

# ATELIER gallery

## **Daniel A. Knepper**

Originally from Amherst, Ohio, Dan Knepper taught art 1-12 for 26 years in Jackson Center and Botkins, Ohio. He is now a full-time artist living in Jackson Center, Ohio.

Inspired by artist friends Jane Paul Angelhart, and Christopher Leeper, and having studied with Mary Whyte and James Toogood, Dan has become known for his watercolors. His work has won many local, regional, and state competitions. His painting, "Fallen" was a winner in the national Daniel Smith competition and his painting, "Morgan" was a finalist in the Richeson75 international competition, and was recently in the Adirondacks National Exhibition. He has studied oils with friend and mentor Steven Walker and Peter Fiore.

Dan has done demonstrations and spoken for many art groups and is a member of the Western Ohio Watercolor Society, the Ohio Watercolor Society and the Portrait Society of America. His work has allowed him to meet celebrities like The Beach Boys and Arnold Schwarzenegger.

He recently finished a 32' mural for a new school building in Botkins, Ohio and a 5-panel pictorial history of Ferguson Construction in Sidney, Ohio, and is working on a mural for the city of Wapakoneta.

Dan is represented by the Carteret Gallery in Morehead City, North Carolina, the Greenwich House Gallery, Cincinnati, and the Atelier Gallery in Charleston, South Carolina,