



*Finishing a sailing ship in my new oil painting, Calm before the Storm.
A full image will be available soon [here](#).*

Dear

It's the time of year I get butterflies fluttering around in my stomach as I finish preparations for my annual Thanksgiving Weekend Studio Tour Open House, part of the annual SouthEastern Delaware Artists Studio Tour, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 24th & 25th.

It's my 23rd, but I don't think there's ever been a tour where I've finished everything I'd hoped to. I've still got two paintings to finish, others to hang, holiday delectables to prepare and a very long garland to help Duane hang very, very high in the exhibit space next to my in-gallery studio.

In the meantime, the 10% discount on my prints and small gift items bearing my paintings' images and artisan's handmade gifts ends Friday, the first day of the two-day tour.

The discount may not seem huge when stores selling made in China wares offer 50% to 70% off, but to this artist-owned gallery and my artisans, it is, and we thank you for your purchases.

The discount applies to my just-in new mug, mousepad and journal designs (pictured, one side of my new [Patience](#) wraparound mug), too. You can find them all now on my website under "[Ellen's Small Gifts.](#)"



The biggest savings with the coupon at the bottom of this email is on my oversized canvas gicle'e reproductions and on our butterfly, dragonfly and other [bench designs](#), chairs (pictured at right in my gallery's Florida room entrance) and tables by my friend Cindy Vega.

Between us we're offering free shipping on the benches, too, a savings of hundreds of dollars on each one ordered.

Examples of my largest archival canvas reproductions of my paintings can be seen hanging in the ballroom, lobby and restaurant of the Marriott Residence Inn (Bethany Oceanside Suites) on the boardwalk in downtown Bethany Beach and in my gallery.



During the tour there will be a special offer for debuting prints of my new paintings, including the painting above and my 8th Strength of Woman painting, "Whatsoever Things are Lovely." It's my annual Thanks-giving tour gift. I'll send more details closer to the tour.

In the meantime, if you wish to purchase anything before the tour, please remember to enter the coupon code below when ordering online or mention the discount when phoning or stopping in. This offer is only extended to my newsletter subscribers.

Wishing you safe travels,

Ellen



Events forthcoming over the next four weeks

Friday and Saturday, Nov. 24 & 25, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - SEDAST Studio Tour - A free, self-guided [tour](#) showcasing 14 artists and artisans this year. (My in-gallery studio will be open until 5 Friday and Saturday and also on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.) I have brochures/maps to all tour artists in the gallery.

Saturday, Dec. 2, 10 a.m. to noon & 1 to 5 p.m. - Miniature Artist Ann Cooper returns with Christmas lanterns featuring my paintings on easels or around Christmas trees. Come early. Her lanterns sell very quickly, and the Christmas ones are a surefire sellout. They're each one of a kind.



Saturday, Dec. 9, 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. - Disney travel expert Duane Whitman will talk about what's new with Disney this holiday season and beyond and help you plan and book one of the best surprises you can give your family this holiday season. Hourly presentations, question and answer periods and private consultations as time allows.

Hours

We will be closed on Wednesday to finish preparing for the studio tour. We will resume being open 7 days a week after Thanksgiving. We can still be reached every day by email via the [contact page](#) on my website.

Call the Gallery at (302) 539-3405 or visit [ellenrice.gallery](#) for more information.

Here are some of the artists participating in the discount for pre-Thanksgiving orders, found in the dropdown menu of my [website](#) under American Handmade:

Jim Flood's [Bovano enameled wall and table sculptures](#)

Jeff Peters's porcelain [ikebanas & tide clocks](#)

John Davis' [Inner Spirit Rattles](#)

Terrie & Richard Floyd's [whimsical wooden clocks and toys](#)

Cindy Vega's [Garden Furniture & Art \(including our butterfly benches](#) & more, for the first time in 19 years, with complementary shipping

Luke Adams' beautiful [glass art starfish, hearts](#) and more

My popular ["Beach Ball" sand globes](#) with the Coastal Point featuring my work on a lounge chair

Jewelry by a variety of American jewelry artists

CL Whiting's [Leaf Leather](#)

Cate & Levi's [children's puppets](#)

Steve Baldwin's [wooden toys](#) (for children and adults)

Matthew Thomas' hand honed, inlaid [cutting boards, bread boards and sushi boards](#)

My [prints](#).

A word of caution: if you intend to order with delivery in time for the holidays, please do so as soon as possible. I know there will be cutoff dates earlier than Nov. 24 for some artists. -- Ellen

Thank you.

ENJOY
10% OFF *

Be sure to enter code
CHRISTMASART2017 at checkout
to save!

* Percentage taken off original prices. Noted
consignment art excluded.

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