

# It's Your World

*Creating Calm  
Spaces and Places  
with*

*Bob Ross*



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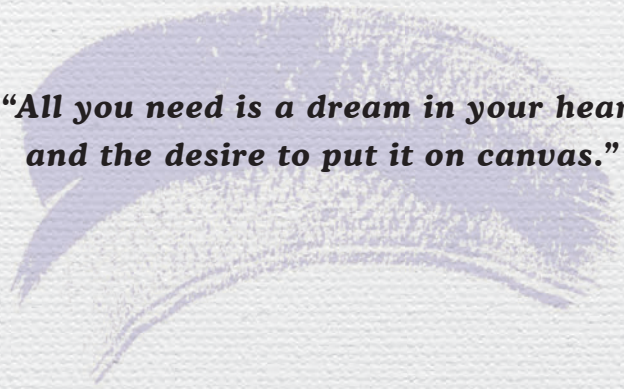
***“This is your world right here,  
and there’s no right or wrong.  
As long as it makes you happy  
and it doesn’t hurt anybody else,  
then it’s fantastic.”***

**B**ob Ross showed us, every week, how to live both within and without limits. Though constrained by the four edges of a blank canvas and a twenty-six-minute program runtime, Bob’s limitless imagination created a legion of unique landscapes that reflected his interests, values, and worldview.

Every room can be seen as a blank canvas upon which to place your limitless imagination. And each room also comes with its own constraints that limit the spaces and world that you create.



Ross



***“All you need is a dream in your heart  
and the desire to put it on canvas.”***

## **Your home is your world.**

This is true whether you rent or own; whether your house is surrounded by rolling verdant hills or nestled among tree-shaded woods; whether your windows look out onto bustling city pavements or expansive crop-stripped farms or you have a basement-eye-view of a cobblestoned-street in a historic town; whether your home overlooks sparkling sunny river views, windswept sandy shores, suburban lanes, interstate highways, or cul-de-sacs. We've all heard the phrase “location, location, location” as the driving force in real estate. The truth is that wherever you are, your home should welcome you and those you love.

As much as your home houses unlimited creative potential, it's important to recognize and appreciate the limits you're operating within. Creating meaningful, comfortable spaces begins by exploring what matters to you and the boundaries of your canvas. Are you a renter who must abide by your landlord's rules, or do you own your home (but still need to adhere to an HOA or board)? Do you live alone, or do you share common rooms or spaces? Are your rooms oddly shaped? Do you have to adapt or transform a space to your unique or personal needs? Are there things you need to work from home?

# BRAVERY TEST

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***“Let’s get crazy, what the heck!”***

Just for fun, use this page to list the spaces you’d work on if you had no limitations.

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