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Judith Campanaro

Creative arts therapist, award-winning artist, art educator, art curricula designer, and author of two books: *Art for the Soul, the Healing Magic of Creativity* and *The Journey of Me, An Adventure in Self Discovery*.

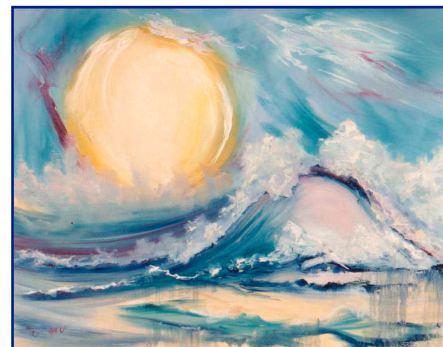
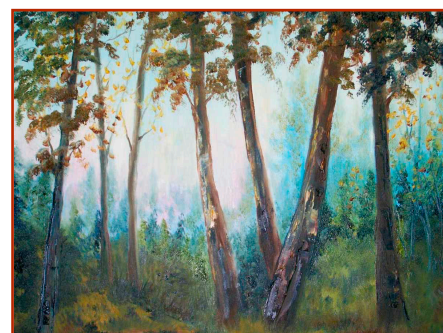
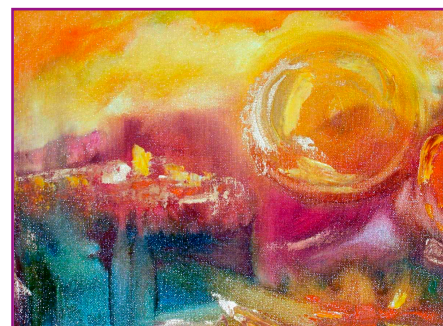
Judith lives in sunny California.

Judith Campanaro was born and raised in California. At an early age, she recognized art as her life path.

From 1976-1986, Judith owned and operated The Hobbit School of Art in Ventura, California, where she taught both children and adults.

An art therapist by trade, Judith holds a BA in Psychology, an MA in Professional Counseling and a Certificate of Advanced Graduate Studies in Art Therapy.

She is an award winning artist, author of *Art for the Soul, the Healing Magic of Creativity* and *The Journey of Me, An Adventure in Self Discovery*.



In addition to teaching, Judith has had many solo shows both in the United States and the Caribbean. Her paintings are also included in numerous public and private collections.

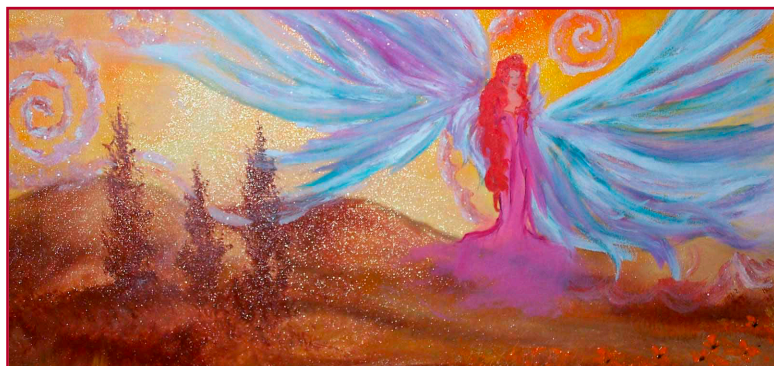
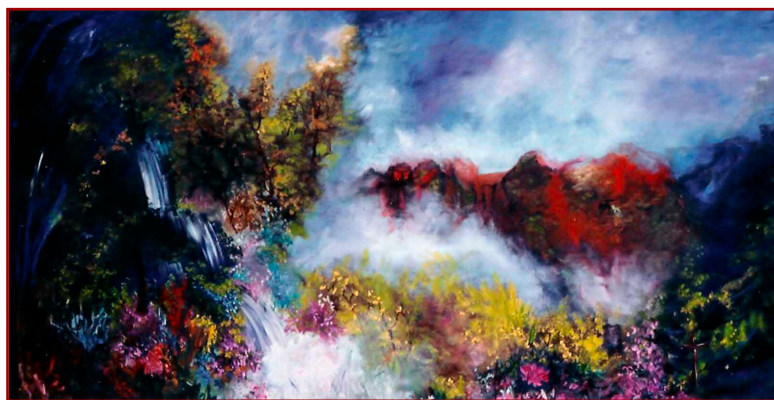
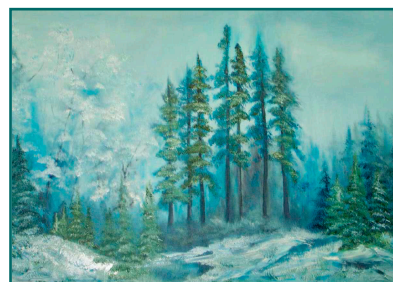
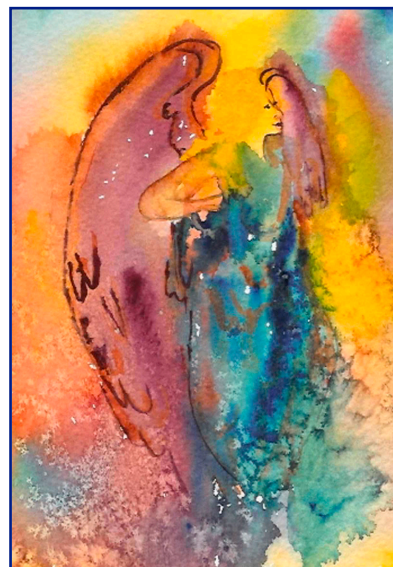
My Mission Statement is *To Facilitate Empowerment through Creative Expression.*

My life is the expression of myself in my art. Painting and teaching are my passion.

My current objective is to be true to who I really am as an artist, teacher and art therapist.

Inspired by the work of Wassily Kandinsky, the soft gentle impressionism of Claude Monet, and the bright vividness of Georgia O'Keefe, I strive to explore both cultural and personal expressions.

My goal is to provide through my personal work an unselfconscious language that helps one look a little closer at the world around us.



TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- Creative Arts Therapist for Child Haven, Seattle, Washington
- Art Instructor for Parks and Recreation, Mill Creek, Washington
- Art Instructor for VSA (Very Special Arts) Reno, Nevada
- Adjunct professor for Ottawa University, Phoenix, Arizona
- Former Owner of the Hobbit School of Art, Ventura, California

ABOUT MY COURSES:

It is my personal belief that art in any form whether it be viewing, teaching, or creating, is food for the soul. Creativity is and has always been an excellent path to self discovery and personal growth.

As an art therapist, it is my desire to aid my students in finding their own voice.

Whether you are experiencing a creative block, need an outlet for stress management or just plain want to relax and have fun the creative process can and does provide solace for whatever need you might bring to the table.

My courses are designed to help you as the student find ways and means of self expression.

The lesson plans are non-threatening. There is no right or wrong way to achieve them. The work is in the process and through the process the completed assignment becomes the product.

It is an amazing journey and one which will never cease to surprise you. It is a journey of self discovery through exploration of the creative process.

You can find out more about Judith and her art at:

<http://www.judithcampanaro.com>

