



Resume

Splash Gallery
The Artists gallery
Earthartisans Gallery
Reflections Gallery
Rhapsody Gallery

Shows

Gig Harbor Art Festival
Best of the Northwest
Ballard Garden Party
Proctor Art Fest
Alki Beach Art Fair
Kaynor Art and Craft shows

Featured artist

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JANARLENE

JEWELRY



Jewelry individually handcrafted by the artist using precious metals. Pieces are accented by fine gemstones and pearls.

Inspiration comes from the stones , her love of plants, flowers and her appreciation of the local landscapes and scenery.

Classic Wearable Art



I been working with my hands most of my life, having my first piece exhibited in the hallway at school in second grade. I studied handcrafting when I lived in Sweden. When I came back to the United States I studied to become an Industrial Arts teacher, which I then taught for many years while continuing with my own art. I worked mainly in fiber on my own at the time while raising a son.

During a trip to Thailand I went with a friend who wanted to buy gemstones. I ended up buying some because of their beauty. When I came back I decided I wanted to make some nice jewelry from the stones I had purchased. I signed up for a jewelry making class at my local community college. I had so many items that I started selling my one of a kind jewelry at art shows and fairs. This lead me to meeting Joan Tenenbaum, known for her eye to detail in jewelry fabrication, who has become a teacher and mentor to me.

I have continued to develop my skills and design style. My work a been described as organic elegance. I like the way metal can be moved, pushed around, shaped, added to and subtracted from, textured and colored.

I make small pieces of art that can be worn and passed down to the next generation.

