

Mary F Ruppert

2021 Annual Members Showcase- June
4th - June 26th, 2021

Title of Image **Tulip Fantasy**

Dimensions of Image **16 W x 20 H**

Medium of Image **Archival Color Print**

Price of Image **\$200**

Artist Statement

Capturing the natural – land and sea – the skies and the gardens - as well as the earth’s children - is my passion. In a spiritual sense, these represent all that is right and pure with the universe. I capture environmental beauty in order to preserve it while it is so threatened by our enemies abroad as well as from within through pollution and carelessness.

I grew up with photography in my father’s darkroom. I have been seriously photographing and exhibiting for the last thirty years. I have won awards in juried competitions and have been featured in newspapers and galleries in the New York area. I was awarded first place in black and white prints for all of Long Island and first place in color prints in my region for several consecutive years.

SHUTTERBUG magazine featured one of my photographs in a special segment as well as on its cover with a credit. I have exhibited and sold my photography throughout the New York area for the last ten years. A line of note cards featuring several images I produced using a unique kind of floral photography was developed several years ago entitled *Élégant-A Floral Collection*. In the last ten years, my images have been licensed internationally for “Wall Décor” art in the form of posters and prints as well as for boxed and single greeting cards.

