

The Empress Welcomes Emily

Join in the goal of erecting the Statue of Emily Carr at the corner of Belleville and Government streets.

As one of Canada's best-known and well-loved artists, Emily Carr (1871-1945) has no public monument in Victoria where she lived and produced most of her work. Emily is also recognised as a significant writer, winner of The Governor General's Literary Award for her book *Klee Wyck* in 1941.

The statue of Emily will be 1.25 times life size. Emily will be seated on a rock with a sketchpad on her lap. She will have her monkey 'Woo' on her shoulder and her dog 'Billie' at her side.

With ¼ of the \$450,000 already collected, your donation will help fund this statue of Emily to honour and recognize her contribution to arts and culture in British Columbia.

Barbara Paterson is a Canadian artist who has sculpted numerous public commissions commemorating Canadian women, including the "Famous Five" monuments in Calgary's Olympic Square and on Parliament Hill, Ottawa. A detail image from the "Famous Five" monuments was featured on a Canada Post stamp in October 1999, and is currently pictured on the Canadian \$50.00 bill. Edmonton is Barbara Paterson's home and where, in the studio, she creates her sculptures.



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