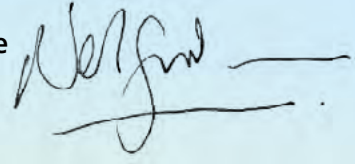




# From the President California Watercolor Association

"The world always seems brighter when you've just made something that wasn't there before."



To all fellow artists...

**Now is the time to brighten the world.  
Please continue to create and  
share your creations.**

I was working on a painting and it hit me, why don't I make some postcards while I'm waiting for paint to dry? Wait, why don't I randomly send these postcards to CWA members to reach out to them during these isolating moments? Yes! I've posted to our CWA Facebook page what I'm doing and I encourage everyone to reach out and "touch" someone with a tiny creation!

Here are the official sizes for small postcards as designated by USPS:

Maximum thickness - 0.016 (I use 140 lb. watercolor paper)

Minimum length = 5 inches

Maximum length = 6 inches

Minimum height = 3.5 inches

Maximum height = 4.25 inches

I use my scrap watercolor paper and make the postcards 4 inches by 6 inches.

Postage is \$0.35

Please consider taking a moment and sending a postcard to someone. Your tiny creation may be the only bright spot in someone's day.

*Carol Husslein*  
CWA President

