

Indian Art Contest - Season 6



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Chief Editor's Desk



Miss. Dipali SindhuTej

Dear Readers,

'Art'- When in the form of paintings, sketches, cartoons, artworks, photography, etc. acts as a mute voice. This mute voice depicts stronger messages than words. Art has the power of delivering what is not said. It involves human beings searching for meaning. It connects all unseen privileges as well as disparities. Art is an expression of connectivity. Art holds the ability to cross all the natural, artificial, and superficial boundaries. It is a reflection of one's thoughtfulness, creativity, imagination and also nourishes the character of the artist.

Creating the best masterpiece takes dedication, consistency and required the most precious input called TIME. Only a real artist pours himself/herself totally in the process of formulating the masterpiece. Having an artistic mindset brings you closer to becoming a satisfied human being. It not only teaches to flow with the circumstances but also to lead the thinking of the viewers.

"Art is a way of living!"

Indian Art Contest

About us

" I am an Indian and a painter, that's all."

- M.F. Husain



Indian Art Contest is a forum to recognize the talent of Indian artists.

We have started our journey in January 2020 by conducting online art contests on Instagram. We are happy to announce that in the year 2021, on our very first anniversary, we are extending our services with respect, accountability, and integrity towards all kinds of art forms. We are in search of self-made, professionals, and amateur artists. This forum provides an opportunity to showcase their various artworks and artforms.

We respect art more than anything and everything in the universe. We encourage amateur artists to bring out the best in them. We create, we learn, we celebrate, and we take the responsibility to make art forms immortal.

Let's join our mission!



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RESULT Season 6

Indian Art Contest believes in the truthfulness of the artists. We learn from engaging ourselves in the shoes of an artist as well as of an organizer. For us, BEST is a variable which changes according the leval of performance.

We take immense pleasure in announcing the results for IAC Season - 6



"Sometimes the bravest and most important thing you can do is just show up."



Rank 1



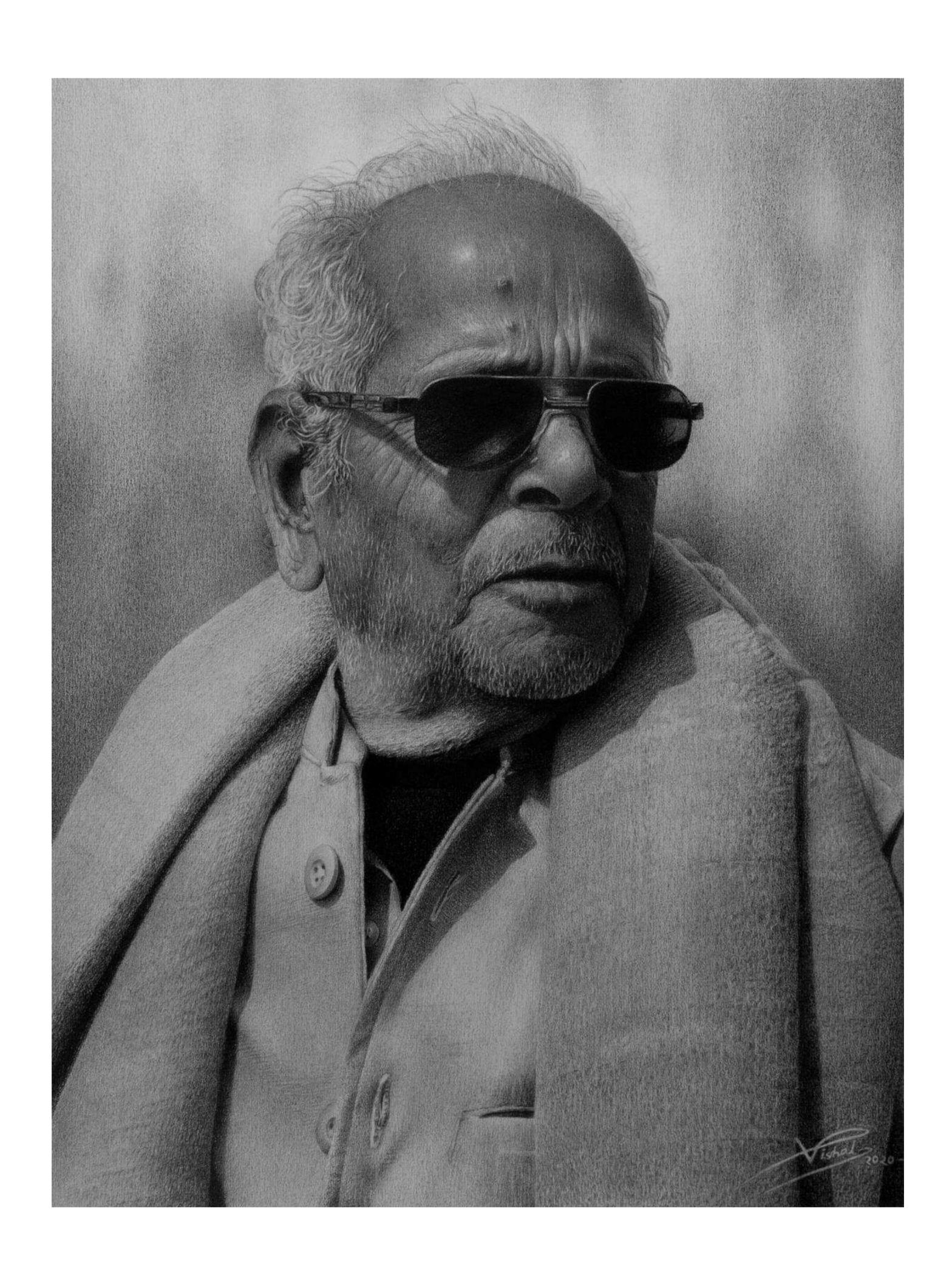
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Shobha Choudhary



Rank 2





Vishal Pandey



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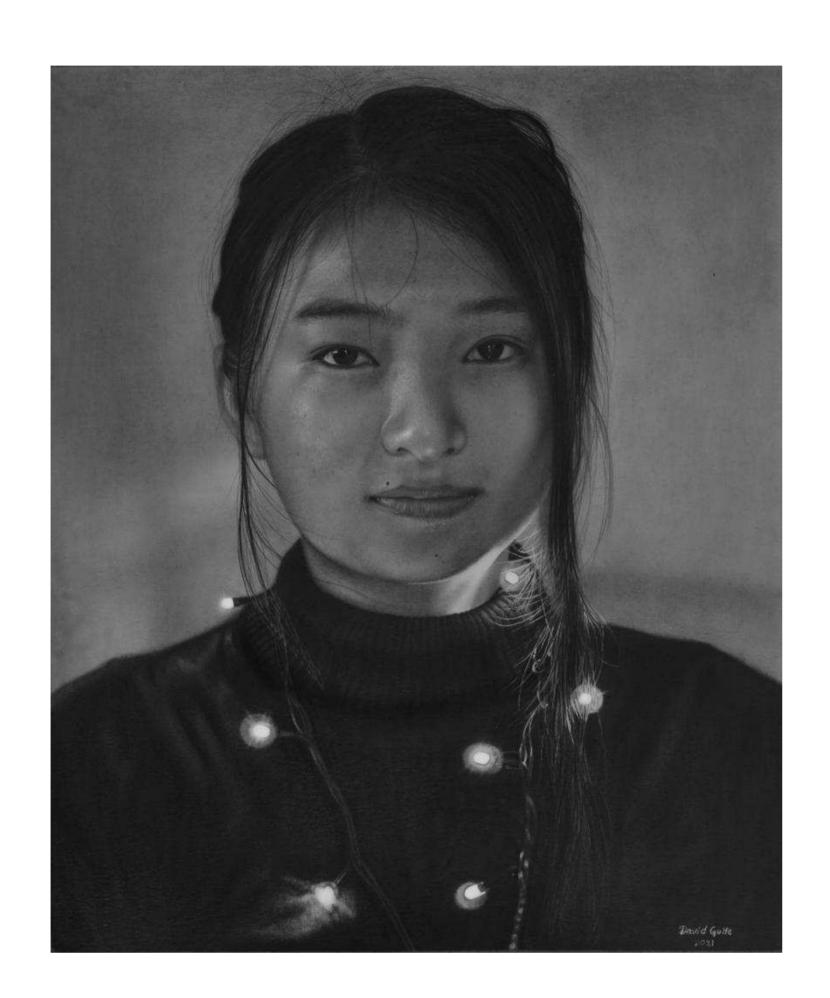




