



## JANE CHAPIN

Originally from rural Pennsylvania, Jane Chapin grew up sketching and painting the people and scenes around her. A year as an exchange student in Argentina broadened her influences and began a lifelong love of travel. After receiving her Bachelors in Art from Kutztown University in Pennsylvania, Chapin was an art teaching volunteer in the Peace Corps in El Salvador, reinforcing her connection with the richness & diversity of her visual surroundings. Chapin is represented by the Englishman Fine Art Gallery in Naples, FL

*"My paintings grow from observing and interpreting light as it emerges from, surrounds and reflects on everyday people and scenes. They seek to remind us of the beauty of our common surroundings, regardless of where we are. Painting sensitizes me to look for the grace and dignity and order in what I see. My goal as an artist is to reinforce and restore that sensitivity to the viewer."*

### **Memberships**

Oil Painters of America  
Tampa Bay Plein Air Painters  
St. Petersburg Representational Art Association

### **Publications**

Land of the Free – A painter's chronicle of the 50 States and Their Heroes – To be released 08/10  
"A Body of Work: Tampa Bay Artists Interpret the Figure."

### **Exhibition Resume**

#### **2010**

Oil Painters of America National Juried Exhibit – Legacy Gallery, Scottsdale, AZ  
Paint the Town – Artists' Choice Award – St Petersburg, FL  
Ft Lauderdale Yacht Club Art Exhibit and Sale  
Awards Juror – Venice Plein Air – Venice, FL  
Third on Canvas Painting & Live Auction – Naples, FL  
Solo Show – The Englishman Fine Art Gallery, Naples, FL  
Richard Schmid Fine Art Auction - Rist Canyon, CO

#### **2009**

Richard Schmid Fine Art Auction - Rist Canyon, CO  
Venice Plein Air Exhibit – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place and Merit Award

#### **2008**

Salon International Exhibit, Greenhouse Gallery, San Antonio, TX  
Forgotten Coast Plein Air Paint Out, Appalachicola, FL  
Richard Schmid Fine Art Auction - Rist Canyon, CO  
All Florida Juried Exhibit - Naples Fine Art Center, Naples, FL  
Venice Plein Air Exhibit - Award of Merit

#### **2007**

Richard Schmid Fine Art Auction - Rist Canyon, CO  
Forgotten Coast Plein Air Paint Out, Port St Joe, FL  
Eastern Regional Exhibit- Oil Painters of America, Weatherburn Gallery, Naples, FL  
Salon International Exhibit, Greenhouse Gallery, San Antonio, TX  
3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Paint the Town, St Petersburg, FL  
Venice Plein Air Exhibit - Second Place

#### **2006**

Richard Schmid Fine Art Auction - Rist Canyon, CO  
Pecos Paint Out - Santa Fe, NM - Mountains Edge Fine Art

#### **2005**

"Growing Panes: Postcards of Tampa," Tampa, FL