

Artist Statement — 30th Annual Exhibition of Artists in Michigan Prisons

Artist Name _____

This drawing is about two Yorkies who both passed away this past year (2025). Both are my sister's dogs that she had for over 10 years. I choose to make art because it helps make my time go by quickly, helps give me inspiration and something to strive for, and helps me to socialize with others. And when I make a piece look very realistic and good others really enjoy seeing it and it's satisfying and makes me happy and proud. I choose graphite because it's easy to work with. I did this piece of the two dogs as a gift for my sister