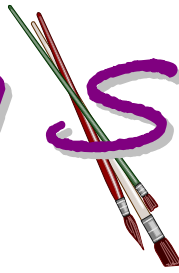




Brush Strokes



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Another Big Success Story for Art Exhibit

September 2 drew a big crowd of guests for the 6th annual Wonderful World of Watercolor art show. It was held at Fountain City Art Center in Knoxville, Tennessee, and the exhibit had 35 original paintings by the following artists:

Patty Barlow
Jo Marie Brotherton
Crystal Conger
JoAnn Cooper
Rebecca Crossland
Betty Crowe
Ruth DeBus
Kathy Dutt
JoAnn Seipel-Finchum
Susan Hale
Christine Harness
Julia Malia
Sue Messer
Terri Parsons
Pam Radford
Penny Reasor
Sandy White
Lois Wiser

Mary Baumgartner, Instructor, also designed and printed the program which included the names of the paintings and the price or NFS if they were not being sold.

The painting on the front of the program was one of Mary's and also appeared on the invitation which all the artists received and were encouraged to pass out or mail to people they wanted to attend the exhibit.

This was the most professional opening ever, and many comments were made by the visitors as well as the Director of the Fountain City Art Center. Congratulations everyone!

A COUPLE OF THE PAINTINGS EXHIBITED



The important aspects of determining what is ready for an exhibit remain: Originality/creativity, artistic ability, overall quality of execution, composition, subject matter, appeal and impact, and finally, presentation. Keep these in mind while painting your next work.