

Press Release
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Artwork by Jill Targer
Moonlighting
Exhibition Dates: April 1-May 31, 2009
Artist Reception: Saturday April 4, from 5:30-7pm

Carina Cellars is proud to feature the artwork of Santa Ynez Valley artist Jill Targer, for her first show in their tasting room. Targer began painting at the age of three, which led to lessons and classes at the Museum of Art and the Institute of Art in Cleveland, Ohio. In high school, academics curtailed her creative outlets to elaborately illustrated and outrageously fabricated lab reports, at which point she substituted photography as a means to record images that inspired her. After a 35 year detour that included getting married, having children, and living life in general, Targer returned to her true calling: painting.

“As I express my ideas, I like to let the paint do most of the work, and then allow your imagination to finish it,” Targer said.

Living with her husband in a beautiful home and working out of her studio located in the beautiful mountain range outside of Santa Maria, California, Targer works hard creating paintings, silk scarves, and greeting cards. She has achieved national as well as local recognition and is proud to have her artwork featured for the 2009 Vintner’s Festival poster. Targer’s work will also be featured in Central Coast Magazine, Travel Host, and as the cover of Vine Times Magazine. To learn more about her artwork visit www.jilltarger.com.

Please join us for our opening reception Saturday, April 4 from 5:30-7PM at the Carina Cellars Tasting Room, 2900 Grand Avenue in Los Olivos. For more information go to www.carinacellars.com or call the Tasting Room at (805) 688-2459.

Attached Image Information:

“Blue Moon”
painting