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Artist Bio

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Born in Cleveland Ohio, Robin began drawing and painting at an early age. His first painting instruction from artist Louis Penfield gave him a love for capturing scenes of nature in watercolor. Moving to the Pacific Northwest Robin has traveled on the Kitsap peninsula and surrounding areas painting landscapes.

Artist Statement

As a painter I almost feel as if it is my job to give the viewer a chance, or second look at an unobserved, or overlooked scene that one would not notice at first glance. These glimpses of nature often seen in a flash of light and shadow, out of the corner of your eye are the subjects that fascinate me most. Sometimes there for just a fleeting moment these scenes are jewels to be captured and the challenge is to keep the brilliance intact on canvas or paper. I want my paintings to slow down the viewer to a place where they can contemplate the beauty and divine joy of the commonplace everywhere, not just the most sublime subjects and places.

My medium of choice is watercolor as it seems to lend itself perfectly to the Pacific Northwest. Water, sea, and sky resonate in the dramatic light of late fall and spring. Using wet in wet techniques, I can attempt to render the fluid, ever changing northwest landscape.

Another aspect of my painting is a search for truth and beauty in my art, because I believe that truth and beauty reflect the Creator's heart. Art is more than a vocation, for some I believe it is a calling. By combining imagination, and faith, beautiful art is created that reminds us of his perfection and timelessness. In art we are given a harbinger of eternity.