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Essentially self taught, Chris is a local artist residing in Cape Coral, Fl. She was born and raised in Tullamore , Co. Offaly, Ireland. She emigrated to Cleveland, Ohio in 1963, there she met and married her husband Mike who is also from Ireland. They have six grown children and fourteen grandchildren.

There was little time to draw or paint until moving to Florida in 1990. Chris is now retired, having worked as a Hospice nurse in Fort Myers and Cape Coral for fifteen years. Her son, Kevin, introduced her to acrylics five years ago, and it has become her medium of choice.

The main theme of her paintings has been scenes of Ireland. Inspiration comes from a land of lush, green and heather landscapes, the ancient castles, and roughly hewn coastline bound by the wild Atlantic ocean.

Chris is an active member of the Cape Coral Art League. She has donated paintings to charity and fundraising events, such as The Organ Donor's Association, ACT, American Cancer Assoc, and St Michael's School.





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