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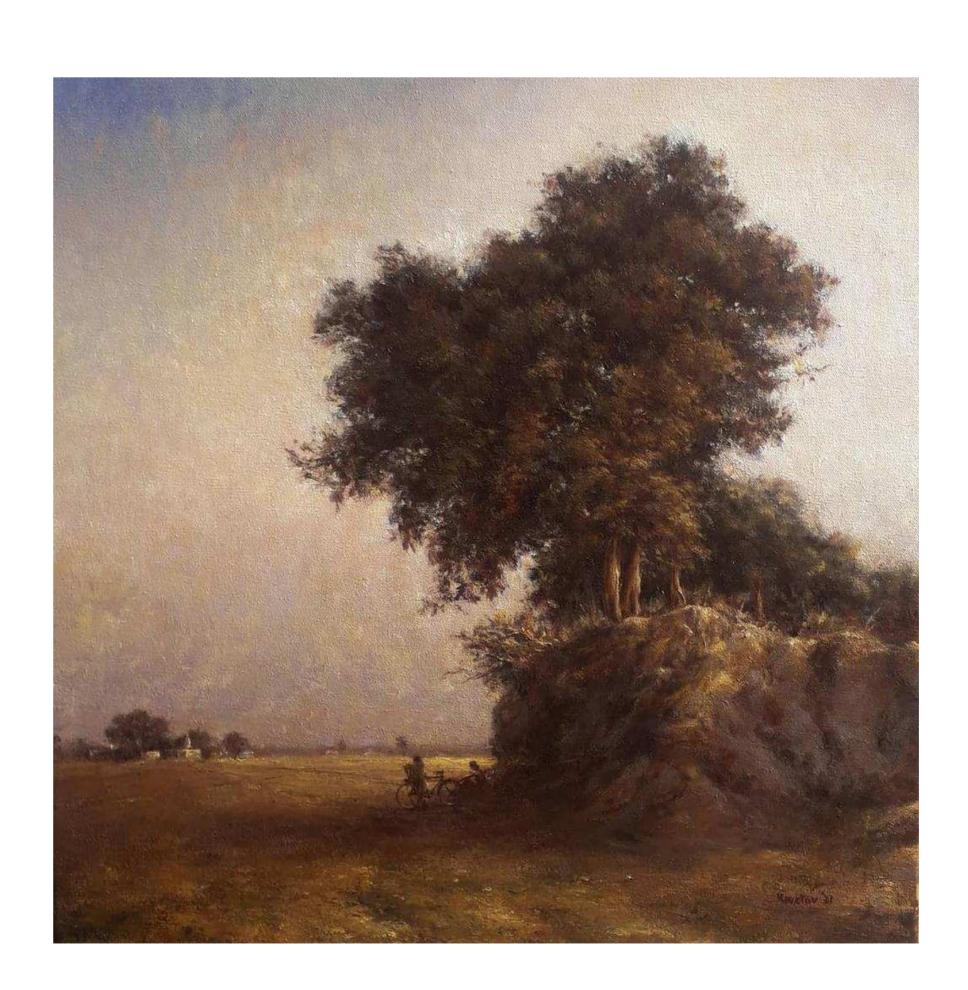
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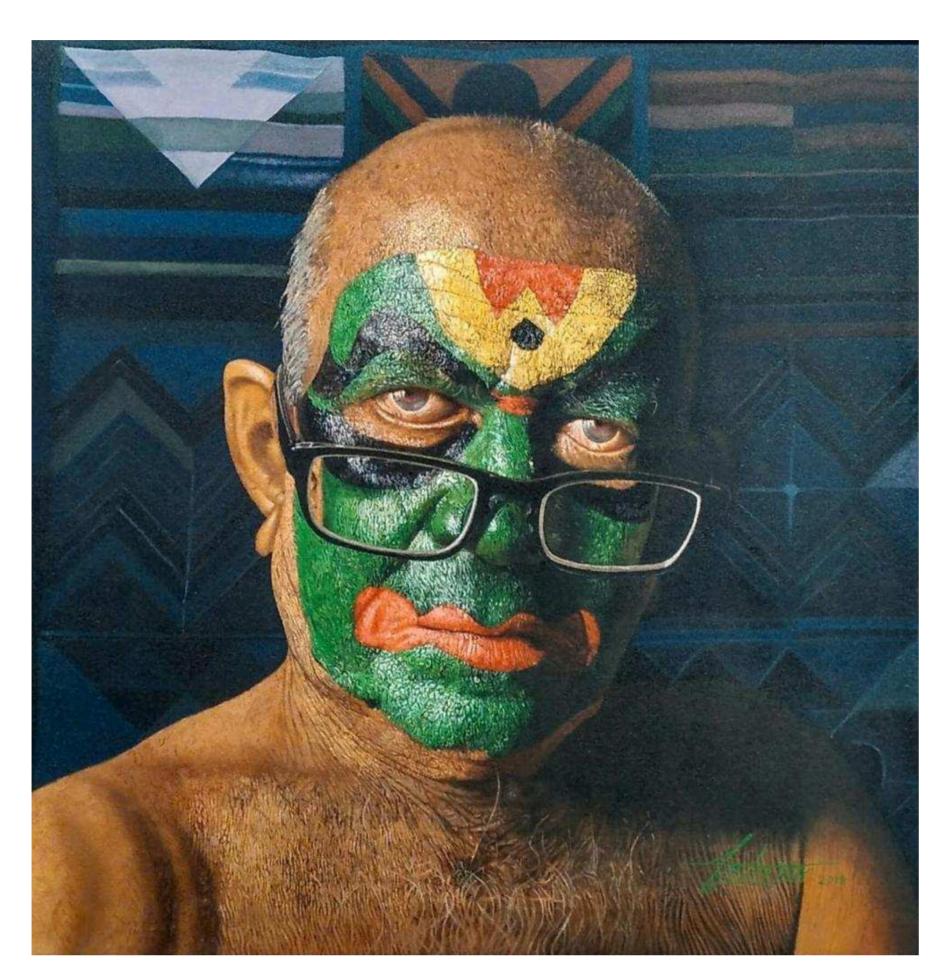




