

## *Mary McDermott*

Mary McDermott is an artist/educator living in California with her husband of 28 years and 2 of her 4 children. She has been producing, exhibiting and selling her paintings and jewelry to galleries, dealers, and collectors for over 25 years. She is originally from New York where she received a B.A. from Queens College of the City University of New York. After moving to California, she decided to obtain an M. A. from California State University Dominguez Hills in order to teach. She now teaches drawing courses at the Art Institute of California San Diego and art history courses at The Art Institute Online. She is working toward the completion of a PhD in Fine Art-Painting at De Montfort University in Leicester, England. McDermott continues to produce and exhibit her art.