Jean Ritter is a prominent piano teacher in Abbotsford and in the Fraser Valley.  Over the years she has taught many students to love music and has helped countless piano, pedagogy and theory students succeed on their exams.  Her instruction in piano pedagogy in particular is very thorough and is based on her many years experience as a teacher.  As a result a number of her pedagogy students have been awarded the BC gold medal on their exams.  In addition to being an amazing teacher she is also a lovely person and I feel blessed to have her as my teacher.

Kathleen Feenstra

Jean is a master teacher. She is committed to lifelong learning, and she is invested in her
students. When I was in highschool I studied music theory with Jean and received top marks.
Her ability to prepare students for exams is superior to any other teacher I have ever studied
with. She is passionate and fun, yet has high standards and demands the best from her
students.

Going way beyond marks on exams, Jean is also teaching the whole person, and truly cares for
each one of her students. Now as an adult opening my own studio, Jean has mentored me
every step of the way. She always has time to answer emails or have a cup of tea. She
inspires me both professionally and as a human being. Her support has meant the world to me
and she has gone above and beyond to pass along every drop of knowledge she possesses. I
cannot speak highly enough of her amazing work and the impact it has had on both my life and
the greater music community!

Katie Ritchie