



Shifting Tides

Studio Art Quilt Associates, Inc. (SAQA)

Meet Libby Williamson Villa Park, California



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Artwork on Display

Ripples Untended

In art school Libby Williamson concentrated on printmaking which led to a passion in surface design on fabric. Her current focus is in the making of art quilts using layers of hand-painted and dyed fabrics, appliquéd layers of free-motion stitched components, recycled tea bags and embedded found objects. She is a proud hoarder of all things 'fiber' and thrives in a world of stitch and sew. Libby teaches art quilting in her studio in Orange, CA, at destination retreats including Craft Napa, Art and Soul, quilt guilds, and other venues across the country. She has been featured on *The Quilt Show*, has written articles about her process for *Quilting Arts* magazine, and has filmed episodes for *Quilting Arts TV*.

Artist Statement

Glaciers melt, seas rise, waters warm and chaos ensues. While the absurd debate over climate change persists, consequential damage is hidden beneath the dazzling aquamarine currents, the cresting waves, and the steadfast tides. Giant kelp forests, harboring complex and balanced ecosystems, struggle to resist the destruction. Their demise triggers a cascade of turmoil, unseen from above.

To view full exhibit - <https://visionsartmuseum.org/shifting-tides/>