



We Are Siamese...



Trouble and Stripes  
in the Pantry



The Aristocats

## Astrid Ruddick

### Biography

#### **Introduction**

Astrid graduated with a BA (Hons) in Fine Art Painting from Nottingham Polytechnic in 1991, having previously attended Norwich School Of Art. Previous work was of a figurative nature, using oils, acrylics and other drawing media. Astrid has always had an interest in natural history, in particular birds and animals. A love of cats has led to her specialising in feline portraiture as well as entering the world of the cat show with success.

Astrid was a founder member of The Society of Feline Artists, formed in September 1994. She has held posts on the S.O.F.A Committee, including General Secretary since it began. She was also on its Selection Committee in the Society's early days. She exhibited at the National Cat Club Show at Olympia, London in December 1994, which was the debut exhibition of The Society of Feline Artists. She has since exhibited, at Llewellyn Alexander (Fine Paintings), in Waterloo, London, firstly in September 1996 and again for the last 7 years, the most recent being in September this year. She also exhibited with the Society of Feline Artists at Patchings Art Centre in Nottinghamshire in 1997 and the Clifton gallery in Bristol in 1999. Llewellyn Alexander in London and The Focus Gallery in Nottingham both currently hold her work. Woodmansterne Publications have published her work as greetings cards. She has been featured in several magazines including The Artist, The Lady and The Leisure Painter. She will be exhibiting in the 'Best in Show' exhibition in Kensington, London at the Walton



Gallery in association with Commissionaportrait from 9th to 30th October 2002. Many of her works feature Siamese cats for which she has a particular passion. Her work is currently executed in acrylic medium on paper.



## Animals

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