



Alison Parry

Alison graduated with a 2:1 in Fine Art from Southampton Solent University in July 2006. Since then she has worked in galleries and continued with her artwork, exhibiting in and around Oxfordshire.

The **central focus** of her work is **memories**. By exploring a variety of mediums and techniques, such as paint, print, sound and video, Alison **portrays her concept** and ideas in many **different ways**.

She has just finished a series of paintings called **Seasons**. Each set of paintings deals with a different season, the change in weather, appearance within the landscape and her thoughts at the time. All the paintings deal with **grief** and are based upon the memories of a close friend and the places she associated her with. She has explored different paint and painting techniques, **pushing the boundaries** of what paint can do in order to depict the moment, the feeling, the look. Using this method Alison is currently working on a collection of paintings using her day to day **emotions, thoughts and struggles**.

She always uses **distorted text** in her work, whether it be written or spoken. She comments on the change both physically within a landscape and emotionally within her, her thoughts and feelings, perhaps those that she never wants to fully reveal.

"Everyone has memories hidden somewhere; secrets untold; feelings unsaid; my work is a way of me expressing some of these."