



**Judy Newcomb** was born in Panama, Canal Zone. After living in several states on the east coast, her family relocated to Richmond, Virginia. Judy attended Richmond Professional Institute (Virginia Commonwealth University) where she studied Art Education and Interior Design. After raising three daughters, she began her career in art.

Her early artwork was created with oils and acrylics. Later, however, she became fascinated with the qualities of watercolor and began to focus her attention on the details of realism presented in soft, natural colors. Her career spanned more than forty years working exclusively in transparent water colors.

Known as **The Richmond Artist**, her exquisite realist works of the city's scenes, Virginia universities and paintings capturing the innocence of children have fascinated admirers for years.

Through her talent and success she has been able to support fund raising activities for numerous organizations including Make-A-Wish.

Many of her original watercolor paintings were available only as limited editions with the run size generally limited to six hundred or less. After a successful career owning three art galleries and design centers in Richmond, she decided to retire.

In 2009, selected art work was acquired by Sony Pictures and was highly featured in every episode of the TV production of, **HAWTHORNE**, starring Jada Pinkett Smith.

Not only do her paintings bring pleasure and enjoyment, they are truly an investment to be appreciated.

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