



Women Artists of the West

Women's Fine Art in Numerous Subjects & Mediums . . . Across the United States



Susan Carson

Susan Carson is a central Illinois artist who resides with her husband in rural Pekin on 10 acres of woods with a farm pond. Her studio is in Pekin, IL.

Educated at Illinois State University, Normal, IL, with BFA and MS degrees in painting and drawing, she studied with landscape painters, Dr. Harold Gregor and Kenneth Holder, and abstract artist, Ronald Jackson. Influenced most by their guidance in the use of color and paint application, it wasn't until after graduation that she began to explore nonrepresentational work. This work has its roots in the fascination with the drawing marks of preschool children, and in particular, her grandchildren at that age. Painting to classical music, Susan addresses each painting with a hope to duplicate the child's freedom of effort while responding to the line and color she hears from an orchestra.

On October 16 thru November 17, Susan will be showing her equine paintings at the Milner Library Gallery at Lincoln College, Lincoln, IL. Equine painting is another way of expressing her love for the process of moving color and line across the picture plane.