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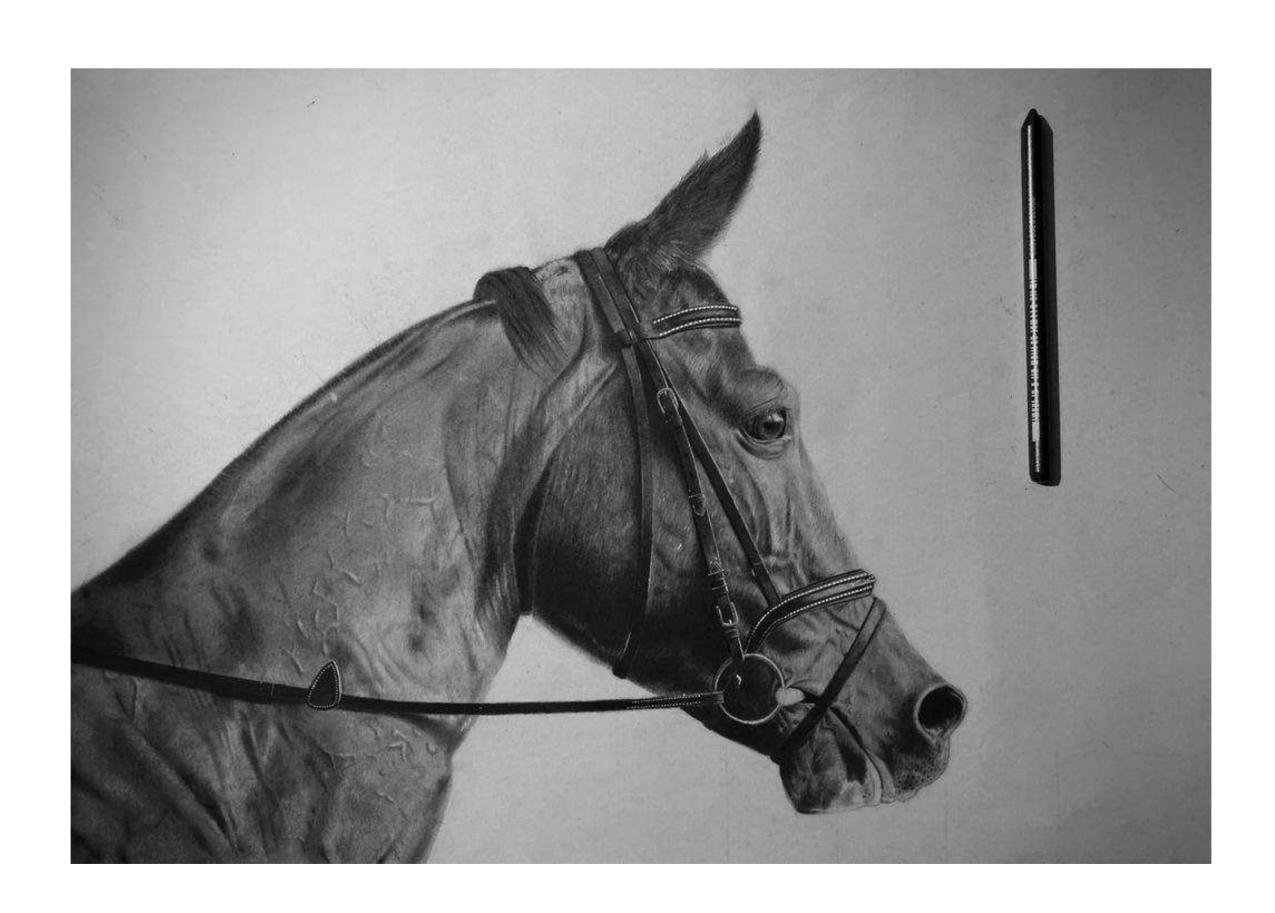


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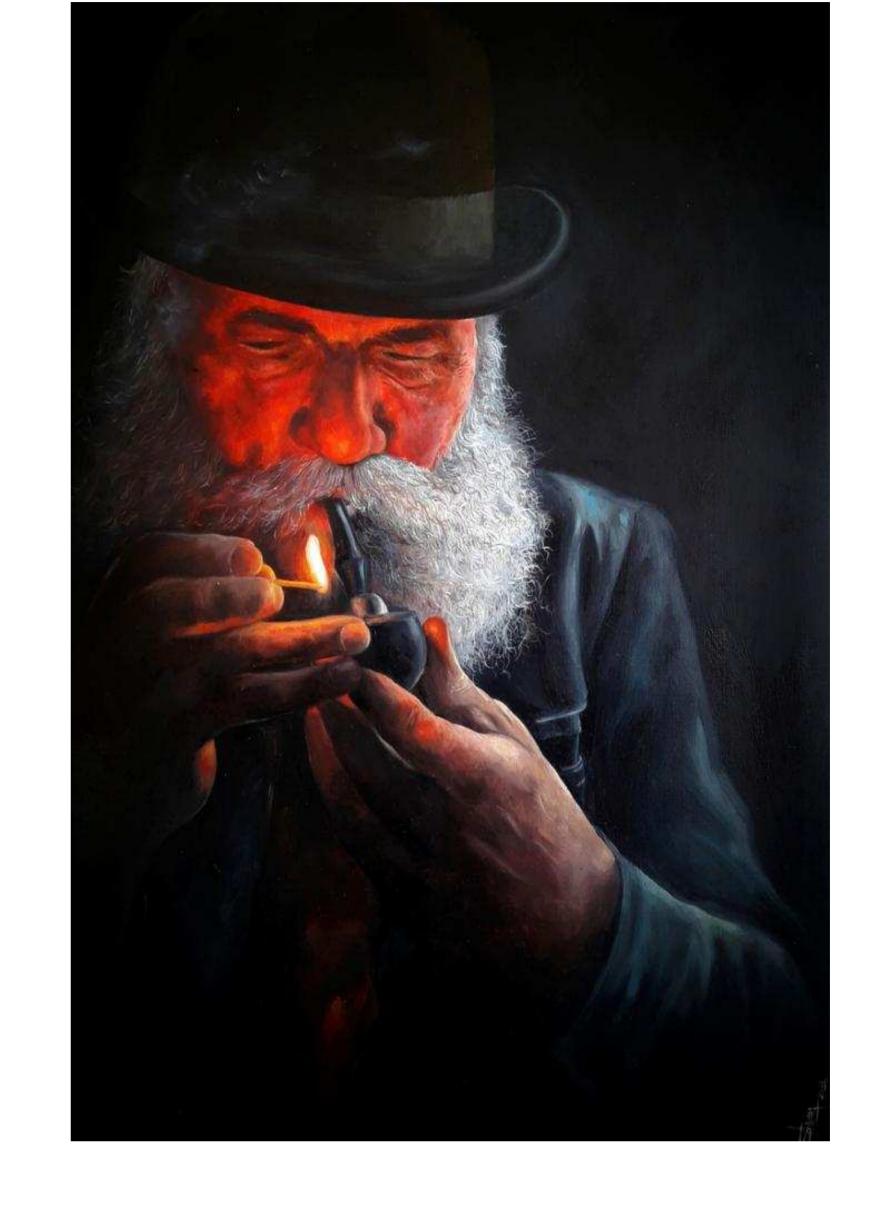




