

Mariana Kastriakis & Jan Rowland

ARTISTS - IN - RESIDENCE DECEMBER, 2011



Jan Rowland
Acrylic on Canvas



Mariana Kastriakis
Watercolor on Paper, Winner of the "Art in the Park, Green Prize 2011"

Artist's Open Studio

Thursdays through Sunday 10am - 3pm

Artists' Talk

Saturday, December 10, @ 2pm & @3pm

Open House

Saturday, Dec 10, following artists' talks

Jan Rowland has created paintings based on human encounters. The figure is the basis for her art. Most of the work is mixed media, in an ever changing series of layers of figures or parts of the figure emerging and fading away, twisted and distorted from a background of textures and vibrant colors. The paintings are semi-abstract and inspired by the constant search for meaning in our lives.

Mariana Kastriakis has produced watercolors in a variety of subjects, mostly in realistic styles and is now experimenting with a variety of media and drawing, in semi-abstract compositions. Her work is inspired by nature and by observing people in their environments, and she describes her art-making as a "conversation" between her inner life and her art materials. Lately, Mariana is exploring incorporating into her art some reused and recycled products as a further creativity challenge.