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Witte Museum to Host 60th Annual Texas Watercolor Society Exhibit

SAN ANTONIO—The **Witte Museum** is proud to host the **60th Annual Texas Watercolor Society (TWS)** exhibit, on view for a limited engagement in the Betty Coates Textile Gallery **March 7** through **March 22**. The exhibit is included with general museum admission.

This year's exhibit features 59 watercolor paintings, including the winner *Cupcake Falls*, by San Antonio artist Ric Dentinger.

Nationally known watercolorist, juror, educator and author, Pat Dews, served as the juror for this year's exhibit, which drew hundreds of entries from throughout the United States. Dews is a graduate of the Fashion Institute of Technology in New York and a signature member of the American Watercolor Society.

The TWS was founded in 1949 by San Antonio's own Margaret Pace Willson and Amy Freeman Lee with the mission to advance the art of painting in watercolors, and hold annual exhibitions of watercolor paintings—which were exhibited at the Witte Museum from 1950 until 1970. In the beginning the exhibit was selected by nationally recognized jurors and limited to artists residing in Texas. Today, 60 years later, TWS continues to promote the high standards set by its founders. As a national exhibit, TWS proudly takes its place among the elite watercolor organizations in the nation.

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