

including over 100 Best of Show and first place awards in national and international juried art shows. She is a member of International Guild of Realism, Oil Painters of America and Signature Member of National Oil and Acrylic Painters Society.

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Second Story Fine Art is proud to represent **Collier**, whose foray into painting still life portraits of fruits and vegetables began with the exquisite organic garden the artist nurtures on a daily basis. Whether it is a giant pumpkin, fresh-cut watermelon or a bowl of hand-picked cherries, Collier will find the beauty and translate it into art.

“The artist is meticulous and captures a heightened detail, so much so that there is a sense of taste and smell emanating from her paintings,” says Meredith Howse of Second Story Fine Art. “Collier paintings are fresh and alive. The artist is an expert at tantalizing the senses. If you closely examine her featured painting, *Cups and Cherries*, you might find yourself enticed by the succulent reds and be fooled into plucking one of the stems.”



Second Story Fine Art, *Cups and Cherries*, oil on cradled board, 24 x 24", by Collier.