

A Review of Greg and Tim Hildebrandt, the Tolkien Years

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I really enjoyed reading through this book of art from all of Greg and Tim Hildebrandt's Tolkien Calenders. Inside you will find Gollum, Tom Bombadil, the Nazgul (ring-wraiths), Gandalf, Hobbits, amazing landscapes, and more, all rendered in amazing detail in acrylic paints. The pictures are beautiful, and Greg and Tim Hildebrandt's skill is amazing. I'd like to be able to paint like that!

Throughout the book are comments and stories about each painting by Gregory Hildebrandt Jr. When he was young, he was asked to pose for many of the paintings and gives a good bit of insight into how he father and uncle painted.

I really enjoyed Greg and Tim Hildebrandt, the Tolkien Years, and I am looking for more of their art!