



Bonnie (Betts) Staffel - Class of 1939

Bonnie (Betts) Staffel is an award-winning ceramic artist who has her work on exhibit in galleries across northern Michigan. Her home studio is in Charlevoix, Michigan where she continues to create her beautiful, signature, stoneware pieces. After high school, Bonnie studied commercial and fine art in Houston, Texas and at the American Academy of Art in Chicago. Over the years, she has been a resident potter and teacher in the United States and abroad. She has published videos about her craft and is active in sharing her knowledge with other potters worldwide through teaching arts & crafts classes and Internet forums.