

**Highland Station Gallery ~ Featuring** 

## Anne Barnes Bird



About the Artist:

My love is fiber arts. As a child my Grandmother introduced me to my passion of yarns and fabrics, with my Mother encouraging me to create my own designs. I earned a Master in the Art of Teaching in Creative Arts from the University of Louisville, having been teaching all ages from kindergarten thru high school, plus on the college level since 1975. As the senior faculty member of the Clarksvile Community School Corporation I taught all areas of high school art.

Teaching high school classes by day, I taught evening 1 on 1 fiber classes in weaving, spinning, felting and knitting. I enjoy spinning yarn for woven scarves and, tapestry rugs and creating felted hats. In 1982, I opened Designs in Textiles teaching textile classes, carrying supplies and equipment.

I am an exhibiting member and a former president of the Kentucky Guild of Artists and Craftsman, a member of Handweavers Guild of America, ATHA, and Buffalo Trace Rug Hookers.

I am on the Board of Directors of Mammoth Cave National Park Association, President of Adair Co Arts and when needed an adjunct instructor in ArtEDU for future Middle School/High School Teachers at Lindsey Wilson College.

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