

Rikje Van Duin



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VAN DUIN ARTS



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Plastic and Creative Artist

Rikje van Duin is born in 1966 in the Noorderstraat in Hoorn, the pintoresk harbortown, situated at the IJsselmeer in The Northwest part of Holland.

Rikje makes inspirefull painting work, which one wants to see closer.



Her experience as a plastic artist started in the early years of her life. Rikje is an autodidact when it comes to painting.

As the eldest of five, she used to design illustrated exercise books for her 3 sisters and brother during her childhood at primary school.

The Travel Expirience

At the high school in Holland and during one year in the United States she improved her drawing skills through different Art courses. In her twenties and thirties she worked in different jobs in Tourism and she never went somewhere without her pencils and



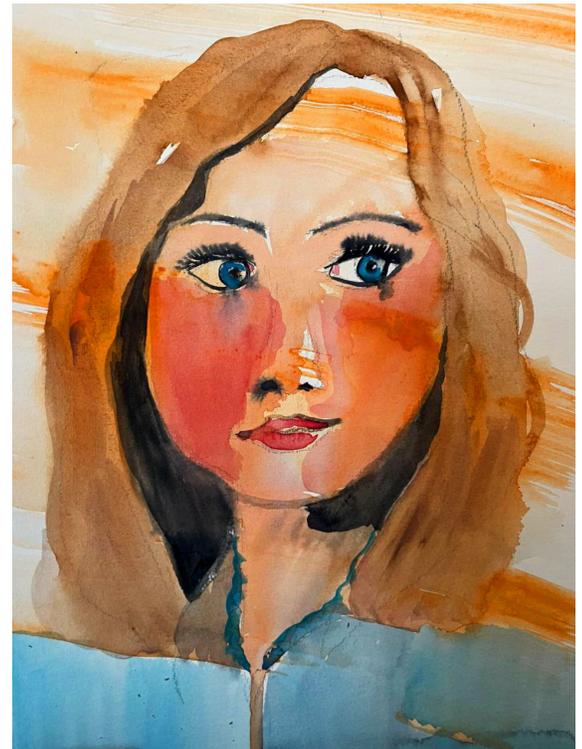
sketchbook in order to draw the beautiful places she travelled to. Later in 2012, inspired during her various travels along the whole coast of Brazil , she developed her own 'naive' style.

Nowadays Rikje is a natural expressionist ruled by the heart recording the vibes and emotions of humans from different cultures and transforming them into paintings.

The materials she uses are Acrylic and Oil paint, as well as watercolours, and mixed media as charcoal and pastel.

Art Education

- 2016. Oil Painting Course. Albufeira Art Center -Portugal-.
- 2017. Oil Painting Course. Amsterdam Art Center -Netherlands-.
- 2018 July. Model Oil Painting Course. Wackers Academy Amsterdam -Netherlands-.
- 2019 July. Water Color Summer Course. Olhao-Algarve Artschool -Portugal-.
- 2019 September-October. Painting Art Course. Condesa Art School Mexico City -Mexico-.
- 2020 January-March Drawing Model and Portrait. Gooise Academie Laren -Netherlands-.
- 2022 September-December. Course Oil Painting Portetschool Liesbeth van Keulen Amsterdam
- 2023 July-September. Course Oil Painting Arnhem
- 2023. 1 Day Drawing Class Albufeira
- 2023 November-December. Watercolor Course 1 at Three Owls Gallery in Chiang Mai Thailand
- 2024. Watercolor Daily Courses Portimao Algarve with Kate Olfier
- 2024 November-December. Watercolor Course 2 at Three Owls Gallery in Chiang Mai Thailand





Exhibitions

2019 November-December. Restaurant o Barco, Algarve, Portugal.

2023 June-August. Restaurant Olympique, Algarve, Portugal.

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