# A Song of Travel

Two artists one journey

Works by Debbie Mackinnon part of a joint show with Mike Staniford





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A year of travelling, drawing and painting on location with Mike Staniford

Over the past twelve months we have been painting in amazingly diverse landscapes. Contrasting the aqua lakes of New Zealand to the eye popping orange rocks of Central Australia; from the iconic tropical landscape of Lord Howe Island with its pristine lagoon and wonderful palm trees to the Wild Atlantic coast of Cornwall: from light dappled Devon lanes to stormy windswept Dartmoor; from Autumnal Umbrian olive groves to the stunning light of Ancient Sicily. Each place has its own history and magic to offer.

The very act of making a journey enhances the senses and presents new and different difficulties. No two landscapes are the same - neither of us can ever be sure how we will approach a painting until the scene is in front of us, then analysing what to keep, lose, enhance. Both content to sit or kneel on a wildly uncomfortable rock ledge to individually respond with experimental mark making, happy to be drawing and painting outside and 'in the zone'.

Some of our 'places' are very near to home and some thousands of kms away. Each place very dear to our hearts, yet somehow every place is connected. As we are connected to place and each other.

Plein air in Umbria - a moment later the stool broke, no damage except to my dignity!

<sup>\*</sup> All works framed in natural Australian timber except some works on paper available unframed.





TROPICAL MOMENTS ^
©Debbie Mackinnon
ink and collage on paper
29 x 42 cm unframed
\$300







Lord Howe Sketchbook NFS

^ LANGUID LAGOON

© Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic and mixed media
on paper

25 x 40 cm unframed

\$400

FEEL THE POWER>

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic on board

43 x 53 cm

\$1300

FREE THE SPIRIT v

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic on board

43 x 43 cm

\$1100







Coastal sketchbook .

©Debbie Mackinnon

Mixed media

NFS

# Debbie Mackinnon Catalogue/CORNWALL

## EDGE OF REASON v

©Debbie Mackinnon

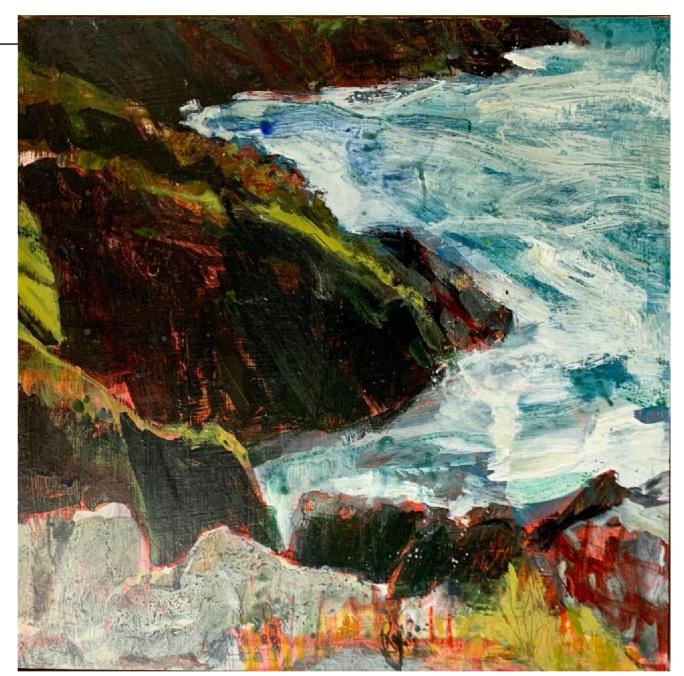
Mixed media and collage on paper

29 x 42 cm unframed

\$400







BETTER NOT LOOK DOWN ^
@Debbie Mackinnon
Acrylic on board
43 x 43 cm
\$1100

Coastal sketchbook.

