “Six Rivers Friendship” design Includes a blue background representing water, friendship tribal design, six rivers depicted by color, and a salmonid.
6. “Six Rivers Sturgeon Back” includes white background, six different colored sturgeon back tribal designs representing the six different rivers, and a salmonid.



