## Artist Statement: 27th Annual Exhibition of Artists in Michigan Prisons Artist Name: Justin Roberts, #314064

I am a self-taught Knitter. All my products are my own original designs and I have found the design process to be very rewarding within itself. Knitting gives me a sense of purpose, is an antidote to anxiety and depression, and has proven to be a positive activity in a negative environment. I also ensoy teaching Knitting to others and donating items to various Causes. My hope is that my products will bring joy to someone's life.

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