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Present: Stone sculptor and co-owner of Starfish Studio, Inc. with art mate, Priscilla May Alden, tapestry weaver and print maker.

General Experience: Full career in banking and finance, doing sculpture part time until retirement in 2009, at which time sculpture became a full time endeavor.

 Education: B.A. University of Vermont; M.B.A. Northeastern University, Beta Gamma Sigma Honors.
Stone Carving workshops with French sculptor Nicole Durand, Don Justin Meserve, Round Pond, ME, Constantine Serferlis at Round Top Center for the Arts and Andy Serfelis at River Arts and master hand stone letterer Douglas Coffin.

Blacksmithing and wood sculpture workshops at Haystack Mountain School of Crafts.

Art Related Work

Created Starfish Studio with art mate Priscilla May Alden, operating a retail arts business in Damariscotta ME from 1997 through 2001, then running it as a studio selling through other galleries.

Co-founded a cooperative in Boothbay, Salt River Artisans Gallery, from 2004 through 2008.

Member of artist group co-operating Studio 53 Fine Arts Gallery in Boothbay Harbor since 2010.

Professional member and treasurer of the Maine Stone Workers Guild and Maine Stone Workers Guild Education Fund.

Participating sculptor in the J.C. Stone annual stone symposiums, October 2011 and September 2010, Jefferson ME

Featured artist for Studio 53 Fine Art Gallery 2012 & 2016; and sculpture garden, Boothbay Harbor, ME August 2012-2016

Juried statewide "Art in ME" show (two sculptures), Boothbay Region Art Foundation 2014, 2016

Viles Arboretum Stone Sculpture Symposium, Augusta ME Sept 11-21, 2015 and September 30-October 10, 2016

 Exhibitions Art Collector Maine, Portland Art Gallery, Portland ME and Gallery at The Grand and Cape Arundel Inn, Kennebunkport; Studio 53 Fine Arts Gallery, Gleason Fine Arts Gallery, Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens (exhibition and permanent collection), River Arts, Knickerbocker Group Gallery, Boothbay Region Art Foundation; Firehouse Gallery, Round Top Center for the Arts, Seven Waters Gallery, Damariscotta region; Boothbay Harbor Framers Gallery, Salt River Artisans Gallery, Starfish Studio Gallery; and Siddhia Hutchinson Gallery, Vieques PR Dick Alden Sculptor Starfish Studio P O Box 213 East Boothbay, ME 04544 Cell 207 441 6080 <u>starfishstudiome@gmail.com</u> <u>www.studio53fineart.com</u> www.artcollectormaine.com