

Helen Beacham – Bio/ Home Page - Watercolor Painter of Elegant Tranquility

"I am drawn to all things old." So says Helen, who owns an old home with sloping floors, travels to Italy where the history and culture ooze their age gracefully, and who paints what resonates with her soul.

Helen was born in Montreal, Canada (one of the most European, and oldest, cities in N. America). After living in Memphis, TN for many years, she and her husband of 34 years adopted Summerville, SC (right outside Charleston) as their home, where she now maintains her studio.

Called the "Watercolor Painter of Elegant Tranquility", Beacham's painting and teaching careers span 30 years. She's headed back to Paris & Venice with painting students in April 2016 for another adventure of a lifetime. Her award-winning work is in many private and corporate collections throughout the U.S., Canada, England, Kuwait, Australia, Italy and other countries.

SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2013 - Lowcountry Artists Gallery "30 Paintings in 30 Days"
2011 – Indigo Fine Art Gallery "The Essence of Vapor"
2011 – Art Central Gallery "Floral Delights"
2010 – Waterfront Art Gallery "Layered Transparency"
2009 – Waterfront Art Gallery "Ode to the Tree"
2008 – Charleston Artist Guild Gallery "Barefoot Series"

SELECT GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2015 - "Masterpieces in Miniature" (Mary Martin Gallery of Fine Art)

2015 - Signature Exhibition (Charleston Artist Guild)
2014 - Gibbes Museum
2014 - "4 Shades of Red" - Lowcountry Artists Gallery
2013 - Artfields, Lake City, SC
2012 - Bernie Horton Gallery
2011 - S. Carolina Watermedia Society – at City Gallery
2010 - Robert Lange Studios – "Women Painting Women"
2010 - Piccolo Spoleto Juried Show – Visitor's Center, Charleston, SC
2009 - ION Group Exhibition

AWARDS

2014 - Piccolo Spoleto (Merit Award) "Backlit Moment"
2014 - Charleston Artist Guild Signature Exhibition (Award of Interest) "Sweet Balm"
2014 - Charleston Artist Guild Member Exhibition (2nd Place) "Watching"
2012 – Art Central Gallery (People's Choice Award) "Lowcountry Magic"
2012 – Charleston Artist Guild Member Exhibition (Hon. Mention) "The Thicket"
2011 – Charleston Artist Guild Member Exhibition (Hon. Mention) "Live Oak Canopy"
2010 – Wet Canvas (2nd Place, Landscape) "Mepkin View III"
2009 – ION Group Exhibition (First Place) "Not on Edge"
2008 – Artist's Network (Creativity Award) "Jubilation"
2008 – Art Central Gallery (People's Choice Award) "What Should I Do?"

REPRESENTED BY:

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Samples of Helen's Ocean Art

