

JOE STEWART paints from life, and in his studio in Cincinnati, Ohio. He is inspired by painters from the past such as George Inness, Edward Potthast, Frank Duveneck, and John Twachtman. As a young man, Joe fell under the influence of the Arts and Crafts movement, whose artists and craftsmen created all forms of art in this country and abroad. He has spent many years crafting furniture and picture frames derived from designs of this movement. More recently he has turned to oil painting as his main creative outlet. "I am continually challenged by the simple act of applying paint to canvas with the goal of transporting the viewer to the time place and feeling of the scene I am creating." Travels to Europe, northern Michigan, Charleston, South Carolina, Florida, and locations closer to home, provide continuing inspiration.

Joe is a member of the Cincinnati Art Club, and is represented by the Rottinghaus Gallery in Cincinnati. He is the winner of the 2010 Duvenek Award at the 42nd. Duvenek Art Show in Covington, Ky. Joe is inspired and mentored by his wife, the noted portrait artist, Gilda Horn ([Gildahorn.com](http://Gildahorn.com)).

Please contact Joe if you are interested in his paintings or wish to purchase a custom made quartersawn white oak picture frame. Most of the frames shown in his portfolio are available in the color and finish of your choice.