## VICTORIAN HOUSE KEY HOLDER

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## **Delta Ceramcoat** Palette

Alpine Green Green Sea Rose Mist Charcoal Leprechaun Straw
Dark Forest Green Light Ivory Toffee
Forest Green Quaker Grey Trail Tan

- 1. Sand and seal wood with Minwax Early American. Wait 24 hours before painting.
- 2. Trace on the pattern.
- 3. Base coat the roof, shutters, flower box and the floor with **Green Sea**. Shade the roof, shutters and the window box with a side load float of **Alpine Green** using 1/4" angle brush. Highlight the roof with a side load float of **Light Ivory**
- 4. Base coat the chimney and the foundation with **Quaker Grey**.
- 5. Base coat the steps with **Trail Tan**.
- 6. Shade under the roof line and under the window box and bottom of the shutters with **Trail Tan**.
- 7. Highlight the steps with **Light Ivory** and shade with **Toffee**.
- 8. Base coat the door and the window in **Charcoal**.
- 9. Lightly dry brush **Light Ivory** on the top and bottom of the door cross hatching to resemble a screen.
- 10. Side load float **Light Ivory** using your angle brush for the curtains on the window.
- 11. Base coat the door frame, window frame, fretwork and heart with **Rose Mist**.
- 12. Letter "Home Sweet Home" in **Light Ivory** with a 10/0 liner brush.
- 13. Stipple foliage in the window box **Forest Green** using 1/4" deerfoot brush or old scruffy brush then **Leprechaun** on upper third, and **Dark Forest Green** to shade on the bottom.
- 14. Make tiny flowers (small comma strokes) with **Light Ivory** and **Straw** centers.
- 15. The chimney and foundation stones are varying mixes of **Quaker Grey**, **Bridgeport**, **Charcoal**, **Toffee** and **Trail Tan**.
- 16. Shade the bottoms of the stones with a side load of **Charcoal**.
- 17. Paint pegs Quaker Grey.
- 18. Glue on heart and insert pegs.
- 19. Give several coats of **Final Coat** varnish.

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