



VENICE ART CENTER'S ARTIST'S RELEASE

I understand that the Venice Art Center is not responsible for loss or damage of any works consigned to it for sale in the Sales Gallery at the Venice Art Center. The personnel of the Art Center and its representatives will make every reasonable effort to protect and preserve the work consigned in its care.

I, the undersigned, forever discharge the Venice Art Center of any and all manner of actions, suits, damages, claims and demands whatsoever or equity from any loss, theft or damages to the undersigned's property while in the possession or under the supervision or auspices of the Venice Art Center, its agents or representatives.

I further understand that the merchandise shall be displayed for a minimum period of 60-days from the acceptance date. During this period the consignee must be a member in good standing of the Venice Art Center. If merchandise is left at the Venice Art Center beyond the 60-day period and after an additional 30 days after written notification requesting their removal, the merchandise shall become the property of the Venice Art Center. The Art Center reserves the right to dispose of the merchandise in whatever way it sees fit, including selling the merchandise.

I further understand that the Venice Art Center receives a commission of 35% on all items sold. I also understand that I must be a member of the Art Center and keep my dues current during the period my work is on display in the Sales Gallery in order to receive my commission. I understand that if I allow my membership to lapse, my work will immediately be removed from the Sales Gallery.

I understand that the Sales Gallery financially supports the mission of Venice Art Center. Periodically some customers may contact our artists directly to create a unique design, adapt a piece, or match something they have viewed or purchased at Venice Art Center. Should a customer become familiar with the artists' work because it was on display at VAC, the Venice Art Center is entitled to receive its commission, whether or not the transaction is handled through the Center. In good faith, in these instances, a 35% commission of the sale price should be paid to the Venice Art Center.

Although membership in the Venice Art Center is required to be accepted as a consignee in the Sales Gallery, it does not guarantee acceptance. Acceptance or rejection of items to be sold in the Sales Gallery is at the sole discretion of the Venice Art Center. Similarly, acceptance may be rescinded if the consignee no longer meets the standards for inclusion set by the Venice Art Center.

I have read and understand the above and agree to these conditions.

Artist Signature _____ Date _____

Print Name _____