

Petroglyphs, the intriguing rock carvings found throughout the Nordic countries, date from the Bronze Age (1800 to 500 B.C.) The glyphs are pictures that tell a story, often marking important events and cultural information. Boats and rituals are frequent subjects.

Sarpsborg Pullover
50517 \$379

Sarpsborg Cardigan
50518 \$429



In 2016, Sarpsborg, **Norway** will celebrate the 1000th anniversary of its founding! Since it lies in an area of southeastern Norway that has many petroglyphs, designer/resident Marry Raadhil and manufacturer Dale of Norway have teamed up to create a sweater that pays homage to its ancient past. Even the petroglyph pewter clasps were specially designed. 100% wool, made in Norway. XS – 3X



Sarpsborg Headband
(one size)
51654 \$45

Denmark's Katja Bie tells stories of her Nordic roots through her exquisite textile designs. These very special pieces are made using rich colors screened onto beautiful scarves and ties of silk. Each article includes a story explaining its symbols.

Red Rune Tie 53122 \$65

Blue Rune Tie 3¾ x 58" 53121 \$65

Blue Rune Scarf with Coin Motif 20 x 61" 53120 \$75

Black Petroglyph Scarf 11½ x 56" 53118 \$55



Artist Heidi Lange uses the rock carvings of her Swedish homeland and Viking era designs to inspire her wonderful batik cotton prints. **Framed Viking Batik** 11½" 53460 \$48

The wonderful **Oak Wisdom Blanket**, designed by Minnesotan Lauri Jacobi, pays tribute to an old Swedish folk belief in the "guardian tree" that protected each farmstead. Woven of soft 100% wool by Pendleton, it also incorporates ancient Celtic symbols. USA 54x72" 52402 \$230





The essence of Viking-ness is captured in these finely crafted miniature glass pieces. Each is molded, etched and painted by hand. From Mats Jonasson Målerås in Sweden.

Viking Glass Block 2½ x 3" 53013 \$75
Viking Ship Glass Block 2 x 3" 42956 \$100

Odin

was the powerful father of the gods in Norse mythology. His ravens Huginn ("thought") and Muninn ("memory") flew throughout the world each day, returning with news for him about everything they saw and heard. Hand-carved in Norway by the Henning Workshop. 9" 22698 \$245



Rune Alphabet Wall-hanging

lists definitions of the ancient characters of Scandinavia. Acrylic,USA 10x28" 52487 \$14



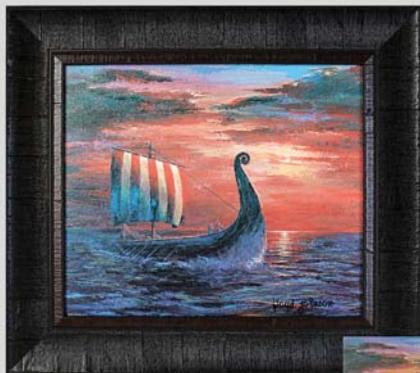
Sigvat Designs' **Rune Pendants** are made in the US of enameled pewter.

Each rune represents a meaningful concept, making it a most thoughtful gift.

The ¾" runes are \$12.50 each; leather cords \$10 each.

Gebo (Harmony) 3706
Raiho (Journey) 3704
Kaunaz (Creativity) 3705
Black Leather Cord 17" 52140 22" 52145

Runes first appeared around 150 AD and were commonly used up through the late Medieval period. Each rune had a meaning, and as such they were used in ritual and divination probably long before they evolved into use as an alphabet. They were usually carved in wood and bone, written on animal skins, or carved in stone to memorialize deaths and events. Runes were an opportunity for wordplay and storytelling, a chance to express a sense of fun when writing.



The strikingly beautiful **Final Light at Sea** was painted by Minnesota/Nevada artist Floyd Johnson. The print's Deco process gives it the look and feel of an oil painting; no glass is needed. It's complemented well by a rustic, wood-like frame.

Framed Deco Print 17½ x 15½" 43956 \$85
Notecard 4½ x 6" 53480 \$3 each



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Mama with Rolling Pin 4½" 50211 \$34
Boy with Mace 3½" 46224 \$24
Papa with Mace 4½" 50210 \$34
Girl with Pike 3½" 46225 \$24

