Lisa DeBaets

As a part of my ‘Celestial Series’, each painting represents different areas of faith, creation, hope and life while heavenly battles are being fought and won. I hope to create a feeling of wonder and awe as you, the viewer, bring your life experiences into each work of art. They each have many layers of complex and pure color receding and coming forward. I especially enjoy beginning with water-soluble mark making media of various line qualities. Using my favorite brush, I move colored India Ink around on the canvas to create lovely grays. I then add acrylic paint as I respond to what is happening on the surface.

I used to be a storm chaser which involved driving really fast. (Shh don’t tell) Now I only fly by the seat of my pants. I’m inspired by the beauty of God’s creation, my husband’s joyful smile, and the adoration in my little dog’s eyes.

Originally from Indiana, I always expressed myself creatively as a kid. After I got married, I tore apart my silk bridal bouquet to learn how it was put together and began making wedding flowers for my friends. I began working at a flower shop creating fresh/silk floral designs of all kinds. I had never dreamt of painting until I went to a sip n paint in Woodinville, WA and my heart started singing. I am honored to become a juried member of the prestigious Women Painters of Washington, winning awards in many local, and International Exhibitions.

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