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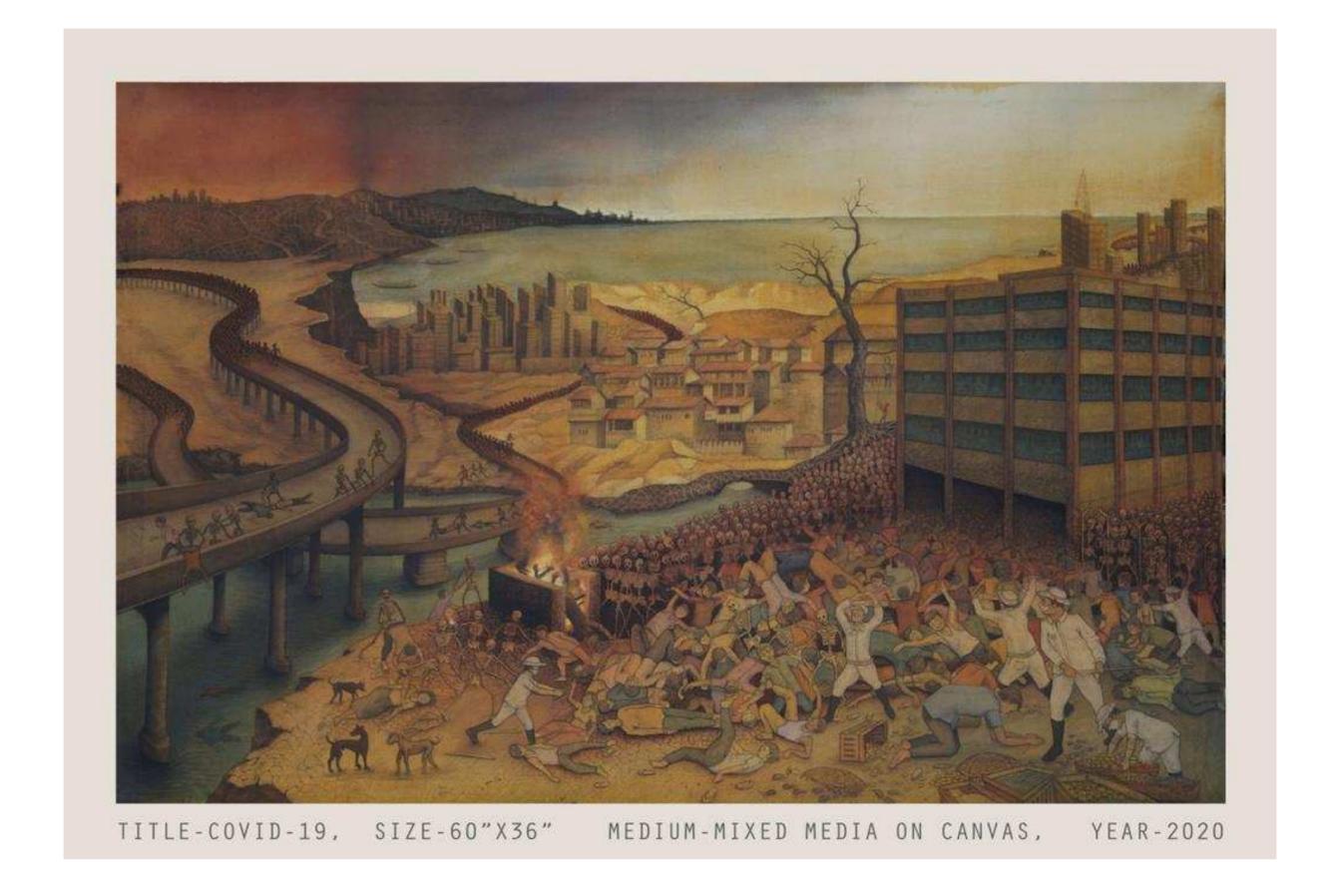
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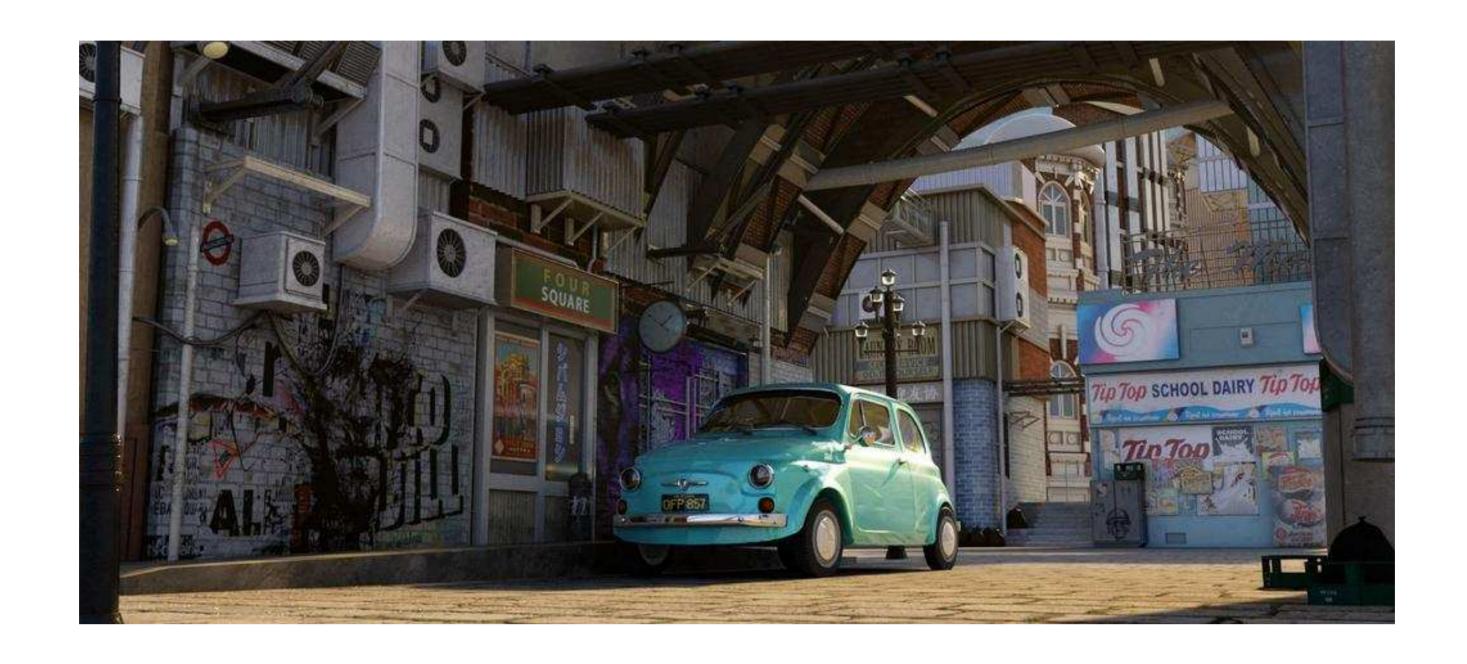


