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Age knew better than to get in the way of Patti Wilk and her artistic interests! From five years old, she knew her journey would be excitingly colourful. Finding immense pleasure in collecting pottery and glassware, Patti enjoyed being a stained-glass artisan for 23 years. Diverse in her talents, her early careers included medical lab technologist, and educational assistant. When she discovered the world of clay art however, her life changed forever. Patti exclaims "I knew I had found a craft that would challenge me both creatively and intellectually through wonderfully varied pottery techniques!"

To her, pottery production is an astonishing blend of artistry, creativity, and science, and for the past 10 years, Patti has enjoyed delving into a fantasy realm of conjuring fantastic clay pieces. She now spends her time skillfully throwing on the wheel, creating dishes with clay slabs, sculpting, coil building, extruding or carving. The final touch to many of her masterpieces is glazing, which absolutely thrills her. Placing a pot into the kiln for a final firing excites Patti, since she has no idea what treasure will reveal itself at the end. With Patti's mind abuzz with ideas, anticipation is rife for future creations.