

## Artist CV – Katherine van Kampen

Contemporary Canadian Painter  
Born 1954 in Vancouver, BC, Canada  
Lives and work in Vancouver, BC

### *Biography*

Katherine van Kampen grew up in Vancouver, surrounded by the beauty of nature alongside the bustling city. The deep blue ocean, changing skies, and blooming cherry blossoms inspired her art, which captures the gentle persistence of human nature and the dream-like qualities of the world around us. Her musical background as a singer and pianist influences her painting, as she creates a colourful song on canvas with each stroke of her brush.

Music and visual art have always been intertwined in her work, having both been highly valued in her upbringing. Katherine pursued a career in opera after earning her Master of Music Degree from the University of British Columbia and had the honour of performing worldwide. Now fully committed to visual art, her experiences as an opera singer still influence her painting. She aims to bring a sense of positivity and tranquillity to her art. Her time in Prague, in particular, inspired her with its soft atmosphere and blended colours, which she strives to echo in her own work, inviting viewers into a peaceful and reflective space.

### *Selected Solo Exhibitions*

- 2024 – *Visualizing the Art of Singing on Canvas*, Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada

### *Selected Group Exhibitions*

- 2025 – *Brushstrokes of Love: February Group Exhibition of Local and World Masters*, Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada
- 2023 – *Katherine van Kampen*, Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada

### *Gallery Representation*

- Since 2023 to present – Vancouver Fine Art Gallery, Vancouver, BC, Canada