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For the Love of Cats

After forty years in the computer field, I retired and began painting. Four years ago I started painting cats because I have a love affair with them, from young to old, stray to domestic.

I am drawn to a cat's independent attitude and playfulness and work to capture those characteristics in my art. My art explores and celebrates all cats – realistically, abstractly and whimsically.

Cats present endless possibilities for artistic expression, from a thought-provoking portrait to silly, make-you-laugh-till-you-cry antics. It is the silliness that inspires my whimsical paintings, paintings that can make you smile.

While my art is primarily focused on cats, I also paint dogs, ravens, parrots, bears and other animals as art or on commission. Regardless of the animal I am painting, I attempt to connect with each and every one as it comes to life on my canvas.

It is my hope that each time you see one of my paintings, you will experience the aliveness of the animal through your own eyes.









