

## **Artist's Profile – Jenni Kelly**

Jenni was born in Kerang Victoria and lived and was educated in Bendigo where her interest in oil painting began viewing the great Australian masters at the Bendigo Regional Art Gallery thus starting a long life love affair of viewing galleries Australia wide.

After marriage and family with husbands work to areas such as Mackay, Isisford, Cardwell, Augathella and Clifton. While living in these isolated areas she continued to do some painting and was a member of The Flying Art School for many years travelling hundreds of kilometers to designated centers.

Jenni is basically self taught and is constantly improving her skills by attending other artists workshops, e.g McGregor Summer Schools Toowoomba, Mitchell Summer School's Bathurst and Clifton Art workshops regularly. Jenni is currently living in Murrumba Downs at North Brisbane.

Jenni achieves a realistic expression in her creative freestyle painting leaving the viewer free to excise their own imagination. These paintings have an appealing sense of colour, freedom and movement with subjects close to nature.

Jenni' also a member of "Nature in the Raw" with works going in exhibitions all over Queensland and in 2004 the Bristol Zoo Gardens in U.K. Jenni's work is continually on display at the Tina COOPER gallery at Eumundi and Arnuvo Gallery at Buderim. [www.artnuvobuderim.com](http://www.artnuvobuderim.com)

21 Pieces of Jenni's paintings are hanging throughout the Holy Spirit Hospital at Chermside Brisbane.