## Artist Statement — 29th Annual Exhibition of Artists in Michigan Prisons

Artist Name: Jay bird
Art gives me the apportunity to go anywhere.
Much of my art is of far away land scapes and
Sea Scapes, rivers, waterfalls, and open skies. It is
as if my mind goes to these places and I just
paint or draw the location.
I enjoy writing and often will create art
that goes with the story I am writing. One of
the peices I am submitting actually inspired a
Story. By chance the Mountain appeared to have
a mouth and eyes. I had not noticed this but
Someone pointed it out. I agreed and wrote monster
mountian.
Drawing and painting people in my art is
also some thing I enjoy.
I hope that other enjoy my art as much as
I enjoy making it. That it takes them to open
Sties and warm beaches and mounting trails,