

about the artist...



Marla Wilson

*M*arla Wilson traces her love of nature to her childhood when she would often go for long hikes among the hills behind her family's home in Mountain Park, Alberta. The joy and wonder of those times prompted the development of her artistic talent, enabling her to share the natural treasures that she found during these walks through her exquisitely rendered wildlife and landscape paintings.

A well-schooled artist, Marla started taking art classes at age six. Marla continued her formal art education with sculpture & advanced drawing classes at the University of Alberta.

Marla Wilson's work has received worldwide recognition. Her work is found in private & corporate collections in Japan, Peru, Bahrain, England, Wales, Chile, the United States and Canada. Her painting "Western Prairie" was awarded "Jurors' Choice for Best New Artist" at the 2003 Calgary Stampede Western Art Auction.

While wildlife has traditionally comprised a large portion of Marla's works, she has recently been creating a number of paintings of Western Canadian landscapes. These dynamic images are proving to be very popular amongst collectors of both originals and limited edition works.

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