

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

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Artists have the responsibility to respond to the social issues of our day. I hope, through my art, to create meaningful and impactful images that challenge the viewer. I want the viewer ^{to invite} to ponder the tough questions: How have I been inattentive or blinded to this issue? How have I perhaps contributed to the issue, overtly or inadvertently? What can I do to change the narrative or help the issue?

I hope my artwork has a positive impact on the community. I once read that art is not complete until it has found a home; so I hope my artwork finds a home in a community where it can be completed and accepted as an image of meaningful value and ^{inspiration for} ~~change~~ change.

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