

Artist Statement: 28th Annual Exhibition of Artists in Michigan Prisons

Artist Name: Brian Hill brings to you three peices of Art. the first

is "26th Union: Michigan Reform" which WAS inspired by the history of Michigan
becoming the 26th state to join the Union to end slavery while Also
thinking about the many Prison and Criminal Justice Reform groups fighting
to bring about a change in Michigans Criminal Justice System and Penel
institutions. the 2nd is "With Child: Naked unto this world I am and
I shall bear WAS inspired by a photo of one Paris Amour who was
Pregnant. She posed in a magazine and thoughts of My son's being
born and the Joy of birth and a womans Body Pushing life into this
World; we at times take for granted who we are and our purpose. this
should, everyday, inspire men to be thankful unto God for women and
Birth. Lastly, the Third is "Native thought: Where does your Bloodline
take you?" which was inspired by my Twin Brother - who passed
2yrs ago along with my GRAMMY 2 months later, who initiated Ancestry
Profile. Our Generation is becoming less Concerned and UNaware of our Origin.

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