



ABORIGINAL ART GALLERIES

BELINDA GOLDER



Born 1986 in Alice Springs, Northern Territory into the Anmatyerre tribe, Belinda Golder is an emerging Aboriginal artist who lives in Utopia with her family. Her sister, Janet Golder, is also a talented artist and she has gained major popularity, exhibiting not only locally and nationally but also internationally. Their grandmother, Polly Ngale, is a renowned and well known artist from Utopia who's path the younger artists are following.

Belinda's effervescent and colourful artworks are recognizable and eye catching, making her an artist to watch as her portfolio grows. Now in her early 30's, Belinda continues to develop her style as she produces more quality art work. Coming from such a renowned family of gifted artists, painting has been in Belinda's life since she was a young girl living in Alice Springs. Taking inspiration from the women that came before her, Belinda is inspired by the land and showcases her perspective on indigenous culture.

Belinda's artwork has been showcased in various galleries around Australia. Belinda is known for her beautiful portrayal of Bush Plums. The Ahakeye, called Bush Plum in English, is known as a native current or citrus. The shrub grows 3 meters high and produces small white flowers, which Belinda also paints as well as the fruit. Its leaves are deep green and the plum is black when ripe and very small. The fruit is sweet and can be reconstituted in water if dry. You will often see vibrant reds and oranges in Belinda's work, representing the desert sand, and striking purples, pinks, and greens; the colour of Bush Plums throughout their ripening process.