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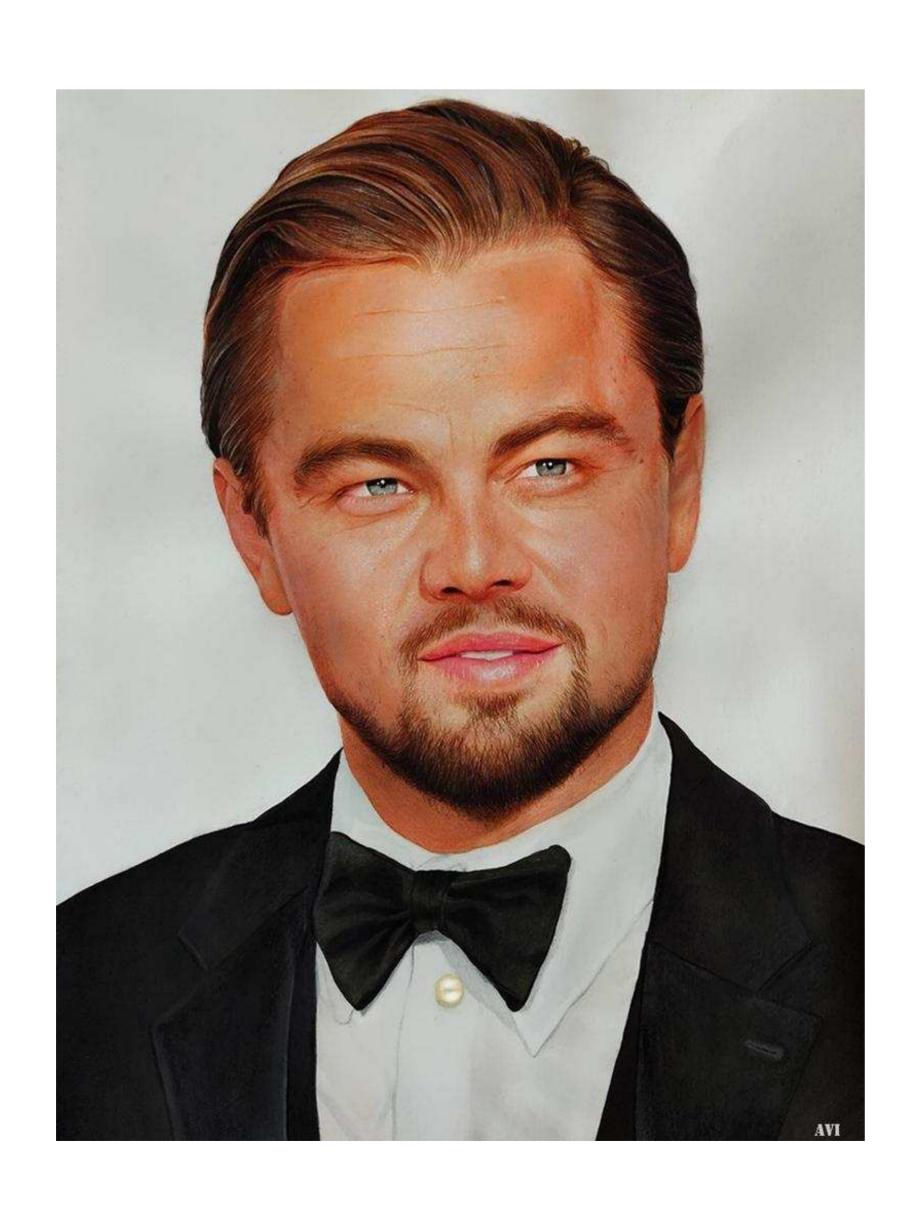
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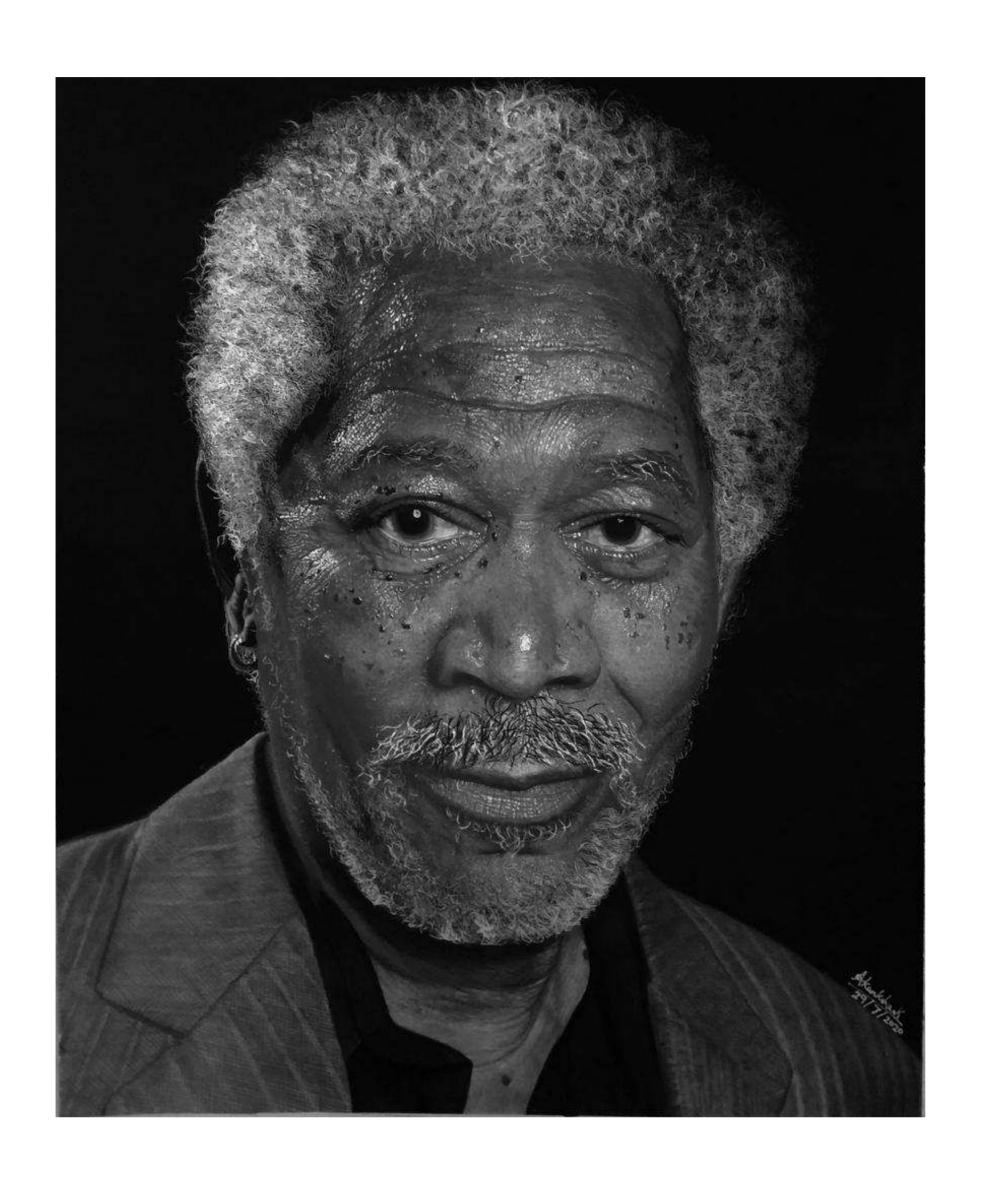




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4th Position (Total 31 winner's)



Akanksha Kameshwar





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Medium:- Mixed.

