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Susan Dunklau- Water Colors

As a resident of northern California, I am fortunate to live in a gorgeous, mountainous area with beautiful lakes and many trails. Inspiration for my paintings comes from nature and I often take walks with my camera in hand.

I am a graduate of California State University, Long Beach, with a degree in art. Early in my career, I had the opportunity to teach art at the junior high level for several years. During the past twenty years I have primarily used watercolor as my medium of expression. I prefer this medium because of the challenges it presents to the artist.

Over a period of time I have been fortunate to study with Pat Kurtz, Joyce Law, Debbie Groesser, Adele Earnshaw, Pauline Eaton, Joe Garcia, Susan Bourdet, Joyce Faulkner and Bill Peters. I've been a contributing artist for several years at Art Around the Lake in Lake Almanor, and Art in the Garden in Susanville. My work is also shown at Valley Art Gallery Co-op in Salinas, California.

While my favorite medium is watercolor, I also enjoy sculpture and pen and ink. Many times I use my photographs for compositions.

My special love is to sketch and paint fresh flowers..... I was once told that a bee tried to pollinate one of my brightly colored flowers ☺