



*Tiberias and the  
Passion Flower*

I chose this fish because of its color and design. Unusual and strangely beautiful, it's a great match for the uniquely beautiful passion flower!

So . . . what's in a name?

The fish is a Christian symbol of the early Church. It also represents the miracle of the loaves and the fishes. Lake Tiberias is actually the Sea of Galilee, the location in which Jesus walked on water, following the feeding of the 5,000. I chose this name for symbolic purposes only. All of my artwork is nuanced in some way by my faith life and to point to the Higher Power.

The Passion Flower was named by Roman Catholic priests when the Spanish and Portuguese missionaries came to the Americas in the 1500's, they used the Passion Flower as a symbolic way to teach about the Passion of Jesus Christ.

- The petals represent Jesus' faithful apostles
- The anthers are symbolic of the five sacred wounds of Jesus suffered
- The circle of hair-like filaments represent the Crown of Thorns
- The three stigma represents the nails holding Jesus to the cross
- 23k gold leaf (original artwork only) surrounds these bold beauties!

Media and size of original artwork: 39"x 20", colored pencil, 23K gold leaf

Limited edition giclee is signed by the artist. Certificate of authenticity included. Sizes available for purchase:

Approximately: 19"x 13" (\$175.00)

24"x 18" (\$250.00)

36"x 24" (\$325.00)

Image size will vary based on original artwork dimensions and allowing for artist signature.

Paper used for print: Hahnemuhle TIPA award winner

Photo Rag Metallic, 340 gsm

Provides extra glow

Museum quality for highest age resistance

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