



Sandra Acosta

About the Artist

Born on January 19, Puerto Rico. Industrial Microbiologist by profession, she is a true art lover and passionate devotee of all its forms and expressions. From early youth, backed by her mother's enthusiasm, Sandra studied art and painting under the direction of Artist and Spanish Educator, Andrés Bueso. Her sensitivity and zeal, did not take long to convey the noble spirit of her soul through her music and paintings. Through the years, and as a hobby, she has invested part of her life to maintain her love affair with painting. Her sensitivity, through her art work, talk to us about her perception of nature, the simplicity of the human heart, to detail, to the special and natural stimulus of the body language. Her colors are a synthesis in motion of everything said performed with great canvas expertise. In some of her works, she accurately presents the truth of her feelings and her life experiences with a special kind of freedom. Her work subjects seek to project a free and personal understanding for all, in and out of the art environment.

Her Work

Her inspiration themes arise from simple and significant moments; a few words, a thought, from nature, from you and me. Acosta accomplishes, in a precise and dynamic form, to project her topics through canvas, through time and place...The subjects, by themselves without a definite pattern, are somewhat free, displaying diverse yet natural motions that speak to us of a series of experiences that accentuate and intense inner spirit reaching out. She excites us through her colors and hues; she beckons the quest for freedom of every being, regardless of time, hour and day... Her technique is diverse and non-restrictive in color, texture, movements and time. Passion and fusion, as well as versatility, are present in every piece.

Exhibitions

- 1996 - "Pasiones"; Instituto de Cultura y Artes Plásticas, San Juan Puerto Rico
(*"Passions"; Fine Arts Cultural Institute of Plastic Arts, San Juan Puerto Rico*)
- 2000 - "Nostalgia"; Caribe Hilton Hotel, San Juan Puerto Rico
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- 2003 - "Voces Del Alma"; Galeria Girasol, Caguas Puerto Rico
(*"Voices of the Soul"; Girasol Gallery, Caguas Puerto Rico*)
- 2004 - "Tango"; Festivino 2004, Guayama, Puerto Rico
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- 2006 - "Caminos"; Galería Cueto, San Juan, Puerto Rico
(*"Ways"; Galería Cueto, San Juan, Puerto Rico*)
- 2007 - "Grapes"; SomArts Cultural Center, San Francisco, CA
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Awards



“ADA”, Angel de Amor, (*“Angel of Love”*)
2nd Winner of the Oncology on Canvas Exhibition
presented in New York Metropolitan Art Institute
and The Royal College of Art, London. Property of
the NY Metropolitan Art Institute, NY, NY



“Cautiva”, (*“Captive”*), Winner of the Mendez & Co.
competition for the new Champagne launching **“ECLIPSE”**
Mendez & Co., San Juan Puerto Rico October 2006

Critics of Arts

- Arnaldo Cueto, - Cueto Gallery, San Juan Puerto Rico
- Antonio Molina, -Prominent Cuban Art Critic and Art Collector
- Jose Perez - Art Collector
- Rafael Torres, (Artist)
- William Nunez, Gallery Owner; Girasol Gallery, Caguas Puerto Rico