

## Biography

The question of life and its existence is the backbone of her works. Janet Pancho Gupta is a diverse painter and photographer. When taking pictures she concentrates on her own philosophy to translate what she sees and transform the subject into visual object. Her works both painting and photography are depictions of the realities of humanity, whether socially, politically or spiritually. Self taught, Janet began painting portraits and is known for life like depiction of her subject's eyes and the energy they exude. She describes photography and painting as the perfect marriage in her never ending quest of knowing and expressing life. The artist has gone through many painful experiences and odds in her life but she remains focused on the positive side in life that opens one door to another door of opportunity and discovery. She has experimented with almost every medium but she finally choose watercolor as her main medium in painting. Her photography is like documentary of her daily life as mother, wife, woman, migrant and artist.