Size:-121.92 X 91.44 cm

Joydeep Bhattacharjee



4th Position (Total 31 winner's)

Suryawanshi Niraj Shivaji







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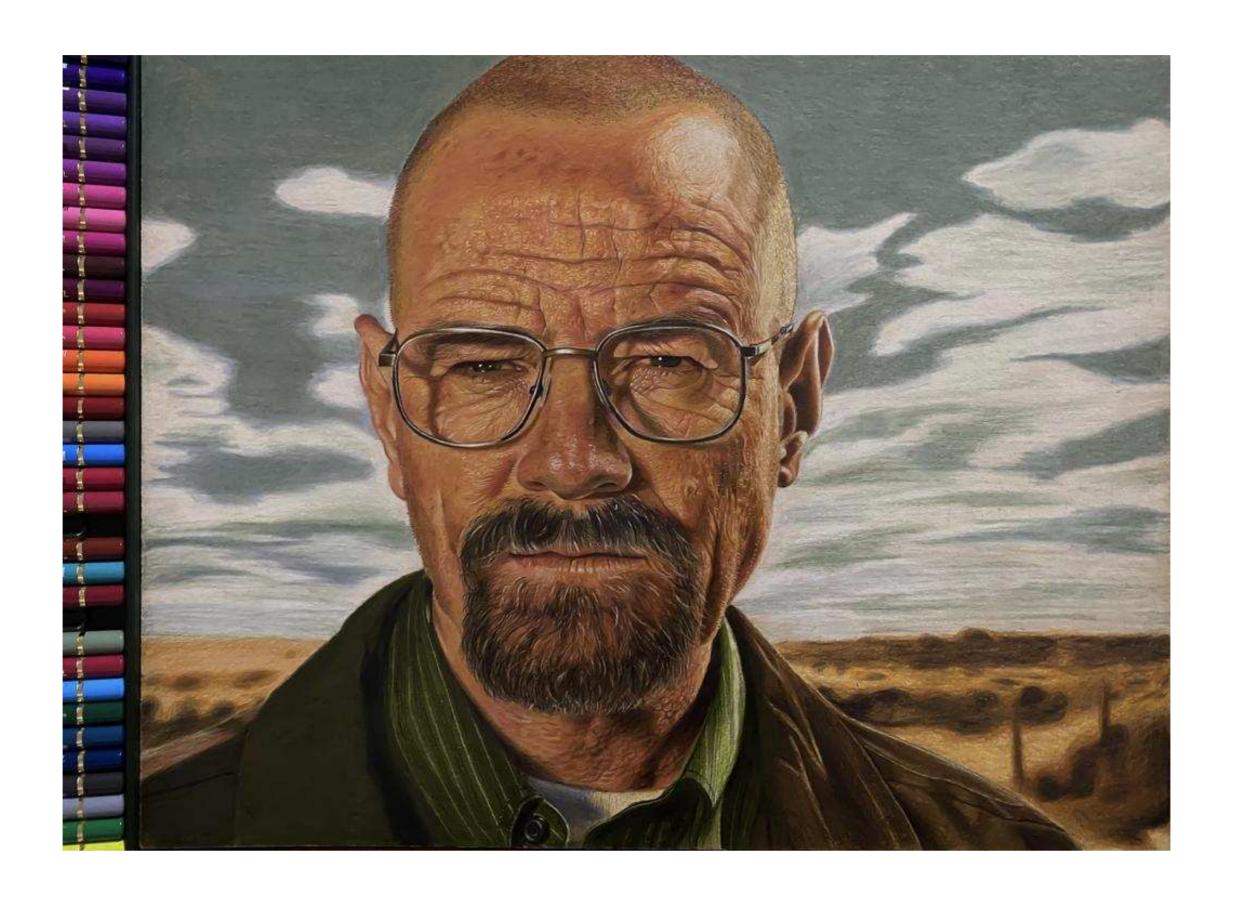


Dr. Arun Kumar .P .M





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Jainil Desai





Aman Pansari



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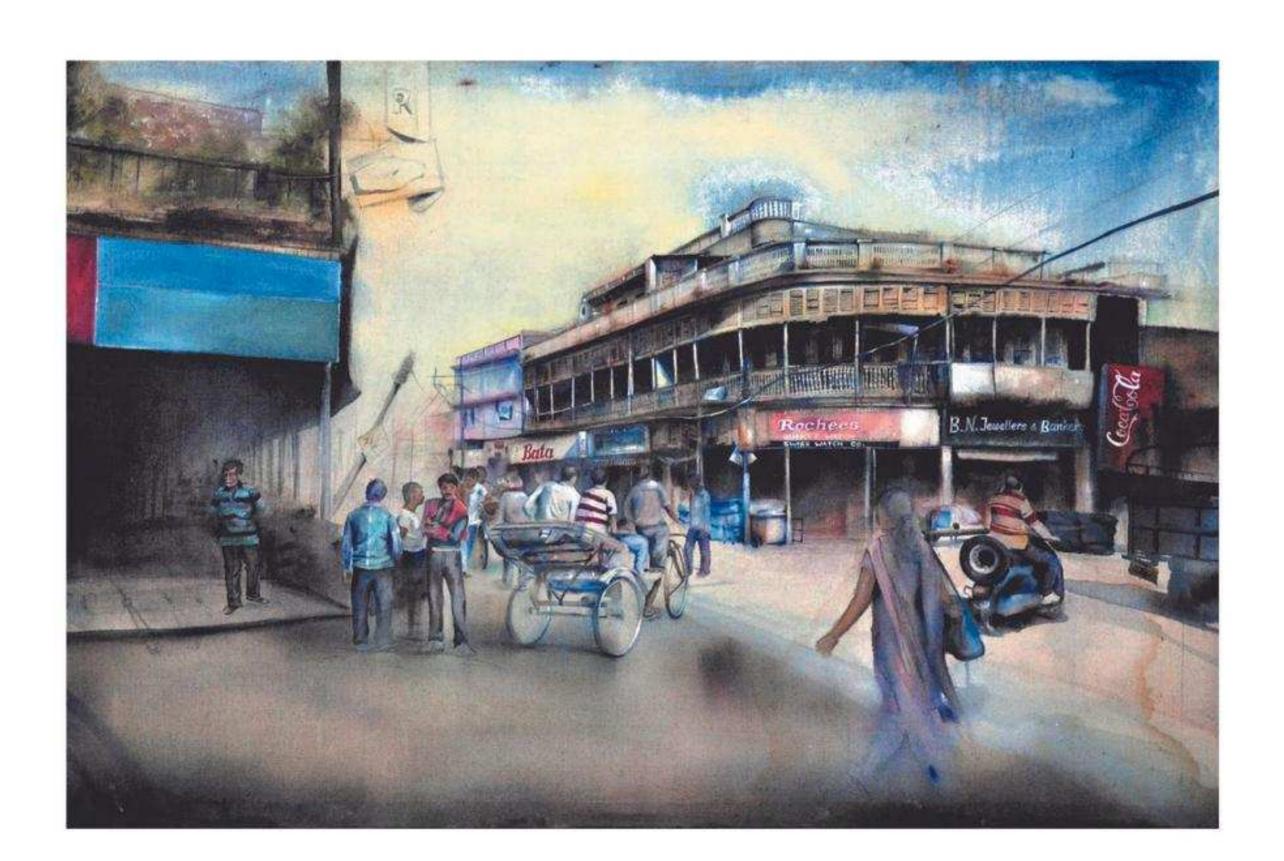


