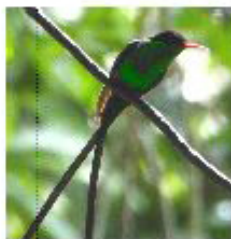


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From the Palette

Spring 2018

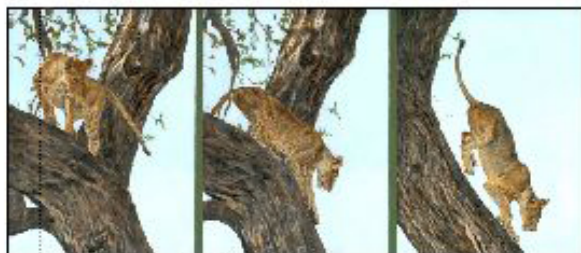


Red-billed Streamertail
Photo by Linda Besse

The first of our Spring flowers is starting to bloom and it won't be long until the trees leaf out for the season. I got a jump-start on warm weather with a trip to the Caribbean. Seeing the Jamaican red-billed streamertail (a stunning hummingbird), Jamaican Potoo, and Jamaican Woodpecker were highlights as was snorkeling close to Atlantic goliath groupers over a sunken ship in Grand Cayman.

This year I will have additional research trips. While one of the goals is to gather reference for future paintings, my main directive is to refresh my perspective by putting down the camera and sketch pad to soak in the surrounding environments.

NEW ORIGINAL OIL PAINTINGS



Where There's a Will 12" X 28" \$3750.



Cross Country 9" X 12" \$1600.



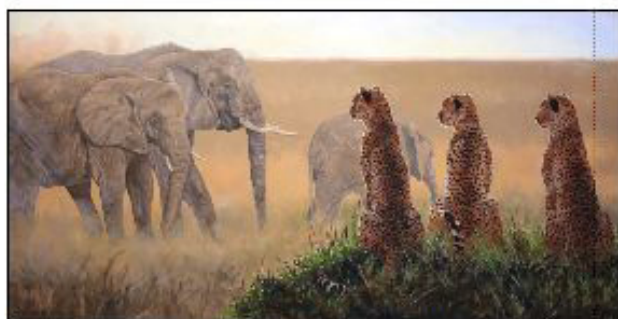
Tuktuk 9" X 12" \$1450.



Good Mother 7" X 9" \$900.



Out Fox 5" X 7" \$625.



Parade 18" X 36" \$6500.

UPCOMING SHOWS/EVENTS

May 23 - July 25 | Louisa Gould Gallery, Vineyard Haven, Martha's Vineyard, MA www.louisagould.com

May 26 | Opening Night Special Event, Louisa Gould Gallery, Vineyard Haven, MA, 5 - 7 pm

May 22 - June 6 | Endangered Shorebirds, Martha's Vineyard

June 26 - July 23 | AFRICA (South Africa and Namibia)

Sept 1 - 18 | MANITOBA (polar bear and bird research)

Oct 26 - 28, WORKSHOP by Linda Besse, Triple "D" Ranch, Kalispell, MT Contact Linda for all the details.

Special Opportunity to see animals in natural habitats and study painting with Linda

