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Most of Elaine Levy's adult life was dedicated to Art — teaching appreciation and technique, helping other people share her knowledge and love of things artistic. After "retiring" to Leisure World she taught classes in art appreciation and conducted trips to museums for class members.

After graduating from Hunter College she taught elementary classes by day and attended Teacher's College at Columbia University at night to earn her M.A. After her marriage she did substitute teaching covering a wide variety of subjects in addition to art. After the death of her husband and with her youngest daughter still in high school, she decided to start an art school in her own home. Her students ranged in years from pre-teens to grandmothers. It was a great success.

Through the years, Mrs. Levy continued teaching art subjects in New York City public schools and several colleges, meantime also going on with her own art studies. Before coming to Leisure World she was an educational consultant for the Xerox Corporation for four years.

A talented artist herself, her paintings have been exhibited. In addition to her art work she enjoyed table tennis, cooking, swimming, gardening, playing bridge and Scrabble. She maintained memberships in museums and art guilds on both East and West coasts.

But her overwhelming interest was bringing an expanded understanding of great painting to others. To this work she brought boundless enthusiasm and dedication. The result: the lives of her students, whatever their age, were greatly enriched.