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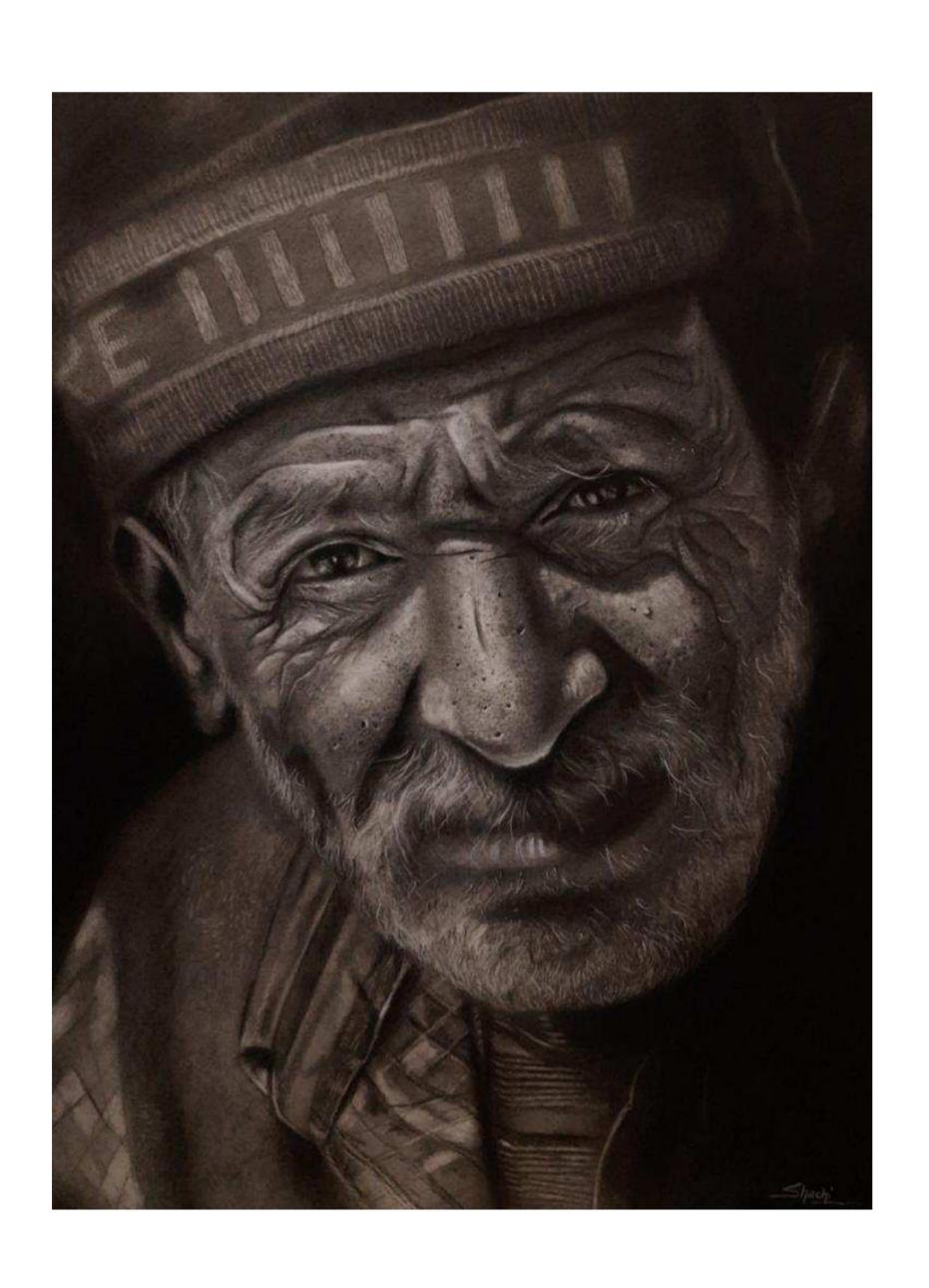


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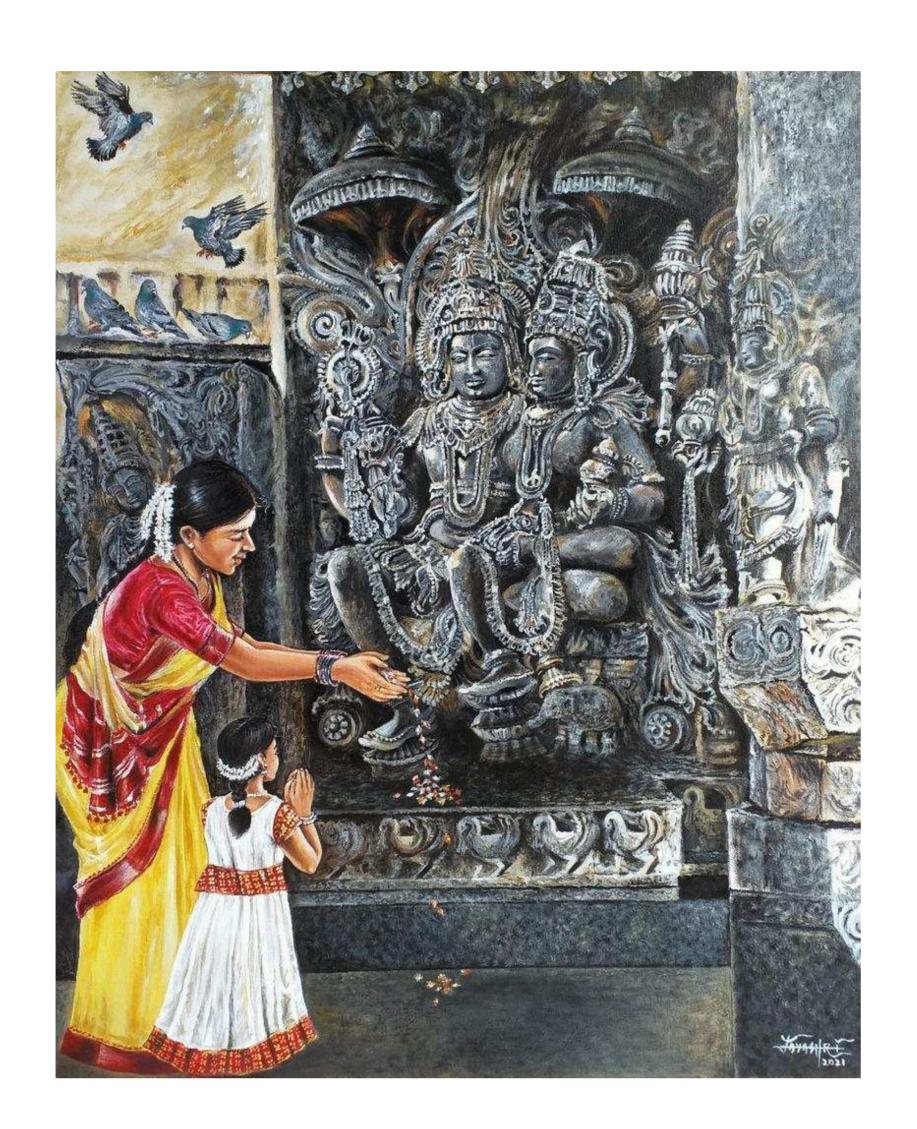




