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CAROL HAIGH

Carol Haigh was born in Lincolnshire, England in 1953. In 1955 her family immigrated to Canada and settled on Salt spring Island in the Gulf Islands of British Columbia. Carol grew up on the island and was educated at the public school in Ganges.

Carol is a self-taught painter. As a child she had a natural talent for drawing and painting and she has always been inspired to create. She has designed serigraphs, carved in wood and stone and experimented with various methods and mediums in her painting. By 1990 Carol had become most comfortable working with acrylic paint on illustration board and since then she has been consistent in producing her high realism paintings.

Carol has a history of sailing and travelling and although she is best known for her seascapes and sailing images of the west coast, her work has also been influenced by visits to the South Pacific, New Zealand and Australia. Wherever she travels, the ocean is her muse and her love for the sea is apparent in her paintings.

Solo Exhibitions

- 2007 "The Ocean Series", Steffich Fine Art, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 2005 Thunderbird Gallery, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 2001 Naikai Gallery, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 1999 Winchester Galleries, Victoria, BC
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- 1995 Naikai Gallery, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 1994 Naikai Gallery, Salt Spring Island, BC
- 1992 Orcas Gallery, Salt Spring Island, BC

Group Exhibitions

- 2016 Summer Group Show, Ian Tan Gallery, Vancouver, BC Winter Group Show, Ian Tan Gallery, Vancouver, BC
- 2015 Summer Group Show, Ian Tan Gallery, Vancouver, BC Winter Group Show, Ian Tan Gallery, Vancouver, BC
- 2007 Small Works Group Show, Steffich Fine Art, Salt Spring Island, BC

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2003 "On the Edge", Peninsula Gallery, Sidney BC

2002 "10 Salt Spring Realists", Vortex Gallery, Salt Spring Island, BC

1998 Fran Willis Gallery, Victoria, BC