

Mary Glisson was born in Greenville, NC and now resides in Raleigh, NC. Mary attended East Carolina University and Pitt Community College earning a degree in computer technology.

She works predominantly in the medium of painting, but also includes photography in her creativity palette. She started drawing as a young child and ventured into oil painting in her early teens primarily as a hobby. Having a creative gene helped with her work with computers and web design became a passion.

When acrylic paint was introduced to Mary, she tried it but, returned to her first love of oil painting and the smell of linseed oil. Years later, she revisited acrylic paint and gave it a more positive review and paints predominantly in acrylics, now. In recent years, Mary has developed a love for water color painting, thanks in part to friend, master watercolorist, Lou Everett.

One of Mary's dreams was to see her artwork hung in the Greenville Museum of Art. That dream became a reality thanks to being a member of Greenville Brushstrokes.