More Comic Book Art in Photoshop

There are two images to edit this time. And then we'll combine them.

Piano image

- 1. Layer > Duplicate Layer > call the new layer Lines > OK
- 2. Filter > Filter Gallery > open the <u>Artistic section</u> > choose Poster Edges
- 3. Change the sliders on the right so they read 2 3 2 > OK
- 4. Image > Adjustments > Threshold (about half way down the list)
- 5. Reduce the **<u>Threshold value</u>** to <u>30</u> > OK
- 6. Filter > Stylise > Oil Paint
- At the <u>bottom</u>, set the <u>Shine slider</u> to 0 > OK
- 8. IMPORTANT: click back on the **Background layer** in the layer stack
- 9. Click Layer > Duplicate Layer > call the new layer <u>Colours</u> > OK
- 10. Click Filter > Filter Gallery > Poster Edges stick with 2 3 2 this time
- 11. IMPORTANT: click back on the Lines layer
- Use the drop down box that says <u>Normal</u>
 <u>above</u> the Lines layer > change the setting to Multiply



- Layer > New Adjustment Layer > Vibrance > click OK when the pop up box appears
- 14. Decrease the Vibrance slider to about -50
- 15. <u>Decrease</u> the Saturation a bit as well we're looking for a grimey, desaturated background image
- 16. VERY IMPORTANT: Click Layer > Merge Visible
- 17. File > Save As > save your work WITH A NEW NAME

Edit the Fire Drill image

- Crop the image down to get rid of most of the background. This will make it easier to work with the image later
- VERY IMPORTANT: In the Layer stack find the lock. Double click it > click OK
- 20. On the <u>left toolbar</u>, find the Object Selection
 Tool. <u>Click and hold</u> and pick up the Quick
 Selection Tool
- 21. Use this to select the background
- 22. Hit the **Delete button** on the keyboard to remove the background
- 23. Layer > Duplicate Layer > call the new layer Lines > OK
- 24. Filter > Filter Gallery > <u>Artistic section</u> > Poster Edges > 2 3 2 > OK
- 25. Image > Adjustments > Threshold > set to 30 > OK
- 26. Filter > Stylise > Oil Paint
- 27. IMPORTANT: click back on the Background layer in the layer stack
- 28. Click Layer > Duplicate Layer > call the new layer Colours > OK
- 29. Click Filter > Filter Gallery > Poster Edges use 0 0 4 this time check the face to see if looks OK
- 30. IMPORTANT: click back on the Lines layer
- 31. Set the drop down box to Multiply
- 32. Layer > New Adjustment Layer > Vibrance > OK. Increase both sliders
- 33. VERY IMPORTANT: Click Layer > Merge Visible
- 34. File > Save As > save your work WITH A NEW NAME

Combine the Images

- 35. VERY IMPORTANT: On the Fire Drill image: Select > Deselect
- 36. Then Select > All and then Edit > Copy
- 37. Switch to the **<u>Piano image</u>**. Edit > Paste. Use the <u>Move Tool</u> to move the image
- 38. Layer > Layer Style > Outer Glow
- 39. Set the Size slider to about 50px. Set the Spread slider to about 25%



