

## Nine artists join the Depot/Littleton Fine Arts Guild

"Grapes and Apples," a watercolor by Renee Chastant, is exhibited at Depot Arts Center and Gallery. Courtesy photo.

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Artwork by 11 new members who joined the Littleton Fine Arts Guild in 2008 is displayed through Feb. 27 at the Depot Art Center and Gallery in the cozy 1881 red depot at 2069 W. Powers Ave., west of the Buck Recreation Center.

The show includes watercolors, such as Renee Chastant's "Grapes and Apples," photographs, oils and

acrylics and a group of interesting assemblages with Raku ceramic pieces and metal by Renee Ziccardi.



To the left of the entrance, past two more colorful Chastant watercolors, is a group of six black-and-white photographs, in a group Jim Furrer calls "Littleton Nychthemeron," stemming from Greek words for night and day. Back doors, walkways and architectural details can all be found on or near Main Street in Downtown Littleton, he says.

Also included: watercolor landscapes by Deanne Macdonald; small, detailed oil landscapes with West Slope drilling rigs by Galen Cox; oils by Stanley Schwartz; watercolors by Patricia Spelic; nature-related photographs by Lynn Furrer.

And: flowers in watercolor by Michele Bonavia; acrylic landscapes and seascapes by William Powell; pastels, woodcarvings and fiber baskets by a versatile Leslie Gale.

Assorted works, including jewelry, ceramics and appealing note cards by members are in the back two rooms.

Gallery hours; 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesdays through Saturdays. Admission free. 795-0781.

Interested prospective members should contact the Depot.