## **My Mosaic Vision**

About the Artist: Helaine Abramson





After a medical incident left me legally blind, I was forced to give up my career in commercial real estate. This left me in search something that would bring the same sense accomplishment that my career had provided for me. I made a decoupage guitar for a friend and then decided to move onto mosaics. I found it extremely challenging and fulfilling. After meeting a

well-known artist, I began to find my voice through a mixed media format called pique assiette. In this style of mosaic, the artist incorporates pieces of broken ceramics – plates, dishes, cups, tiles – and other objects like jewelry, seashells, and fused glass into the design. The appeal and expressiveness of pique assiette lies in the ideas of lateral thinking, humor, recycling and the significance of the other objects.

I reside in Houston, Texas where my guide dog joins me in my studio while I work. I have found tranquility and expression through mosaic art and I hope you find my mosaic vision to be inviting and inspirational.

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