Digital Photography

Instructions

1. 1

   Double click on Adobe Photoshop from your desktop or click on it from your Start Menu in Windows.

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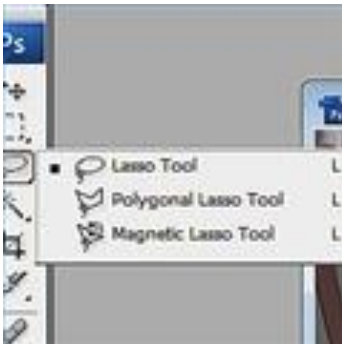

   The image starts out with my daughter in a basket of toys.

   Click File > Open

3. 3

   Select the file and click ok.

4. 4

   Select the Magnetic Lasso tool from your tool bar as seen in the picture here.

5. 5

   Click once on the photo and drag an outline around the item you want to stand out in color. You will notice that the computer tries to snap to edges for you. If you

prefer a more freehand approach you can deselect a selection using CTRL-D and going back and selecting the lasso tool or the Lasso shape tool.

6. 6

Now that you have an area highlighted, lets reverse the selection to remove the color from that area and keep our selection intact. To do this select the inverse, by going to select in the tool menu at the top of the window and choosing inverse as seen in the picture here.

7. 7

Next go to Image > Adjustments > Desaturate

This will remove color information from the area that is now selected. This should be the opposite area of the original selection from above.

8. 8

Finally a colorful example of fun! Save your File with a new name so you don't loose the original graphic. Go to File > Save As