

Artist Statement: 27th Annual Exhibition of Artists in Michigan Prisons

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I had anticipated last year's art show to have been my final one. Nearly all of my art supplies were sold as I look forward to shopping in-person for the art materials forbidden by the MDOC. I kept a set of colored pencils and a drawing pad to keep me busy until I go home. These drawings are a reminder of the artist I once was at the beginning of my PCAP career, before I became concerned about making aesthetically pleasing art geared to make a sale and receiving positive comments in the guest book. These drawings were created with the sole intent of saying what was on my mind and not concerned with a sale. I love them, with or without a comment.

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