

Nayer Kazemi

Water Art is the trademark under which artist Nayer Kazemi creates her beautiful wall and tabletop fountains. But Kazemi is a gifted artist who also works in the mediums of drawing, oil painting, ceramics, wood and plaster carving, and Ayeneh Karri, the ancient Persian art of mirror work.

This eclectic approach to art is apparent in Kazemi's fountains alone, which feature contemporary and traditional designs that draw upon a truly global artistic heritage.

The Artist

Nayer Kazemi studied fine arts at Tehran University, California State University Los Angeles, and the Art Center College of Design in Pasadena. She has explained her attraction to the creation of Water Art in this way:

"98% of the human body is composed of water. Three-quarters of our planet is covered by water. Water is in the soil, the air, water is in every part of nature. Seeing, feeling and hearing the sound of water brings peace and tranquility to many aspects of our lives.

"By exploring, and journeying through this art form, it is my hope and desire to create balance and harmony in my work and my life. Perhaps in this way my work may touch the lives of others."

The Fountains

Kazemi's Water Art fountains are made using steel, copper, rock, terracotta, slate, and other materials. Kazemi frequently uses a bowl or box-like design for her tabletop pieces. What is unique about Kazemi's designs is that she employs not only Zen or Asian styles, but creates other pieces that are more enigmatically traditional, such as the suggestive ziggurat quality of the Simple Flow Table Top fountain.

Kazemi also fully embraces modern styles, particularly in her wall fountains, which can vary from austere minimalism to a sensuality that is both lush and confined.

That the artistry and aesthetic skill of Nayer Kazemi's fountains sets them apart is as clear as the water that inspired them. A Kazemi Water Art fountain would be a tasteful and perceptive choice for your home or office décor.