Annihilator marble shoulder pads & chain mail armour

Step-by-step

Paints required:

Marble shoulder pads
- Buff (Vallejo mc)
- Administratum grey
- White
- Incubi darkness

Chain mail
- Corvus black
- Basic skin tone
- White
- Abaddon black

Before we start painting the miniature, we locate the light reflections on the shoulder pads & chain mail by taking a picture of it under our desklamp. I have primed the miniature in Chaos Black as it has a great shine to it, wich makes it easier to locate the different light reflections. I have added a guide for how to locate light reflections in the post description.

We start by basecoating the shoulder pads with a 3:1 mix of buff & administratum grey.

We now glaze in the frame of the light reflections by adding 1 part more of buff to the basecoat mix — add 2-3 parts of water.

We now add a ½ part of white to the previous mix & glaze towards the middle of the light reflections.

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We now edge highlight the shoulder pads with a 2:1 mix of buff & white – add 1-2 parts of w ater.

We now paint the areas surrounding the marble shoulder pad with abaddon black. Now its done ☺ !

We now work on the chain mail — we basecoat it with corvus black.

We now glaze the frame of the light reflections on the chain mail by adding a ½ part of basic skin tone to the basecoat mix — add 2-3 parts of water.

We now glaze towards the middle of the light reflections by adding 1 full part of basic skin tone to the previous mix .

We now add a ½ part of white to the previous mix & glaze the middle of the light reflections. We furthermore edge highlight the remaining areas with a 1:2 mix of incubi darkness & administratum grey.

We now glaze the very middle of the light reflections with pure white – we furthermore add a dot of white on the very lower edge of the chain mail. Done ☺ !