

Featured artist:

Elize Bezuidenhout

Elize was born in Springs and studied Graphic Design at the Pretoria Technikon. She has worked in the industry until last year when she became a full time artist. She now resides in Durbanville in the Western Cape.



'My aim is to capture the essence of the people I paint - to evoke an emotional response....make you think what the story behind the person is. I am an eye person, that is probably why I paint portraits and animals.

I work from my own reference material as I feel it is important to talk to the person and to get to know a bit more about the character I am about to paint. I believe in individuality and do not follow "trends" - you should always stay true to yourself and paint from the heart - it will show in your work.'