

LINDA KEMP

Linda Kemp is internationally recognized for her unique contemporary watercolors and acrylics and innovative use of negative painting. She is the author of two books, *Watercolor Painting Outside the Lines- A Positive Approach to Negative Painting and Simplifying Design and Color For Artists - Positive Results Using Negative Painting Techniques* (North Light Books) and presenter in numerous instructional internet forums and art videos including *Painting Outside the Lines*, and a series of 6 DVDs, *Negative Painting Techniques*. She is a contributing writer and demonstrator in numerous other books. Her paintings and articles have been featured in publications such as *American Artist*, *Watercolor Magic*, *International Artist*, *Watercolor Artist*, *Watermedia Focus*, *Palette Magazine*, *Acrylic Artist* and *Practique des Arts*.



Kemp is an elected member of the Canadian Society of Painters in Water Colour (awarded Life Membership 2013), the Ontario Society of Artists and the Society of Canadian Artists. This artist is profiled in Canadian Who's Who and Who's Who Canadian Women, the Dictionary of International Biography and the 20th Anniversary Edition of Trivial Pursuit. Her award winning paintings are in private, government and corporate collections around the world, including The Royal Collection, Windsor Castle, U.K. and the private collection of HRH the Prince of Wales.

Linda instructs and lectures at national symposiums and workshops throughout Canada, the United States, the United Kingdom and France. She was the recipient of the 2005 Woman of Distinction Award for Arts and Culture in Niagara and in 2008 received the A.J. Casson Medal for Outstanding Achievement in Water Colour, the top award for The Canadian Society of Painters in Water Colour National Juried Exhibition.