

I live in Albuquerque with my husband and two teenage children (and several furry children as well). I have been painting and drawing on and off for the last couple of years, as time allows. I enjoy the sensory experience that is creating art: the scratch of charcoal moving across paper, the softness of a brush against my hand, the smell of wet paint, watching watercolors spread and mix and interact. Art has helped me learn to go with the flow, to loosen up, and to welcome the experience rather than worry about a specific outcome. In my work, I strive to capture the magic of the world that can so easily go overlooked. It is my hope that viewers of my work take with them a sense of wonderment and curiosity about the world around them.

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