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PROFESSIONAL

March 2016 – March 2018

Owned and operated **HAVEN: The Little Shop of Laura's** in Duxbury, MA.

After retiring in 2015, I fulfilled a long-time dream of owning a small, funky shop. Inventory included my own original artwork, painted furniture and wide variety of hand crafted home accessories. I consigned with a number of local artists to include a variety of original jewelry, art, clothing, soaps, home and garden décor. Additionally, I offered in-house and off-site classes & workshops.

In 2018, I closed the shop and currently work from my home studio creating artwork for *Solace Gallery*, Long Beach Island, NJ, as well as commissioned work.

September 2001 – August 2015 (retired)

Office Manager/Education Administrator at **North River Arts Society** in Marshfield, MA

Managed front office: produced class brochures, calls for entry, exhibit programs, newsletter. Managed membership database, website, Constant Contact email program, graphic design programs.

I also scheduled all classes, workshops, and summer programs for adults and children, which included communicating with students and instructors on a regular basis; outreach and ongoing communication with out-of-state artists offering workshops; communication with other local organizations (schools, etc.) to schedule collaborative events.

I oversaw all exhibits and events: worked with numerous committees to organize in-house and off-site events, including the annual Festival of the Arts on Memorial Day weekend and other fundraisers.

GALLERY REPRESENTATION

I have been represented by SOLACE STUDIO & GALLERY in Surf City, Long Beach Island, NJ since 2014 solacestudiolbi.com

EXHIBITIONS/AWARDS (2017 forward)

Jan-April 2024 Duxbury Art Association, **Winter Juried Art Exhibit**

March 2024 James Library & Center for the Arts **Spring Juried Art Exhibit** *Honorable Mention*

Dec- Feb 2024 Duxbury Art Association **Group Exhibit**

September 2023 North River Arts Society **Members Exhibit**

May 2023 North River Arts Society Festival of the Arts, **Juried Exhibition** *1st Place Mixed Media*

May-June 2022 James Library & Center for the Arts **SOLO Exhibit** *"Ab/Fab"*

September 2022 North River Arts Society **Members Exhibit**

September 2018 North River Arts Society **Members Exhibit** *Award of Excellence*

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May 2018 North River Arts Society Festival of the Arts, **Juried Exhibition** *1st Place Mixed Media*

May 2018 South Shore Art Center, Cohasset, MA. **Members Exhibit**

March 2018 James Library & Center for the Arts, Norwell, *"United We Stand"* **Group Exhibit**

November 2017 Attleboro Arts Museum, 26th Annual Benefit Art Auction

July-Sept. 2017 Dolphin Gallery at the Hingham Library, **SOLO Exhibit**

September 2017 North River Arts Society **Members Exhibit**