

Big Blue, Boerner Gardens

Big Blue glides into view, majestic and dragon like, this Koi is a showstopper! Don't miss the tip of Big Blue's fan tail as it barely dips back into this piece.

The oversized unfolding antique rose demands equal billing to Big Blue yet in a soft, quiet way.

I really enjoyed watching this drawing come to life. The patterning of Big Blue's scales counters the organic rhythm of the rose petals. White and yellow gold leaf (original artwork) adorn the fish and flower, creating an all-around elegant, beautiful piece.

Big Blue lives at the Boerner Botanical Gardens, Whitnall Park in Hales Corners, WI. It is one of my favorite spots to visit as the fish and flowering plants inspire my imagination.

Japanese symbolism of Koi fish includes good fortune or luck as well as perseverance in adversity, strength of purpose and abundance.

The pale pink rose conveys grace, gentleness, joy and happiness.

Media and size of original artwork: 28"x 38", colored pencil, 23K gold leaf, 12k white gold leaf

Limited edition giclee is signed by the artist. Certificate of authenticity included. Sizes available for purchase:

Approximately: 13"x 19" (\$175.00) 18"x 24" (\$250.00) 24"x 36" (\$325.00)

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