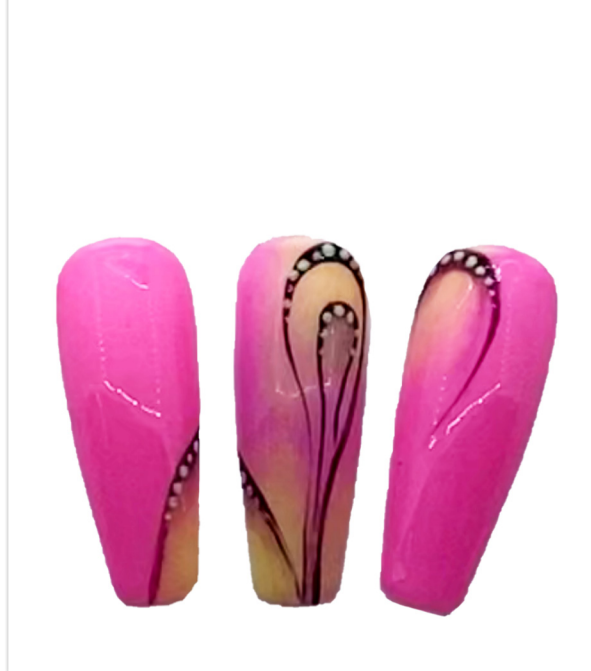


FREE STYLE nail art PINK PAISLEY



Lisa Boone



Lisa Boone has over 20 years' experience in the nail industry. The wide berth of knowledge she's accrued has taken her from behind the chair, to the competition circuit and researching innovative products to assisting technicians in their quest to create better products and services in the salon.

Lisa began her career as a nail tech in Chicago in one of its first nail-only salons and soon became the award-winning hands behind Tom Holcomb's world champion nails. After traveling the competition circuit for over 15 years, she became intrigued with developing winning formulations and cultivated a love for researching new and improved products for the industry.

Playing a crucial role in the R&D of new formulations for various industry manufacturers, Lisa has since won awards for both packaging and new product development in the beauty industry. As well as being credited for best new product awards by industry professionals and magazines across the globe.

Lisa has judged for the 2nd World Championships, is a staple on the global judging circuit for Nailympia Competitions worldwide and can be seen all over the world as an international educator.



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WHAT YOU NEED
Two pastel colors of LED/UV gel polish such as pink and yellow. Fine point nail art brush. Black and white acrylic paint. Dotting tool. UV/LED top gel.

GETTING PREPARED
Set your table with only the materials you will be using. UV/LED gel polish and curing lamp, your glass art palette should be on the table.

CREATE THE BASE OF THE DESIGN



1 Apply 1 coat of pastel UV/LED gel polish color and cure. Repeat for second coat.



2 Use a gel brush to apply an iridescent UV/LED gel color fading down from the cuticle area.



3 Use a gel brush to apply an iridescent UV/LED gel color fading up from the free edge. Cure.

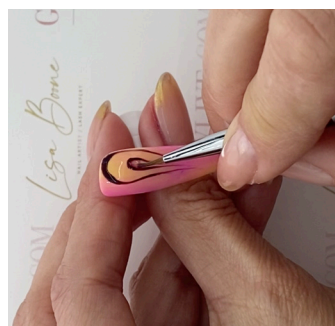
CREATE THE DESIGN



4 Take a detailer art brush. Use black UV/LED gel polish to create an abstract horseshoe shape with thicker lines at the cuticle and thinner towards the free edge.



5 Mimic the design smaller inside the horseshoe shape and fade the line towards the center.



6 Using a dry nail art brush use the tip to lightly shadow the black lines. Dry brush the edge of the black line down to create a shadow effect.

ADDING THE DETAILS



7 Mimic this design on other areas of the nail. Cure.



8 Use a dotting tool and apply small white dots on the thicker black lines. Space them as equally as possible to create harmony in the design. Cure.



9 Apply LED/UV gel top coat, cure.



10 For that little extra, use the small dotting tool end and dip in UV/LED white paint and apply small white dots on the thinner lines of the design. Cure.



11 Apply LED/UV gel top coat, cure and cleanse.



12 Enjoy the final look.