

# Vintage Jewel Art

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## The Story of Creating Unique Art from Vintage Jewels and Polished Stones

Jenny Junior is an interior designer and artist. Jenny founded her design studio, Jenny Junior Interiors, in Hertfordshire over 20 years ago and has built one of the leading, independent, interior design businesses in Hertfordshire.

With a passion for vintage jewellery, Jenny began working with the reflective beauty of semi-precious stones, pearls, glass and goldwork, to create dream-like images from nature and the natural world.

Every jewel, stone and bead is hand-stitched onto a silk canvas, over hundreds of hours, to create unique pictures which glisten in the light.

Jenny's art can be viewed at galleries in Hertfordshire and her work has featured in exhibitions curated by the Harpenden Art Society.

Each piece is constituted from multiple, semi-precious materials, including real pearls, abalone shell, malachite, blue quartz, agate, amethyst, onyx and silver or gold thread needlework.

The collection comprises scenes from the ocean, from landscape and from the animal kingdom.

In addition to her own commercially available art, Jenny takes commissions from her interior design clients and from the general public.

Jenny comments: "if you possess cherished pieces of vintage or costume jewellery and would like to preserve them in a unique way, I can work with you to create something truly unique to display in your home".

*Jenny Junior*

### Example works featured in this catalogue:

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**Ocean Collection**  
Shoal  
29cm x 62cm

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**Ocean Collection**  
Sea Eagle  
29cm x 62 cm

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**Ocean Collection**  
Tropical Water  
29cm x 62cm

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**Ocean Collection**  
Treasure chest  
29cm x 62cm

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**Ocean Collection**  
Sailing at Sunset  
29cm x 62cm

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**Myth & Magic**  
Scarab  
Spirit of Beauty  
Secret Cottage Garden

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“Ocean: Sailing at Sunset” is a voyage between the setting sun and a rising jewel moon, using polished shells, coral, gold jewel starfish and sea creatures to depict the undersea world.  
£995



“Ocean: Sea Eagle” features the grandest of ocean birds of prey, fishing over a sea bed of pearls, polished shells and stones, jewelled sea creatures and gold thread.  
£995



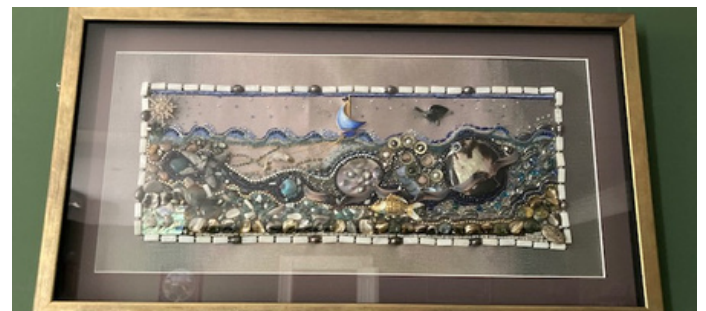
“Ocean: Tropical Water” features multiple elements, including Blue Quartz, Malachite, Clear Fluorite, Silver and Glass, alongside jewelled tropical fish.  
£995



“Ocean: Treasure Chest”, on the bottom of the sea, using abalone Shell, Agate, Coral, Marble, Moonstone, Pearls, Silver, multi-coloured Quartz and featuring Seahorse, deco fish and Octopus.  
£995



“Ocean: Shoal” features swirling shoals of fish, octopus, seahorses and shells are brought into relief using Abalone Shell, Agate, Coral, Marble, Moonstone, Pearls, Silver and multi-coloured Quartz and Glass.  
£995 (Sold)

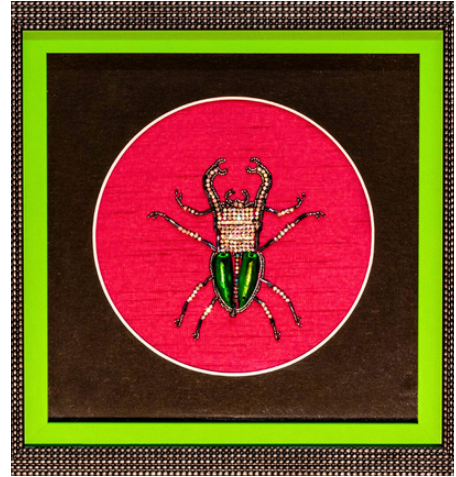


“Ocean: Wave Rider” depicts a small, blue-sailed boat brooch making heavy work of choppy seas, contrasting the calm of an ocean floor made from abalone shells, pearls, polished glass beads with jewelled fish and sea creatures. 31cm x 72cm  
£995 (Sold)





“Myth & Magic: Spirit of Beauty” is a mystical scene depicting Celtic “faeries” travelling across rays of emanating magic, made in Abalone Shell, Silver, Sequins, Rhinestones and Glass. 30cm x 30cm  
£300 (Sold)



“Myth & Magic: Scarab” is a striking work in rhinestones and beetle wings, which glistens under both interior lighting and in daylight to illustrate the mystical history of Pharaoh’s Egypt. 26cm x 26cm  
£300



“Myth & Magic: Secret Cottage Garden” combines elements of Blue Quartz, Malachite, Clear Fluorite, Silver and Glass, alongside jewelled animals and garden creatures to create a scene from childhood memory. 43cm x 43cm  
£1,495

The art shown herein is a selection from a larger collection of works by Jenny Junior.

If you would like to see other works from the wider collection or wish to discuss a private commission, using your own jewellery and treasured items, please contact Jenny via email or phone the interior design studio.

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