

ARTIST BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD

Artist name:

Leatherwood, Linda Ann Baumhardt

City and country of birth:

Evanston, USA

Residence:

USA

Education:

Ringling School of Art, Sarasota, Florida: 1966-1968

Studied drawing under Frederick Sweeney, University of South Florida, Tampa: Botany, 1969-1971

Began ink illustration under Dr. Robert W. Long

Career:

Freelance illustrator and oil landscapist

Formerly, Botanical Illustrator, University of South Florida, Herbarium, 1970-71

Commercial artist, and assistant at the University of South Florida Botanical Gardens

Took on private commissions from 1974 to present

Artwork medium:

Ink

Oil

One-Person Exhibition(s):

- University of South Florida, permanent display
- Herbarium, University of South Florida, 1971-1977
- Punta Gorda Library, Punta Gorda, Florida, 1972

Group Exhibition(s):

- Gasparilla Art Festival, Tampa, 1970
- Northwest Fine Arts League, Houston

Honors/Awards:

- Best of Media, Best of Show (oil landscape), Northwest Fine Arts League, 1977

Collections:

University of South Florida Herbarium

Dr. Clinton J. Dawes

Work reproduced in (publications the artist was commissioned to illustrate or works authored by the artist):

- Long, R.W. and Lakela O. *A flora of tropical Florida*. Coral Gables, Florida, University of Miami Press, 1971.
- *Phycologia*, 11 (3/4), 1972.
- Lakela, O. and Long, R.W. *Plants of the Tampa Bay area* (cover illustration), 1970.
- Dawes, C. *Marine algae of the west coast of Florida*. Coral Gables, University of Miami Press, 1974.
- Lakela, O. and Long, R.W. *Ferns of Florida*. Miami, Ranyan Books, 1976.
- Fleming, G., Genelle, P. and Long, R.W. *Wild flowers of Florida*. Miami, Banyan Books, 1976 (title page illustration).
- Dawes, C. *Flora of marine algae of Florida* [in progress].

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