

COSTANZA KNIGHT

RESUME

STUDIO – 6 Whitehall Lane, HENDERSONVILLE, NC

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EDUCATION

'99-2002 Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, Studies towards MFA

'90-92 Studies towards BFA, UNC at Asheville, North Carolina

'69 Studies towards BFA, Florida State Overseas Study Center, Florence, Italy

SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS

2011 **The People Could Fly**, Black History Museum, Richmond, VA.

2010 **Polyrhythms**, The Art League of Henderson County, Hend., NC.

2009 **The People Could Fly**, Blowers Gallery, University of North Carolina, Asheville, NC.

2004 **The People Could Fly**, Malaprops Bookstore, Asheville, NC.

2002(set free): **Paintings, Collages, Monotypes**, Holy Ground, Asheville, NC.

2001 **Faith, Figures, and Folktales**, Opportunity House, Hendersonville, NC.

2000 **Recent Work**, Grace Community Church, Arden, NC.

1999 **Wings**, Tryon Fine Arts Center, Tryon, NC.

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2010 **'Women of the Hills Invitational'**, Transylvania Arts Council, Brevard, NC.

2010 **'Body and Soul Invitational'**, Transylvania Arts Council, Brevard, NC.

2009 **'City of Four Seasons in Two Dimensions: Traditions'**, Juried Exhibition, The Arts Council, Hendersonville, NC, Juror, Ann Vaselik

2009 **'Bring Us Your Best'**, Juried Exhibition, The Arts Council, Hendersonville, NC, Juror, Ann DerGara.

2008 **'City of Four Seasons in Two Dimensions: Connemara'** Juried Exhibition, Wickwire, Hendersonville, NC. Juror: William Jameson

2008 **'Bring Us Your Best'** Juried Exhibition, The Arts Council, Hend., NC.

2005 **'Serendipity'**, An Invitational Exhibition, The Arts Council, Hendersonville, N.C.

2004 **'Bring Us Your Best'** Juried Exhibition, The Arts Council, Hend., N.C.

2001 **'The Human Figure'**, Juried Exhibition, The Arts Center, Hend., NC.

2001 **'Historic Trinity Juried Art Exhibition,'** Detroit, Michigan, Juror, Gerhardt Knodel, Director, Cranbrook Academy of Art, Bloomfield Hills, MI.

2001 **'Women's History Month Invitational Exhibition,'** Lees-McCrae College, Banner Elk, NC.

1998 **'Images of Faith VI'**, Invitational Exhibition, Blue Spiral 1, Asheville, NC,

1996 **'Images of Faith V'**, Invitational Exhibition, Blue Spiral 1, Asheville, NC.

AWARDS, HONORS, GRANTS

2008 Regional Artist's Project Grant, The Arts Councils of Hend. Co. & NC.

2006 On the Cover of **Henderson County Phone Book**

2001, Honorable Mention, Historic Trinity Exhibition, Detroit, MI.

2001, Scholarship, Arrowmont School of Arts & Crafts, for study of monotypes.

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1996 Emerging Artist Grant, Western Carolina Arts Councils.

1994 Emerging Artist Grant, Western Carolina Arts Councils.

1993 First Place Award in "Best in the West", NC Regional Exhibition.

1992 Hendersonville Symphony Door/Season Program, Commissioned.

1992 Honorable Mention, Asheville Arts League Juried Exhibition.

SELECTED COLLECTORS

Department of African American Studies, Virginia Commonwealth Univ., Richmond, VA.

Henderson County Courthouse, Hendersonville, NC

The Collection of Mr. George Winston, Santa Cruz, CA.

The Collection of Ms. Maxine Clark, St. Louis, MO.

The Collection of Dr. Richard and Mrs. Audrey Koerber, Asheville, NC.

The Collection of Ms. Pamela Sacco, Fripp Island, SC

The Collection of Mr. Steve and Mrs. Katie Breckheimer, Saluda, NC.

The Collection of Ms. Judy Carter and Ms. Susan Sluyter, Fairview, NC.

The Collection of Ms. Karen Jackson, Hendersonville, NC.

The Collection of Ms. Christine Rhoades, Asheville, NC.

The Collection of Mr. Walter and Ms. Michele Skeelee, Hendersonville, NC.

The Collection of Mr. Donald and Mrs. Shirley Johnnes, Hendersonville, NC.

The Collection of Mrs. Dianne Hall, Hendersonville, NC

The Collection of Ms. Joen Goodman, Asheville, NC

The Collection of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Neill, Tuxedo, NC

The Collection of Dr. and Mrs. Corbett Turner, Atlanta, GA

BIBLIOGRAPHY

2008 Hendersonville Times News, "Our Changing Landscape, A Tribute to Henderson County, October.

2004 Hendersonville, Times News, "An Artist Who Connects with Words", Ted McIrvine, August.

2004 Hendersonville Times News, "The People Who Fly", Kitty Turner, February 2.

2001 Muse and Spirit Magazine, "Costanza Knight: Awakening People to the Beauty of the World," Autumn.

2000 Hendersonville Times News, "An Artist that Goes with the Flow", Anne Grant, May.

1996 Hendersonville Times News, "Visions of Faith", John Robinson, Dec.