



## *Commissioned Artwork*

Thank you for your interest in commissioning a painting by the artist Susan Heidi.

I am definitely available to do a commissioned painting from photographs – this is usually how I work since my larger paintings can take from 40-80 hours to complete. I am usually booked 3-6 months in advance, so please plan accordingly.

I'd like to know a bit more about what you are looking for in terms of size and subject matter (keep in mind that I don't paint nudes at this time – scantily clad is ok). My artwork ranges from 9x12" black & white sketches to 30" x 40" full figure acrylic paintings. My paintings can be done in watercolor, acrylics, or oils.

### **2009 Price Schedule**

Black & White Graphite OR color study: \$250 (9x12 – 11x14 inches depending on pose)

Full Color Pinup style (acrylic on board): \$1500 (11x14 in.) - \$10,000 (30x40 in)

Oil Portrait, head and shoulders: \$350 (8x10 in) - \$750 (11x14)

Oil Portrait, full figure: \$1500 (16x20) - \$3500 (18x24)

+ higher for larger or more intricate pose and background

Do you have a budget in mind? This might be a good starting place for me to recommend what type and size of painting would fit within your budget (I will supply examples). Also, some pictures that you are thinking of working from would be helpful. High resolution pictures are needed to get the best likeness, but aren't necessary for the preliminary stages.

Some things to keep in mind for any commissioned work:

30% deposit, approval of preliminary sketch, and signed contract due with initial order (payable through paypal, credit card, check, or money order) – work will not begin until payment has cleared.

Additional 20% due after working drawing is complete

Final payment due upon completion of painting (prior to shipment).

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Throughout the process I will keep you updated via e-mail on the progress of the painting (including pictures of the work in progress). I would also make every effort to work within an acceptable time-frame for completion of the painting, keeping in mind that my large full-figure paintings take between 4 – 6 weeks to complete from idea to finished work.

I look forward to working with you to create a piece of artwork that you will enjoy for years to come.

Best Regards,

*Susan*