

Boswell, Vivian

b. Neosho, Missouri

Residence: USA

Education:

Private instruction in oil painting, beginning at age 12

Associates Degree, Illustration and Design, College of the School of the Ozarks

Numerous painting workshops and courses

Career:

Hallmark Cards, 1966–1968

Freelance and corporate commercial art until 1980

Vice-President Creative Services; Art Director, Brushcreek Creative Co., 1980–1988

One-year sabbatical for landscape painting on the Gulf Coast, 1988–1989

Senior designer and illustrator, Brushcreek Creative Co., 1990–1997

Freelance botanical artist, 1997–

Instructor, private drawing classes, 1998–

Membership:

American Society of Botanical Artists

Missouri Native Plant Society

Medium:

Gouache

Group Exhibition(s):

2nd, 3rd Annual International, Horticultural Society of New York, N.Y., 1999, 2000

Flower Power: Botanical Art, Bruce Museum, Greenwich, Conn., 2000

Watercolor USA, 2001

One-Person Exhibition(s):

American Legacy Gallery, Kansas City, Mo., 2002

Honor(s)/Award(s):

Cash award, *Watercolor USA*, 2001

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Butterfly Weed and Grey Hairstreaks 1999

Gouache 46.5 × 47 cm

Lent by the artist