



*Drawing on experience*



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Hi.

# I'm Ally Tate

I'm an artist based in Dorset, I specialise in offering portrait experiences with a personal touch.

## Why choose Ally Tate Commission ?

Ally is a self representing artist she sells online and directly and has exhibited in the Dorset area. She is a self taught artist and has built her reputation with her stunning and detailed pet portraits and equestrian commissions .

She works in a number of media but is best know for her pencil work although her pastel and watercolours are proving equally popular.

She also has a growing collection of watercolour landscapes and sea-scapes.



## Drawing on experience...

The best way to start is by looking at Ally's website so that you are familiar with her work and style. Then contact her to discuss your needs







## Commissions.

*Ally - 'I can work from photos. It is usually helpful to send a couple of photos so I can get a feel for the subject. You must however own the rights or have written permission to use the photo. Once I have a subject to work from we need to discuss size, media and agree a timeline. I like to work with my clients to capture both likeness and that special element that captures the character of your pet. Hopefully we can work together to create that special piece that you will love for many years to come.'*

### *Working from Photos:*

Ally can work from photos, it is best to send more than one which can help with composition and detail. Ally will only work from a photo you own the rights too of that you have written permission to use in this way. During the process she will send some planning shots to ensure she is on the right track. When the work is complete she will send a final draft, once you are happy with your artwork she will arrange delivery or collection. Her works are presented mounted but not framed.

### *Location Sessions:*

For equestrian projects Ally has undertaken some location work with clients although this is currently limited to the Dorset



## ***Tips for planning your commission:***

Here are some things that are helpful to consider when planning your commission

- Subject,
- Are you wanting a portrait or the whole figure (this will impact on detail)
- How many subjects (1 or 2 max)
- Size, it may be worth considering this along side potential number of subjects
- Media - (pencil, pastel or watercolour)
- Time line
- Background detail (Ally's work often only has simple backgrounds.
- Delivery (media and size will impact on cost and how it needs to be packed and handled

These are just points for consideration the best thing is to talk to Ally and find out what she can do for you.





## *Many strings to her bow...*

Ally's main love is animal and pet portraits however she has a growing following of collectors or her seascapes. In May 2014 her work 'Wagtail little boat of lime' won a commendation in a national competition.

Ally has more recently enjoyed a more colourful challenge of silk painting, she likes to refer to it as wearable art. She sold this work form artisan during Dorset arts week and online from Folksy

Ally's work can be found on line trading as 'Atategallery' on Folksy and Etsy and Artsy

# Art the gift that last a *lifetime*.

## WHICH PACKAGE IS RIGHT FOR YOU?

A summary of costs and possible package options, if your needs differ just contact Ally direct for a formal quote.

### *Pencil:*

Graphite on Bristol board

This price is based on

- single subject
- Size A4 (other sizes considered)
- Work from photo\*

- Artwork mounted for security during transit

**Prices from £55**



### *Watercolour:*

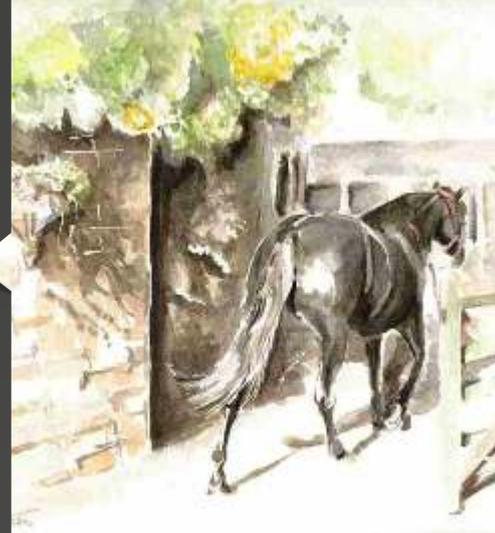
Windsor and Newton watercolour on cold pressed knott.

This price is based on

- single subject
- Size A4
- Work from photo\*

- Artwork mounted for security during transit

**Prices from £65**



### *Pastel :*

Using a blend of hard and soft pastel on a pastel paper that compliment your subject.

This price is based on

- single subject
- Size A4
- Work from photo\*

- Artwork mounted for security during transit  
pastel work needs careful transportation

**Prices from £85**





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