VEER NARAYAN ARYA (ARTIST BIOGRAPHY)

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I am Veer Narayan Arya, born on September 10, 1967, in Uttar Pradesh. I am a Miniature Artist with over 38 years of experience, known for my work in Indian Miniature Art. Without any formal education, I learned the craft through dedication and guidance from my mentors, including Jagdeesh Sharma, Mahendra Sharma, and Ajeet Verma.

I own Artwale.com, where I showcase my art and conduct online classes. My work has been featured in numerous exhibitions and has earned me several prestigious awards, including the State Art Award in 2018 and the Kala Ratna Award in 2018. My paintings, known for their impressionist and surrealist styles, capture the vibrant essence of Indian culture and heritage.

Work Experience and Exhibitions:

- The Journey of the Guru and His Chela: Organized by Oxford Street Art (13 October 13 November).
- Rajasthan Lalit Kala Academy (59th Annual Art Exhibition): 15 February 2018.
- Education Career Fair 2018: Organized by State Guide Line Info Services, Jaipur.
- **3rd Photography Exhibition:** Organized by Pathfinder in association with Rajasthan Lalit Kala Academy (21 September 25 September 2018).
- **3rd Jaipur Kala Mahotsav 2019:** Organized by Pratibha Educational Development Research (17 January 21 January 2019).
- Festival of Education 2019: Organized by State Guide Line Info Services, Jaipur (18 May 19 May).
- Jaipur Kala Ratan Award Ceremony-2: Presented by Shakti Film Production (29 June 2019).
- **Bundi Utsav 2019:** Organized by Smt. Rukmani Riar Sihag (District Collector & District Magistrate).
- Infusion 6 (National Exhibition of Visual Arts): Presented by Kala Charcha (7 July 12 July 2022).
- 6th National Online/Offline Art Exhibition: Presented by Parindon Ki Udaan Society of Artists (3 June 6 June 2022).
- Santosh Smriti Kala-Charcha Srajan Samman 2021: Organized by Kala Manthan (9 January 2022).

Awards & Achievements:

- State Art Award 2018: For "Virasat Plight" painting in the 59th annual art exhibition organized by Rajasthan Lalit Kala Academy.
- Kala Ratana Award 2018: In the 12th National Art Festival, Tonk (Raj.), organized by Intimate Art and Education Welfare Society, Tonk (Raj.).
- Festival of Education Artist Award 2019: For "Miniature Art Demonstration."
- Jaipur Kala Ratana Award 2019: Presented by Shakti Film Production (29 June 2019).
- Santosh Smriti Kala-Charcha Srajan Samman 2021: Organized by Kala Manthan.
- International Award for Artistic Excellence 2021: Presented by Global Art Forum.
- Lifetime Achievement Award 2022: For contributions to Indian Miniature Art, presented by Art and Culture Society of India.
- Tonk Ratan Award: Recognized for significant contributions to the field of miniature art.

Style of Paintings

My paintings are known for their impressionist and surrealist styles. They capture the hustle and bustle of heritage life, figurative movements, festive seasons, seascapes, and the many moods of nature. I use various mediums like watercolor and stone color with gold work. My brush strokes speak of many things, and I have a fine sense of composition with an eye for subtle details and a tactile sense of Indian culture.

Personal Details:

- Name: Veer Narayan Arya
- Father's Name: Sh. Mangi Lal Arya
- Date of Birth: 10 September 1967
- Nationality: Indian
- Religion: Hindu
- Marital Status: Married
- Guru: Mahendra Sharma, Jaishankar Sharma

Declaration: - The above information is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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