about the artist...



Maurade Baynton



Distinct use of light, and soft edges, combined with capturing a mood, an emotion, or a moment in time are some of the qualities that distinguish the art of Maurade Baynton.

Her artistic talent was discovered at an early age and she received a summer scholarship to the Banff School of Fine Arts in 1970. She has continued to develop and evolve her style spanning four decades. Her primary medium is in oil, which her junior high school teacher encouraged her to try in 1968.

While focusing her artistic energy on wildlife, domestic animals and people interacting, she tells a story through her own personal experiences with her subjects. Originating from mutual fascination, the first encounter between child and animal often leads to shared friendship and trust. "My passion is to continue portraying the unique bond that children have with the animal world and to capture a fleeting moment of innocence before they grow into adulthood"

Having had a number of sold-out solo and group exhibitions, her works hang in many private and corporate collections across Canada and the United States. Maurade has won awards for her distinctive style and has been commissioned to do many private works for clients all over North America.

She paints full-time in her acreage studio in Sherwood Park Alberta and travels extensively in search of subject matter. She continues to show her work in Galleries and prominent juried art exhibitions.