

“Keep your face to the sunshine and you cannot see the shadows. It’s what the sunflowers do.”

*Helen Keller*

The days are getting longer in the Northern Hemisphere and Easter Celebrations are here! All the SoCal folks, hope you are enjoying the Spring flowers and “Super Bloom”. Nature is birthing, renew your love with your fur folks with smiles and attention now. Lots of kittens, puppies, babies on their way, help find them forever homes and love!

### EVENTS AND MY NEWS FLASHES

My hometown of Ojai is celebrating spring with Pixie Tangerines now...so sweet: <http://www.ojaipixies.com/about-pixie-tangerines/> The valley is scented with orange blossoms, and nice hiking trails. Inviting you up to Ojai, come and take part and record your visit with one of my sketch crawls! Sign up: <https://www.airbnb.com/experiences/303374>

**Fur Shui’s 2nd release: Larger format and Kindle. To purchase: Fur Shui**

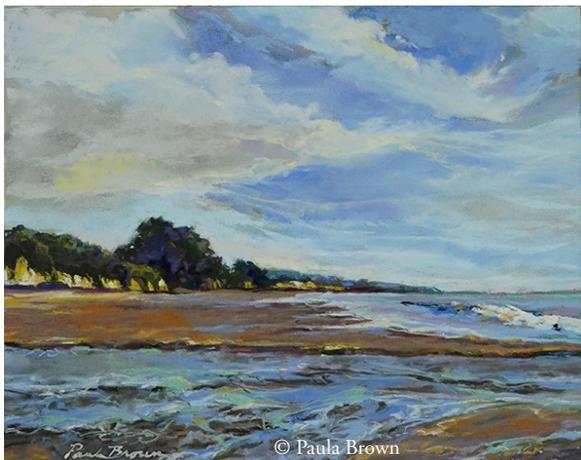


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### WHERE?

SCAPE (SoCalArtistsPainting for the Environment): <http://www.s-c-a-p-e.org/> has its first of two exhibitions /shows at The Ritz Carlton Bacara in Goleta, CA on Fri & Sat, April 19 & 20. If you are in the area, great art, beautiful coastal spot to explore! Hope to have paintings “on the wall” for a good Conservancy Cause.

*My 10 x 8 in. pastel painting of The Slough, Gaviota, CA. “Flowing to the Sea.”*



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*Here’s Eloise! My sketch of Stacey’s sweet dog who was a rescue due to health issues. Young and old have such love!*

### WHO, HOW, AND WHAT?

**Happy celebration of new beginnings, Easter!**

In Western Christianity, Easter Sunday must always follow the first full moon after the Spring Equinox. A religious holiday celebrating the resurrection of Christ from the dead and is celebrated by Christians throughout the world. A triumph of life! Be it Passover, Easter, new births, here’s more info: <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Easter>

**Time to be aware of new life and sharing love with rescue animals of all species and ages. Kitten and puppy litters are now arriving.** It is time to be aware of spay and neutering, adoptions, and new forever homes. Please support your local non-kill rescues and spay & neuter clinics, you can get a listing of Human Societies here: <https://bit.ly/2IC-b0l4> Here are a few tips in welcoming or introducing a new fur family member to your home:

**Introduce your fur folks FIRST:** Please take your pet to visit a new possible partner. Spend as much time as possible watching, meeting, and finding out the past of the animal you have picked!

**Get a communication done with your pet as well as the prospective pet:** Find out what each wants, needs, as well as the energetic “map” for the new fur folk. This is time to use both your heart and your head. Some animals need to be the ONLY one in your life. Time well spent to find out!

**Use some “comfort” Flower Essences to treat the emotional bodies of all of you (<http://www.fesflowers.com/>):** Get a custom Essence “Need Read” for your pet or a newcomer (I do these all the time!). YOU take these as well! Some Essences to help with change are: Walnut, Honeysuckle, Beech. **Email me** for a pdf of HOW to dilute and give! Happy sharing of love!

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