

Donna Pierce-Clark

Donna works mainly in watercolor and acrylics in her studio, and also enjoys painting in oils “en plein air.” Early in her high school career, when experimenting with saturated watercolor paper, and black India Ink, she enjoyed the feeling of freedom as the ink ran across the paper as if it had a mind of its own. Her present water-media paintings have retained this freedom to this day; as most of her work is extemporaneous and expressionistic. While growing up in Cincinnati, Donna loved exploring the many hills, meadows, and wooded areas of southern Ohio. Visits up and down the Atlantic coast, as well as to inland lakes, created within the artist a deep appreciation for the strength and serenity of oceans, rivers, and lakes; inspiring paintings that often depict rocky cliffs, waterfalls, serene beach scenes, boats, lighthouses, and seagulls. As a result of her travels and early artistic experiences, her landscapes many times take on a dream-like/other-worldly sense of place. See her website (www.donnapierceclark.com) for examples of her style. GALLERIES where her work may be seen and/or purchased are: The Cappucino Room, 16 North Main St., Englewood, Ohio; The Steelepoint Gallery, 815 N. Limestone, P.O. Box 87, Springfield, Ohio 45501; and Studio 4, 3 West Columbus Street, Nelsonville, Ohio 45764 and The Poff Gallery in Delaware, Ohio.