

Butterflies in the Dark (36"x 36"/ 91.5 x 91.5cm)
(c) 2004-2008 Jean M. Judd/Artists Rights Society (ARS) New York
Hand Stitched Thread on Textile
****Available for Purchase - \$6,125****



This piece features as its centerpiece, a delicately hand cross stitched image of butterflies and dragonflies flirting in foliage. This is the fourth in this series.

The center is framed with black fabric and a warm yellow fabric radiates out from the piece in a diamond pattern. The piece is then completed with repeating diagonal frames of light green and then a cream fabric with Oriental writing.

The piece is heavily hand quilted and in the final black border with "ghost" butterflies densely echo quilted in varying colors to coordinate with the colors in the center. The back of the piece is unbleached muslin, and it is hand quilted and hand bound.



Detail image of artwork



View of back of artwork

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Exhibition and Publication History

-- The **LagunaArt.com Gallery** has selected textile artist Jean M. Judd of Cushing, Wisconsin for inclusion in **RENEWAL 2024** exhibit at the LagunaArt.com Gallery in the Shops at Mission Viejo in Mission Viejo, California. Artwork selected for inclusion in the exhibit includes *Butterflies in the Dark*.

Curated by Yeslin Santos, the exhibition opens on January 5, 2024 and is open through January 29, 2024. The artist reception is January 6, 2024 from 3-6pm. The address of the LagunaArt.com Gallery is:

LagunaArt.com Gallery
555 the Shops at Mission Viejo, Suite 928A
Mission Viejo, CA 92691

Visit the LagunaArt.com web site at <https://lagunaart.com/> more information about the exhibition or call 949-257-9008 to speak to Yeslin Santos, Curator.

--The **Zephyr Theatre** selected textile artist Jean M. Judd of Cushing, Wisconsin for inclusion in the **Gardens Invitational Exhibition** in Stillwater, Minnesota. Artwork selected for inclusion in the exhibit included: *Floral Crossword Puzzle*, *Butterflies in the Dark*, and *Hummingbirds in Flowers*.

This exhibit was coordinated with the stage production "The Secret Garden". Photography, painting, and textile artworks were featured in the exhibit.

The exhibition opened on September 17th and was open through October 30, 2019. The address of the Zephyr Theatre is:

Zephyr Theatre
601 Main Street North
Stillwater, MN 55082

Jean M. Judd, N.S.A. – 2807 State Road 87, Cushing WI 54006 – www.jeanjudd.com – jean@jeanjudd.com

Visit the Zephyr Theatre web site at <https://stillwaterzephyrtheatre.org/> for more information about the exhibition or call 651-342-1542 to speak to Deborah Healy, Art Gallery Director.

--**Artwork Reveal Newsletter**, Issue 17, July 2016. Featured artwork: *Butterflies in the Dark*.

--**Xanadu Gallery** Art Catalogue July 2015 on page 32.

--**ERAAA** (Elk River Area Art Alliance) 2011 Member Art Exhibition at the Sherburne County Government Center in Elk River, Minnesota. September 19 to November 3, 2011.

--**Art Quilts at the Tamarack**, White Bear Lake, MN: October 25 to November 30, 2010. Featuring *Butterflies in the Dark*. Opening reception at the Tamarack Nature Center is November 5, 2010.

--Included in the 2009 Annual Juried Art Competition at the **South Arkansas Arts Center** in El Dorado, Arkansas. The exhibition was from July 2-30, 2009, and featured 2D and 3D fine art media. The juror for this exhibition is Alfred J. Walker, art broker and gallery owner of Walker-Cunningham Gallery in Boston, MA.

--**Community Art Exhibition**, Amery Regional Medical Center, Amery, WI. March 17, 2009 to June 2009.