

David Totten
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Forest of Peace

I have been creating art for about 8 years now and enjoy doing landscapes and trees. I find that by drawing, it helps me to concentrate and draw from my heart and thoughts. This drawing I did came out of my head, and I just sat down one day and started drawing. I thought about a place I would like to be, where it's peaceful and you can see the beauty of God. There's so much around us that we take for granted, and it's nice to just sit and enjoy and take it all in.

This is my last drawing I'll be doing in here, because I go home next year. Over the past 18 years, drawing has kept me grounded and a place where I can go, where I don't feel the pressures of being locked up. Art has been my passion, and I'll continue to draw on the outside.