

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

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The dragon shows of a ugly time that im going through with beig in prison & how i just lost my mother last month, also being away from my family. The Flowers, im not sure if i spelled that right, but they are a showing of behinde of the dragon to see even in a ugly situation some beautiful things can come out of them. My mother left & my beautiful thing is that my little sister is about to be bringing a baby boy into the world for me to be an uncle again. "I did the best I could, i only had a pen to work with!"

The Lion is a showing of me having a pride problem as in they say the Lion is the King of the jungle. That's always been my problem is thinking that i was a King of everything & was always worried of what other people would say or think of me & there's where my pride would always get in the way. Rey means King in Spanish.

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