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Born: Fort Wayne, Indiana 1944

### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2013 Capital Gallery, Frankfort, KY

2010 Indiana University Gallery, Kokomo, IN

JarrettThor Fine Arts, Colonial Beach, VA

2009 Capital Gallery

2006 Fire House Gallery, Louisville, GA

2004 Capital Gallery

2002 Sarratt Gallery, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

2000 Midwest Museum of American Art, Elkhart, IN

1999 B. Deemer Gallery, Louisville, KY

1998 Capital Gallery

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1996 Cudahy's, Richmond, VA

Capital Gallery

1995 Evansville Museum of Arts and Sciences, Evansville, IN

1993 Capital Gallery

1991 Capital Gallery

1988 Capital Gallery

1987 Jane Haslem Gallery, Washington, DC

1986 Capital Gallery

1984 Jane Haslem Gallery

1983 Emerson Gallery, McLean, VA

1981 Charles Co. Community College Gallery, MD

1977 Art League Gallery, Alexandria, VA

#### GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2014 Influence & Inspiration, The Art League, Alexandria, VA

20 Years of Collaboration, Evansville Museum of Arts, History & Science, Evansville, IN

2013 Thirty Years/Thirty Artists, Art Space, Herndon, VA

Indiana Now 2013, Art Museum of Greater Lafayette, IN

2010 Systems Failure, Target Gallery, Alexandria, VA

2008 From Here 2 There, Target Gallery, Alexandria, VA

2006 The New Regionalists, Midwest Museum of American Art, Elkhart, IN

Kentucky Connections, Janice Mason Art Museum, Cadiz, KY

2000 Alumni Art Show, Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio

1999 21<sup>st</sup> Elkhart Juried Regional, Midwest Museum of American Art, Elkhart, IN

1998 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Midyear Show, Butler Institute of American Art, Youngstown, Ohio

1996 The Order of Things: Contemporary American & European Still Life, Evansville Museum of Arts and Sciences, Evansville, IN  
A Painting Show, The Atheneum, Alexandria, VA (Equal Award)

1995 The Creative Process, Clinical Center Galleries, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD

1994 Realism '94, Parkersburg Art Center, Parkersburg, WV

1993 Realism Today, Evansville Museum of Arts and Sciences  
Paintings in the Still Life Tradition, Cudahy's, Richmond, VA  
Teacher/Student, Clinical Center Galleries, NIH

1991 Old Friends, New Works, Northern VA Fine Arts Association, Alexandria, VA  
Back to Basics, Gallery K, Washington, DC

1990 Objects Observed, Gallery Henoah, New York, NY  
L'Artiste et Son Atelier, Galerie 21, Paris  
Moving Still Life, Steven Scott Gallery, Baltimore, MD  
Fifteen Years of Achievement, Torpedo Factory Art Center, Alexandria, VA

1988 Consonance, Jane Haslem Gallery  
Kentucky Art Exhibition, J.B. Speed Museum, Louisville, KY  
Still Life Painting: Several Views, Georgetown University Art Gallery, Washington, DC

1985 American Artist National Art Competition, Grand Central Galleries, New York, NY  
Butler Institute of American Art, National Midyear Show, Youngstown, OH  
The Washington Art Community: Self Portraits, Jane Haslem Gallery

- 1984 Butler Institute Midyear Show
- 1983 Area Juried Exhibition, Arlington Arts Center, Arlington, VA
- 1982 Pastels: Still Life, Landscape and Figures, Jane Haslem Gallery  
26th Irene Leach Biennial, Chrysler Museum, Norfolk, VA  
Pastiche: Pastels and Drawings in Color, Montgomery College Art Gallery, Rockville, MD  
The Portrait as Art, Gallery 4, Alexandria, VA
- 1981 Virginia Painting and Sculpture 1981, Virginia Museum, Richmond  
Atheneum Show, Northern VA Fine Arts Association, Alexandria  
Invitational Show, Salisbury State College, Salisbury, MD
- 1980 Butler Institute Midyear Show  
Realism and Representation: New Works by 25 Artists, Arlington Arts Center
- 1979 Virginia Artists, Gallery 4  
Area Exhibition of Paintings and Graphics, Fairfax Co. Council of the Arts
- 1978 65th Annual Exhibition, Allied Artists of America
- 1972 Association of Honolulu Artists Exhibit, Hawaii
- 1971 Artists of Hawaii Annual Exhibit, Honolulu Academy of Arts

#### AWARDS AND HONORS

- 1993 Purchase Award, Evansville Museum of Arts and Sciences
- 1984 Juror's Special Mention, Butler Institute Midyear Show
- 1982 Virginia Museum Fellowship Award
- 1980 Award of Merit, Butler Institute
- 1972 Best in Show, Association of Honolulu Artists

#### CORPORATE AND PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

American General Finance  
Art Museum of Greater Lafayette, IN  
Bristol-Myers Squibb  
Brown Foreman, Inc.  
Citizens Bank of Indiana  
Corn Refiners Association  
Corporate Real Estate Advisors  
Fairfax Hospital  
Kentucky Fried Chicken  
Levine School of Music  
Louisville Gas & Electric Co.  
MCI Corporation  
Midwest Museum of American Art  
National Institutes of Health  
Sallie Mae

Sterling Winthrop, Inc.  
U.S. Air Force  
Virginia Theological Seminary  
Washington National Cathedral  
Wilmer, Cutler, Pickering, Hale & Dorr  
Zuckert, Scutt and Rasenburger

#### BIBLIOGRAPHY

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- 2000 Coppens, Julie York, "Real Country," *South Bend Tribune*, June 25  
Fulmer, Marcia, "'Silent Places' on Exhibit at Museum," *Elkhart Truth*, June 8
- 1999 Slattery, Susan Downs, "Geometrical Problems/Diane E. Tesler," *Journal of the American Pharmaceutical Association*, September/October
- 1996 Bullard, CeCe, "Gender Issues and Sensibility," *Richmond Times-Dispatch*, November 7
- 1995 Knipe, Sandra, "Virginia Artist Inspired by Abandoned Homes in Indiana," *Evansville Press*, August 9
- 1993 Heilenman, Diane, "Capital Gallery," *Louisville Courier-Journal*, October 24  
Heilenman, Diane, "Evansville Museum of Arts and Sciences," *Courier-Journal*, August 8
- 1989 Goldman, Betsy, "The Torpedo Factory Arts Center," *American Artist*, February
- 1987 Forgey, Ben "Diane Tesler at Haslem," *Washington Post*, July 18  
Herbert, Juli, "Junkyard Inspiration," *Northern VA Daily*, July 24  
Rubinfeld, Florence, "New Talent: The Hot Shows of Summer," *Museum and Arts Washington*, July/August
- 1985 Wechsler, Jill, "Diane E. Tesler," *American Artist*, December
- 1980 Blumer, Thomas, "Diane E. Tesler," *Art Voices South*, May
- 1978 Buffmire, Dorothy, "The Beauty in a Wreck," *Alexandria Gazette*, June 1

#### EDUCATION

B.A. Antioch College, Yellow Springs, OH 1966

