

## Are you a Hungry Scribe?

Hungry Scribes eat letters, crave letterform improvement and simmer enthusiastically over paper, pen and 26 letters.

Hungry Scribes understand the critical value of proper measuring, mixing, spacing and ruling. So if don't want to start with bad habits or if you have noticed your letters-forms are not improving it's likely that you're a Hungry Scribe.

### Course 1: Scribal Basics

For Beginners and Improvers

Wednesdays, March 10 thru April 7, 2010

6:00 - 8:00 PM

\$100.

Classes are held near Murrieta Hot Springs Road and Winchester  
Murrieta, California

Due to space restriction class size is limited

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Great 'letter-cuisine' rests on the mastery of seemingly simple preparations and techniques that determine the quality of the final product. The most crucial of these is papers, gouache, writing tools and equipment. While learning/reviewing ITALIC letterforms we will focus on developing a 'calligraphic palate' that can discern balance and subtleties. Your heightened calligraphic visual awareness of these concepts will be achieved via calligraphic exercises, discussions and critiques, homework and a final project.

Crucial components are:

- Posture
- Margins
- Ruling
- Spacing
- Nib, preparation and honing
- Mixing
- Design
- Layout

*Next course:* **Eat Your Veggies: Monoline Romans**

For class questions, registration, supply and material list contact: r!sa

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*Could we ever know each other without the arts?*