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Marty Allen Painting & Photography

I didn't start painting until the age of 79. Encouraged by the generosity of Doreen Viture and a class I took with Marshall Kary, I started experimenting in all media: watercolor, acrylics, oils, and photography. I liked them all.

To paraphrase, Hokusai (the wave) said he didn't do anything significant until he reached the age of 85. By the time he reached 100 he said every line he made would be imbued with life. Having had such a late start in the art world, I have little expectation of doing anything significant in my lifetime. The yogis say, "The joy is in the doing." So I will continue doing until I depart this beautiful planet earth.



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