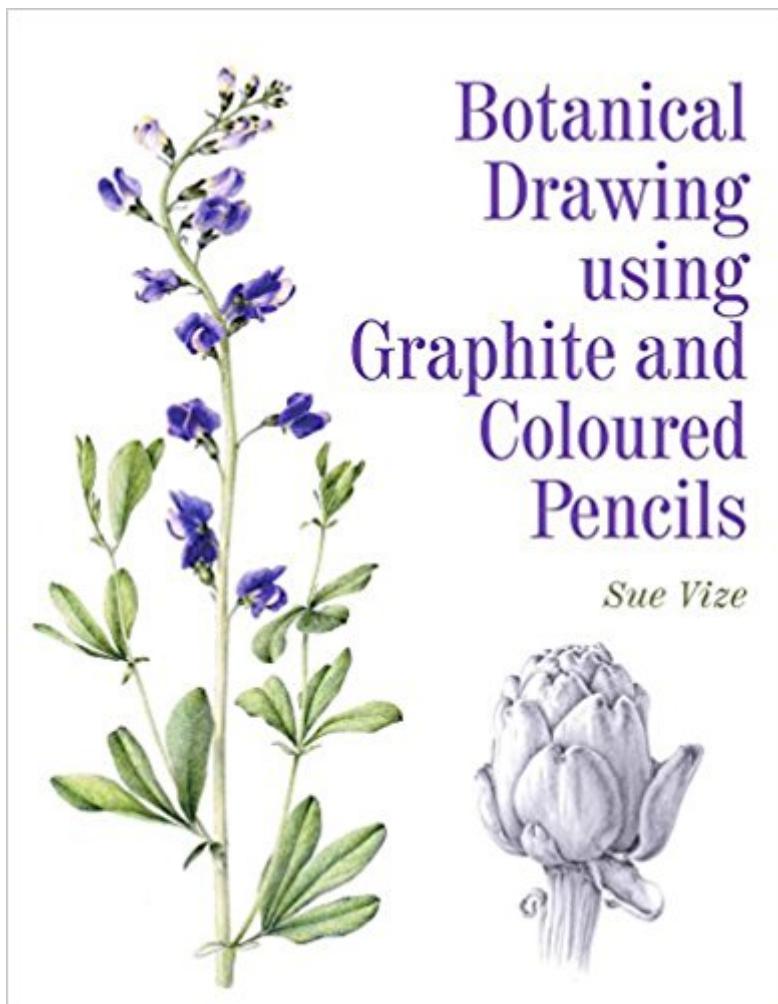


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# Botanical Drawing Using Graphite And Coloured Pencils



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Sue Vize is an experienced artist and tutor of botanical illustration. Her work is held by RHS Lindley Library, Nottingham University Plant Sciences Division, and Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation in Pennsylvania. Sue is a member of both the English and American Societies of Botanical Artists.

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