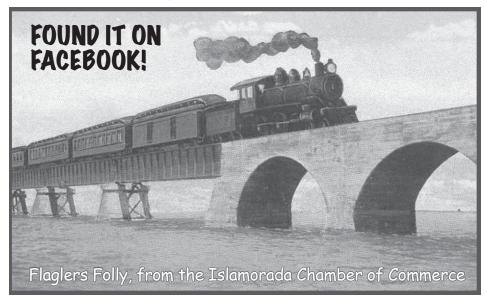
Céline Tanguay is a native of Lac Saint-Jean, Quebec. One of 11 children, she lived until the age of 26 in the small village of Notre-Dame de Lorette, near a beautiful river.

Inspired by watching her father carve and paint, Céline inherited his passion for art in all its forms.

From a young age, her favorite day of the week was Friday because she could draw and color all day. She

loved it and applied herself to learning all the skills in art, fascinated with it. She is still fascinated with it.



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She was also in love with music and singing, so at the age of 16 she became a professional local singer. She did this up until the age of 26, when she married, and subsequently adopted of three wonderful Haitian children. She feels blessed and she and her husband are now happy grandparents!

Céline is currently residing in the region of Portneuf in Quebec, where she has lived for nearly forty years.

Having always liked color and painting, she concentrated her efforts for a few years, trying different styles, until discovering acrylic applied with spatulas. She likes to see the dimensional relief in her paintings, and spends several hours every week working on them.

Céline took workshops with professional artists such as Marie Laberge (acrylic) and others for water color, but it really is acrylic that sparks her creativity.

Céline enjoys life in the countryside. She says, "Everything inspires me, birds and animals of the forest. I am fortunate to live in an environment of lakes and rivers. I have captured moments: a duck and her ducklings; a beautiful deer or perched on a stump; a squirrel ... I capture a little pause in time." Many of her subjects are landscapes and houses, typically Québécois.

To see Céline Tanguay's work, please stop in The Art Box (mm 100.6 Bayside in Key Largo) during November or call 305-451-5461.









Céline Tanguay's work features the countryide and quiet moments in nature, in Qubec, where she lives. She works in acrylics, and likes to build texture on her paintings using a palette knife.



