

## **JASMINKA GABRIE**

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PROFESSION: Proprietress of Fine Art. EDUCATION: My formal education was not in art. I've spent more than twenty-five years acquiring knowledge through experience, reading, exploring, listening to my mentor (an internationally known art dealer who is now ninety-four), and building relationships—learning something new every day! AWARDS/HONGS/PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS: My greatest honor is honoring and serving others. Outside the art world, my interest in combining philanthropy and charitable work is realized through activity in International Orthodox Christian Charities. I serve on the Executive Board of my local church and spearhead retreats and self-improvement opportunities for women. Speaking engagements have taken me throughout

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the world. My love for introducing the culinary delights of Serbia and the Middle East to the curious has enabled me to share my table and travel experiences with many. PROFESSIONAL FANTASY? To replace every mirror over a fireplace in Pasadena with an original painting from Galerie Gabrie! WHAT IS YOUR GREATEST PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVE-MENT? Three feathers in my cap are the sale of historically significant paintings by John Singer Sargent, Pierre-Auguste Renoir, and Maxfield Parrish. Day-to-day business success is achieved by recognizing exceptional talent, launching careers, and pairing specific collector tastes with their needs and budgets. Having successfully organized more than 100 group and solo exhibitions, I enjoy a fine reputation and the respect of my peers. FREE ADVICE: Marry wisely. Learn to identify quality in all things. Balance your passion with hard work. Aspire to create harmony in your daily environment by surrounding yourself with beauty at all times.