



Salinas Valley Art Association
PO Box 4823, Salinas, CA 93912
June, 2018 Newsletter



Demonstrator for June Meeting
Marie Massey

Marie Massey is an award-winning artist and painting instructor working in oil and acrylic. Over 20 years of painting professionally, Marie has been juried into more than 150 National Shows and plein air painting events where she has sold well and won many awards.

Her work is currently represented by the San Francisco Women Artists Gallery, Art of Santa Cruz gallery, 620 Gallery on Lighthouse in Pacific Grove and Independence Gallery in Loveland, Colorado.

Marie teaches "Painting in Layers" for adults working in oil and acrylic at the Monterey Youth Center. Marie also founded the Central Coast Plein Air Painters on Facebook which offers free membership and organizes group Paint Outs and Exhibitions for member artists.

See her [Central Coast Plein Air Painters Website \(on Facebook\)](#)

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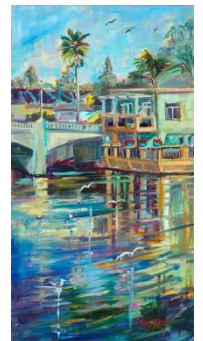
It is time for our extra special meeting. Please plan to come and see a wonderful demonstrator.



Next Meeting – Note the date is different than our usual 3rd Saturday

The June meeting will be on Saturday, June 23, at Petra Bible Church. Meeting starts at 1 pm. Park in the parking lot. Entrance is off the parking lot.

You are welcome to attend the board meeting on the day of the Association Meeting at 11:30 am. Those of you whose name begins with A-N bring refreshments



Featured Artist



Mary Garza

Raised in the Salinas Valley, Mary is a Native American Indian of the Chumash

Tribe. Her passion to paint was so strong, she would use sheetrock as chalk to draw on sidewalks, and an occasional wall. Family, and a career spent as the owner of her own hair salon were early priorities. After attending an art class, she entered her first oil painting in a juried exhibition. The painting was one of 42 entries out of 500 submitted.

She participates in most of the Salinas Valley Art Association functions. And she continues to attend art classes perfecting her gifts and talents.

She is now an internationally known artist and her dreams have been realized.



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