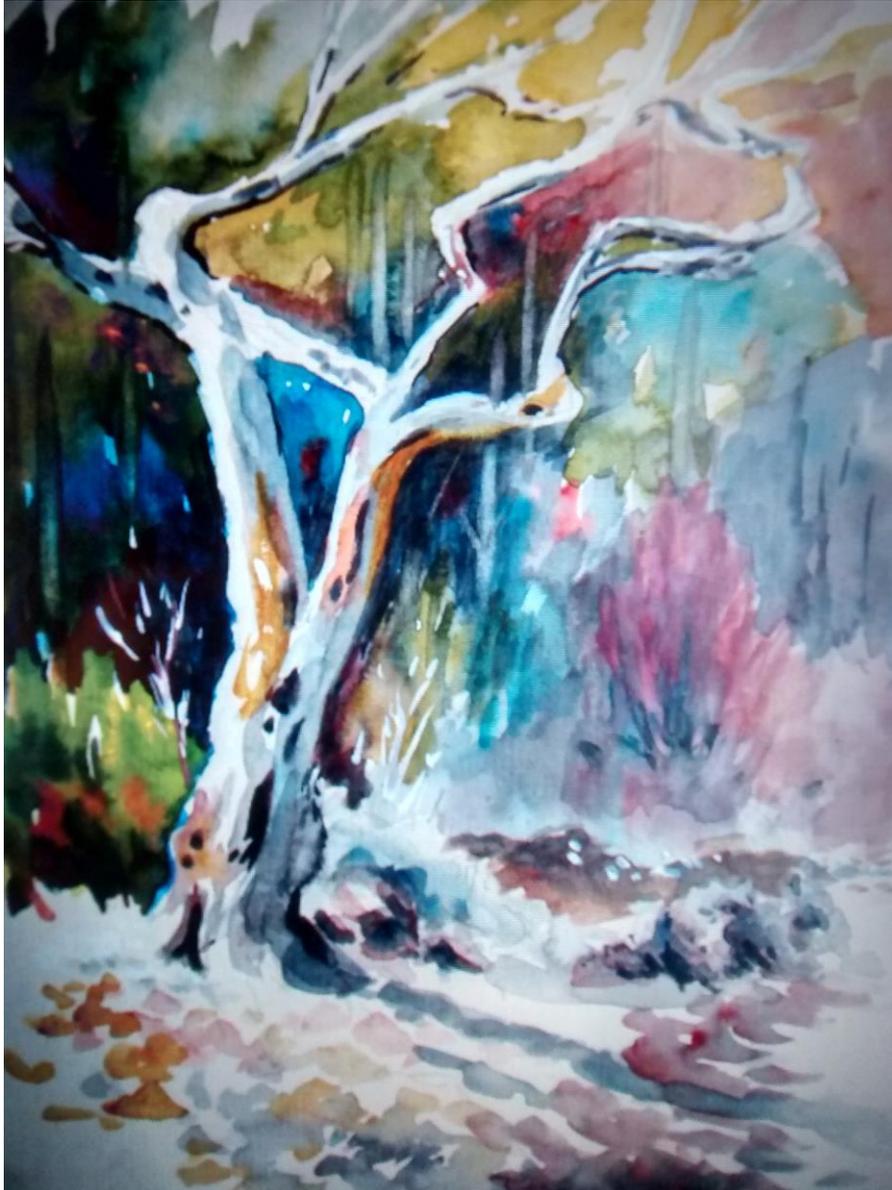


5 DAY
WATERCOLOUR PAINTING HOLIDAY
in PAXOS, GREECE
with
JOHN BAILEY



A 5 day Watercolour Painting Holiday on the island of Paxos, Greece
Small groups, relaxed atmosphere and friendly tuition

£150 plus travel and accommodation

AIMS

The aim is to help participants develop their watercolour painting techniques in a relaxed atmosphere with professional tuition and support. The painting holiday is set in an unspoilt area of Greece on the beautiful green island of Paxos, which provides lovely locations both for painting and relaxation. You will be with a small group of like-minded people and there will be opportunities to socialise and relax together as much as people wish.

PROGRAMME

We will normally paint in the mornings at the different locations, with demonstrations, individual tuition as required. We will also meet on some of the early evenings, either to paint, or for further tuition and critiques. While the tuition will be flexible to meet people's needs, it is likely to cover aspects such as composition, tone, colour and perspective.

LOCATION

The painting holiday will be based in Lakka on the small unspoilt island of Paxos, south of Corfu. It is a green island with olive trees and other green vegetation. There are 3 small pretty towns with harbours and tavernas which provide attractive painting locations together with beautiful coves and beaches for painting and swimming. Whilst most locations are easily reached from the hotel or by bus, some of the more remote locations involve a longer attractive walk through the olive groves.

ACCOMMODATION

The group will be based in a friendly family run hotel close to the centre of Lakka. The hotel provides simple accommodation with small studio apartments with individual balconies and limited cooking facilities. There is an excellent swimming pool and terrace bar.

FACILITIES

Lakka offers many attractions which include tavernas and restaurants for evening meals, and there is Greek dancing on the harbourside on Wednesday evenings. The hotel runs a small bus to one of the beaches with its own tavern and there is a good public bus service around the island. It is also possible to travel to Anti Paxos, a smaller undeveloped island with beautiful sandy beaches, and you can hire small boats to travel around the island and visit local beaches.

TUTOR

John Bailey is an experienced tutor and established watercolour artist working and exhibiting in the Cotswolds, Cornwall and Brittany. He is a member of the Fosseway Artists and Lansdown Art Club and has run workshops for beginners and more experienced artists for many years. He demonstrates regularly to local art groups and holds his own annual exhibition at his studio in Gloucestershire.

TRAVEL

Travel and accommodation for the group is arranged through a travel agent. Flights are from Birmingham or other regional airports to Corfu and thence by ferry to Paxos. The travel company provide escort on arrival in Corfu and for transfers to Paxos and to your accommodation.

COSTS

The fee for tuition is £150 which provides a total of 18 hours tuition spread over the week. The approximate cost of travel from the airport to Paxos and for the week's accommodation is from £450 per person, plus cost of meals, which are generally very reasonable.

For further information please contact John on 01285 760659

For booking confirmation please complete and return the booking form together with a 25% deposit of £30