

**Artist Statement: 26th Annual Exhibition of Art by Michigan Prisoners**

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I USE ART TO ESCAPE FROM PRISON.  
WHEN POSSIBLE, I'VE BEEN IN CAR CENTRE  
OVER 40 YRS. SO I NEED THE HELP  
TO ESCAPE. IF YOU LIKE MY WORK  
THAT'S GREAT! THANK YOU TO ME, SO THANK  
YOU! I'M SELF TAUGHT. I CAN'T SEEM  
TO GET SUPPLIES HERE ON THE HOBBY  
CRAFT PROGRAM HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE  
TO BUY SUPPLIES OVER A YEAR AND A HALF  
SUCH IN PRISON. WHAT YOU DEAL WITH  
I HOPE TO GET SOME SUPPLIES SOON  
SO I CAN REALLY PAINT SOME GOOD  
WORK. SINCERELY.

Phillip Crowley  
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