

Kathy Kauffman is July Exhibiter at Manville

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"Goddess Archetypes" is the title of the July exhibit at the University of Nevada School of Medicine's Manville Gallery.

Two of artist Kathy Kauffman's paintings, in oil and acrylic, depict Greek goddesses: "Demeter: The Adoption" and "Persephone: The Rape." Two Hindu goddesses also are rendered in her paintings "Yakshi Flying" and "Devi Praying In Stream."

In her painting "Greek Myth," the artist draws from the psychology of C.G. Jung. "In the Writings of Poimandres, a Pagan Gnostic, the krater was a vessel filled with spirit, which the creator God sent down to Earth so that those who strove for higher consciousness might be baptized in it."

Kauffman has earned two bachelor's degrees, one in far eastern studies at the University of Washington, Seattle, and one in studio fine arts at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. She also earned a master's of fine arts from the University of California, Irvine, and a doctoral degree from Union Graduate School in Cincinnati, Ohio. She also studied at the University of London, England; University of Belgrade, Yugoslavia; Academia de Bellas Artes, Madrid, Spain; and the University of Guanajuato, Mexico.

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Kauffman has exhibited extensively and taught at the University of Guanajuato, Mexico; UNLV; University of California, Irvine; Mt. St. Mary's College, Los Angeles; and is currently an instructor at Sierra Nevada College in Incline Village, Nevada.

Openings are usually held the first Monday of the month, but because of the July 4th holiday, the reception will be held July 5, from 5 - 7 p.m. in Manville Gallery. Gallery hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, and the public is welcome to come and browse. The gallery is partially supported by a grant from the Nevada State Council on the Arts.