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Mixed media

NFS

FADING MELODY >

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic and mixed media
on paper, framed
51 x 62 cm

\$650



v WAITING FOR THIS MOMENT
©Debbie Mackinnon
Mixed media on paper
29 x 42 cm unframed
\$400





< SWEEPING THROUGH

©Debbie Mackinnon

Mixed media on paper

29 x 42 cm unframed

\$400



WINDBLOWN 1 ^
©Debbie Mackinnon
Acrylic on board 33 x 33 cm \$800





^ MAGIC & MYSTERY

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic on board 43 x 43 cm \$800



^ SCULPTED BY NATURE

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic on board 43 x 43 cm \$800



< CATCHING MY BREATH

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic on board 43 x 43 cm \$800

^ BLOWN AWAY @Debbie Mackinnon Acrylic on paper 29 x 42 cm \$400 unframed

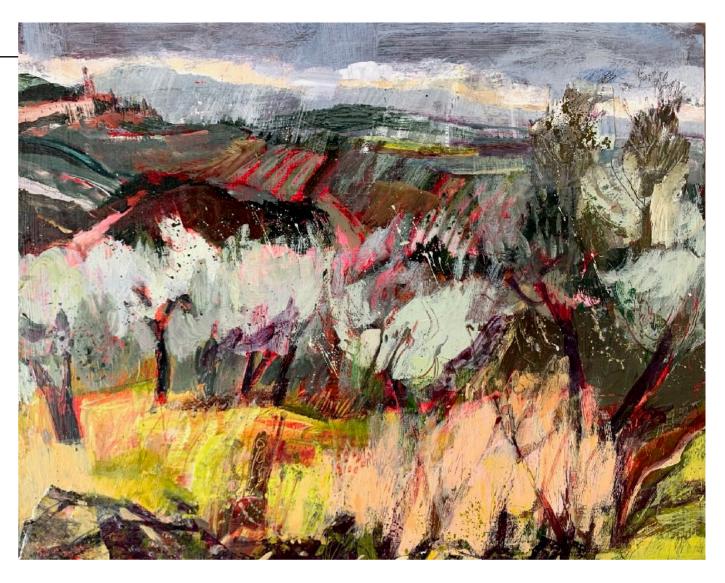
UMBRIAN HILLS >

©Debbie Mackinnon
Acrylic on board
43 x 43 cm
\$800



PASSING STORM v
©Debbie Mackinnon
Acrylic on paper
51 x 62 cm Framed \$650







^ SEASON OF MISTS
©Debbie Mackinnon
Acrylic on board
43 x 53 cm
\$1300

< OLIVE GROVES

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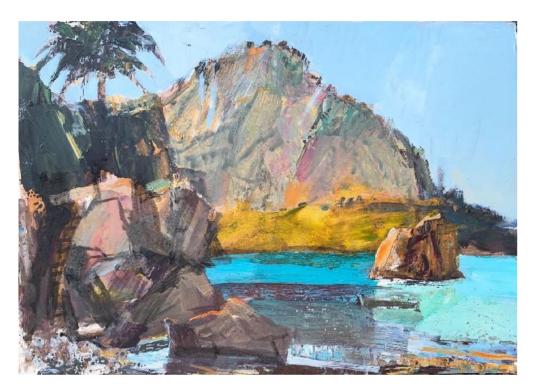
Acrylic and mixed media

29 x 42 cm unframed

\$400

### YOU ARE MY ROCK v

©Debbie Mackinnon Mixed media on paper 29 x 42 cm unframed \$400







^ SWIMMING IN BLUENESS

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic, ink and collage on arches paper
62 x 80 cm framed
\$1400





Sicilian Sketchbook NFS

Outback sketchbook NFS





EARLY MORNING
MOON >
©Debbie Mackinnon
Acrylic on linen
97 x 97 cm
\$3200

SHADOWLANDS∧ ©Debbie Mackinnon Acrylic on board, 43 x 53 cm \$1300



BURNISHED OUTBACK >

©Debbie Mackinnon

Acrylic on board,

33 X 33 cm

\$800



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