2016 Color of the year

Description

In 2016, you'll probably be seeing a lot of these Â two colors, namely **Rose Quartz** and **Serenity** in Â various places throughout. Be it on new furniture, Â new paint job, new clothes and shoes, makeup Â and many more that have to do with the latest Â trends. Why? Because these two lovely **of the Year for 2016**.

For digital scrapbookers, color themes are a common thing.

In Paintshop Pro, you can use these Â colors by entering Â the following hex values: Rose Quartz is **#F6CAC9** and Serenity is **#91A7D0**. Now Â it should be easy to customize your own color palette with these colors.

According to Pantone, â??Whether in soft or hard surface material, the Â pairing of Rose Quartz and Serenity brings calm and relaxation. Â Appealing in all finishes, matte, metallic and glossy, the engaging Â combo joins easily with other mid-tones including greens and purples, Â rich browns, and all shades of yellow and pink. Add in silver or hot Â brights for more splash and sparkle.â?•

There is so much you can do starting with those two colors! Create some gradients. Find some complimentary colors, or a set of monochromatic ones. Create soft color papers and accent with more
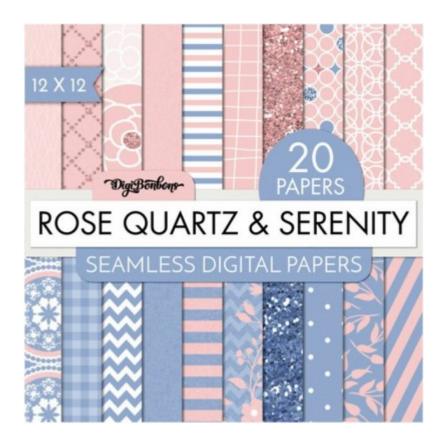
vibrant elements.

They also suggested colors palettes that I think would be greatÂ to use in digital scrapbooking layouts and kits. Even though each of those palette does include both colors, you can see how the palettes are very different from one another.

Because the colors, rose quartz and serenity, are versatile, youÂ can easily create elements, backgrounds, and patterns inÂ Paintshop Pro. In fact, it would be a great idea to start your firstÂ digital

scrapbook layout for 2016 using these! Are you up to the challenge?

I previously posted a blog on 4 common paper patterns. YouÂ can use that as a guide and substitute the colors with the hexÂ values, **#F6CAC9** and **#91A7D0** for Rose Quartz and SerenityÂ respectively, and youâ??ll have your very own Color of the YearÂ papers! You can use a variety of scripts and one of the palettes above to quickly generate an array of seamless tiles with those colors!

Here is anÂ example of digital papers using those 2016 ColorÂ of the Year scrapbook pages (this is the only paper set IÂ found using exactly those colors, but if you find more, mention themÂ in the comments and I can add more resources):

As spring will be upon us soon enough, these colors are also perfect for the upcoming season.Â Do you like the colors, **Rose Quartz** and **Serenity**? What do you plan to make with theseÂ delightful color combos? Do share your thoughts in the comments below.

For more information on the Pantone color of the year (and if you need to order anything from Pantone), check this out.

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