

Hanadayori 25.List.1

Artist	Request	Requester
Sandra Cottee	I would like to see an Ikebana arrangement using only Australian flora.	Belinda, Australia
Kim Ta	I would like to see an Ikebana with the theme "open your heart". I have a small altar in a meditation room in my house. I like to place flowers on this altar and often feel an opening of my heart from the beauty of the flowers. I would love to see a beautiful Ikebana creation that expresses this opening through beauty.	Kellie, Australia
Wienczyslawa Sato	Hi, My name is rida. Currently I am living in Japan. I would like to see Ikebana arrangements that authentically represent Japanese culture and winter aesthetics. Ikebana : representation of Japanese winters.	Rida, Pakistan
Do-Quyen Phan	The making of washi paper and its uses has always intrigued me. And, as it is another art form perfected in Japan, I would like to see washi paper somehow used in Ikebana arrangements.	Andrea, USA
Louise Worner	After a long time of hoping, a child has finally come to us. Each day of my pregnancy is filled with excitement and anticipation as I watch the changes in my body and look forward to the day our baby is born. "A New Family Member"なかなか授からなかった子供がやっと私達のもとに来てくれて、毎日体の変化に驚きながら産まれてくる日をワクワクドキドキしながら妊婦生活を送っています。「新しい家族」	Kanae, Japan
Elizabeth ZIELINSKA	I would like to see an Ikebana arrangement for my brother who grows beautiful scented roses and hydrangeas in his garden	Claire, Australia
Birgitta Lönnerberg	I've lived Ikebana since I was a child. My mother loved flower arranging and learned Ikebana for a time. I am always fascinated by the combinations of plants that are used in these arrangements and the shapes that make up the compositions. I'm really interested to see how Ikebana has been appropriated by different cultures and creatively use local ingredients to make the arrangements.	Carol, Australia
Sandra Marker	Ikebana that illustrates flow, calm & peace with a little touch of kinmokusei or other small orange flowers.  After living in 4 different counties in the past 10 years, I have settled down in Australia as my home. Hope this Ikebana piece will remind me to appreciate a slower pace of lifestyle, but with a bit of excitements to look forward to.  Thank you for considering my request in advance.	Stephanie, Australia
Irina Korol Latorre	I'd like to see an Ikebana arrangement using fresh and dried autumn materials in a tsubo container please.	Karen, Australia
Svetlana Mishina	After watching some Ikebana battles at the Melbourne Ikebana Festival, I have seen the stacking of vases, which gives the Ikebana a sense of wonder and excitement, so my request is for an Ikebana where the are 2 or even more vases stacked.	Sue, Australia
Chinara Munduzbaeva	My aunt will be 100 years old in June- she lives in New Zealand... please make her an arrangement to celebrate her significant birthday using some NZ flax ...	Peter, Australia
Nguyen Thanh hien	I would like to see an arrangement that explores the essence of the Argentinean dance tango. An arrangement that explores the frame, the shape, the connection, the embrace of tango.	Julie, Australia
Riyu Iguchi	I would love to see a beautiful but looks like haunted Ikebana. I love spooky and scary things so much since when I was little. I often see many beautiful Ikebana or flower arrangements but never seen beautiful BUT spooky or gothic style Ikebana. I am very looking forward to see one. Thank you.  子供の頃から怪談や妖怪伝説などの怖い話が大好きでした。 お花はとても綺麗なので、普段は明るいイメージですがぜひこの機会に美しいけどどこか怖い、怪談などをイメージした生け花が見てみたいです。	Kiko, Australia
Tatjana Felberg	I'd like to see something related to the planets representing the Solar System in Ikebana. Imagine an Ikebana for the Earth, another one for Mars, Jupiter, etc. That's my idea for you! Thank you!	Marcella, USA

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Midori Yamaguchi	<p>Ikebana with more than 3 materials or with multiple containers. There is sadly increasing intolerance and division in the world and using ikebana to send a message of acceptance and embracing diversity in all forms (races, cultures, genders, nationalities and orientations) is a small way that ikebana can try to address this and encourage greater love, peace, harmony and understanding in the world.</p> <p>3種類以上の花材、または複数の花器を使いたいけばな。</p> <p>世界では残念ながら不寛容や分断が広がりつつあります。いけばなを通して、人種、文化、性別、国籍、性的指向など、あらゆるかたちの多様性を受け入れ、尊重するというメッセージを発信することは、いけばながこの問題に向き合い、世界にもっと愛と平和、調和、そして理解を広げていくための小さな一歩となるかもしれません。</p>	Alexander, Australia
Noriko Wakai	<p>As a new student in Japan, I'd love to see an ikebana that blends Japanese aesthetics with elements from my home culture. For example, including flowers or colors that represent both Japanese traditions and my home culture would make it feel personal and meaningful. 日本での新しい留学生として、日本の美意識と自分の母国（台湾）の文化を融合させたいけばなを見てみたいと思っています。たとえば、日本の伝統を感じさせる要素と、母国を象徴する花や色を組み合わせることで、より個人的で意味のある作品になると思います。</p>	Jun-qi, Taiwan
Eiko Hamasaki	I would like an ikebana that shows “The beauty of aging” 「老いることの美しさ」を表す作品をリクエストします。	Ann-Maree, Australia
Oshun Tsukagoshi	I'd really like to see something that captures the spirit of the 21st century while reflecting the strong connection between Japan and Australia. 21世紀の精神を表現しながら、日本とオーストラリアの強い絆を映し出すような作品をぜひ見たいです。	Alexander, Australia
Shoka Healey	I would like an ikebana that would look nice in a room used for meditation and mindfulness practice. Thank You.	Sarah, USA
Shokiku Thode	I would like to see an ikebana that captures the essence of water or sea life.	Vega, Australia