Shachi Sekhri



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Jayashri Sharma



SAMRUDDHA KISHOR PUREKAR



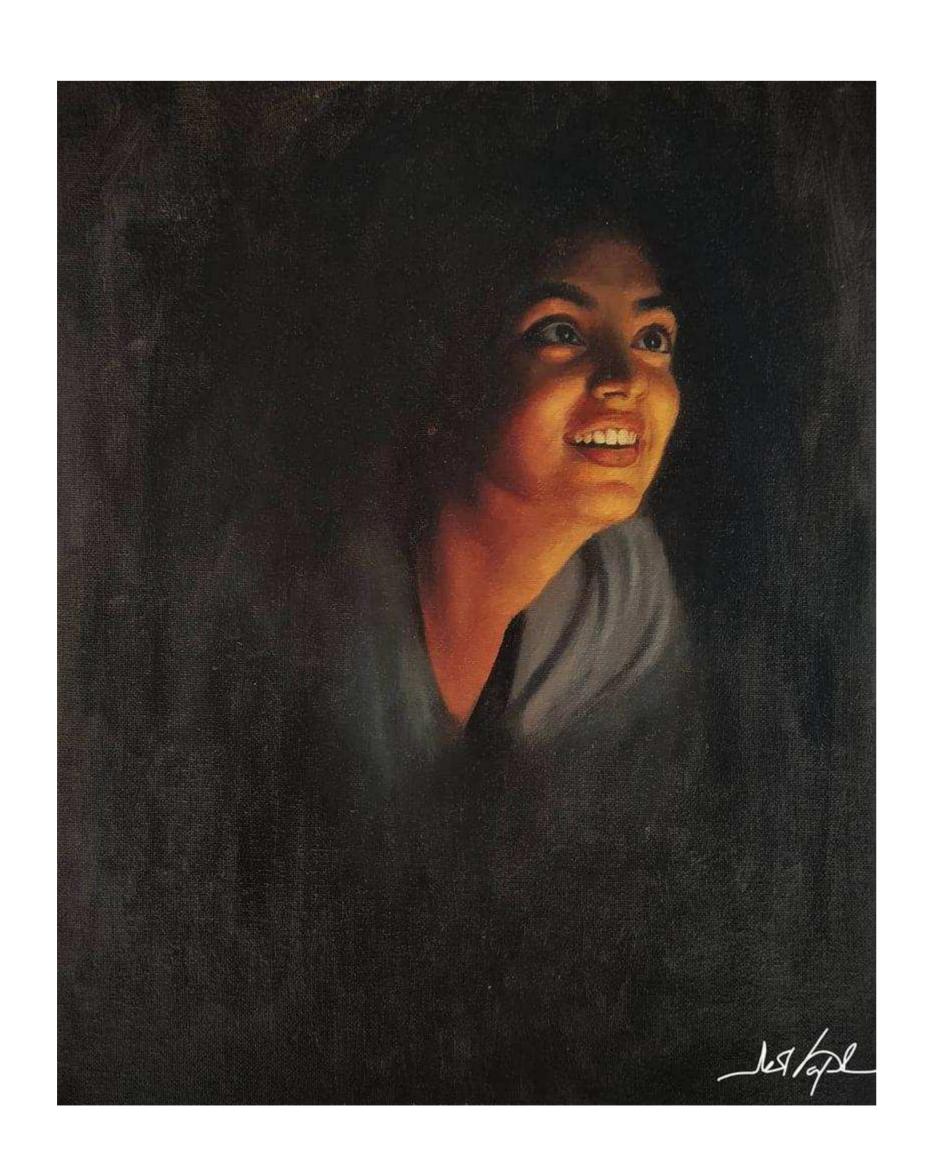


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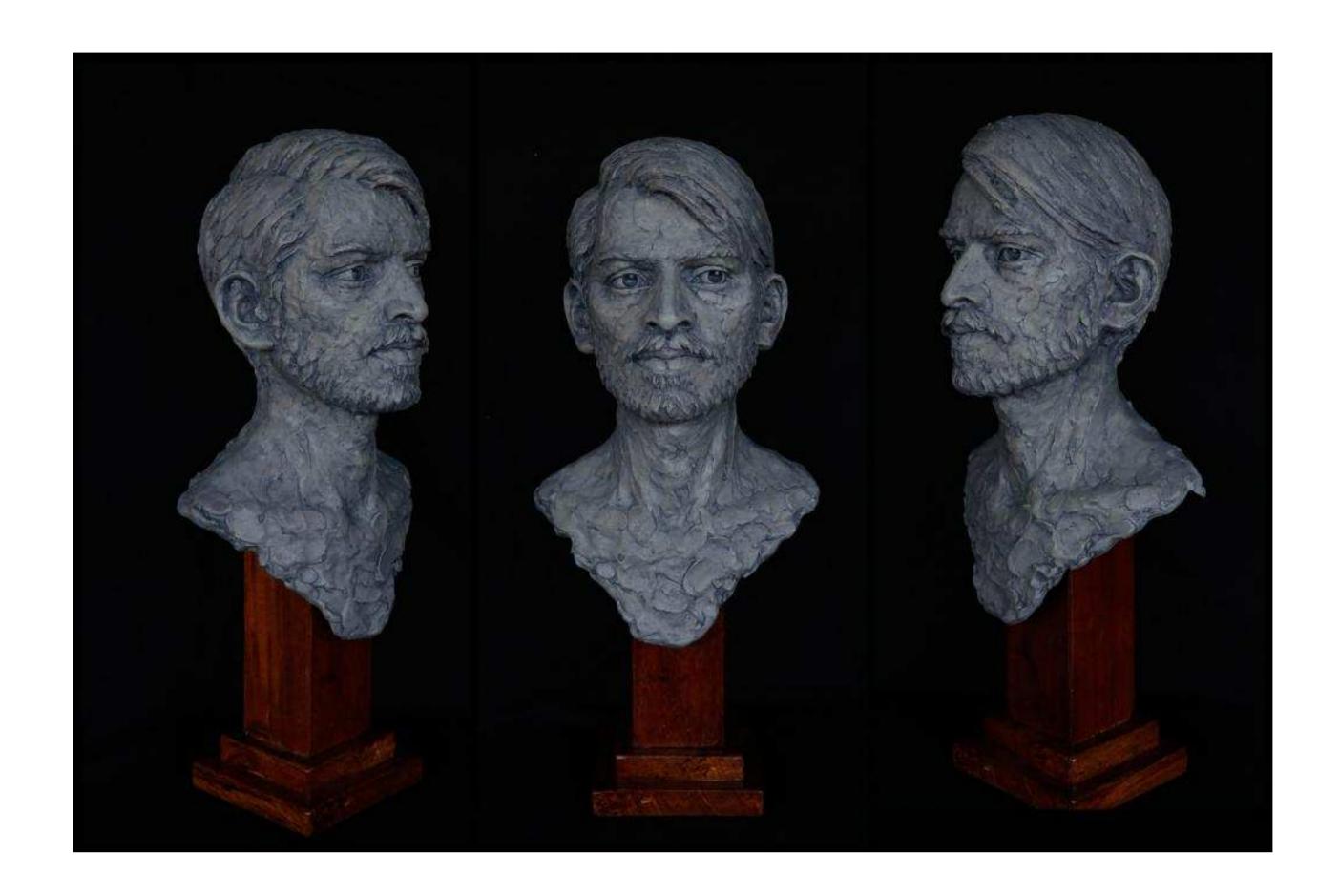




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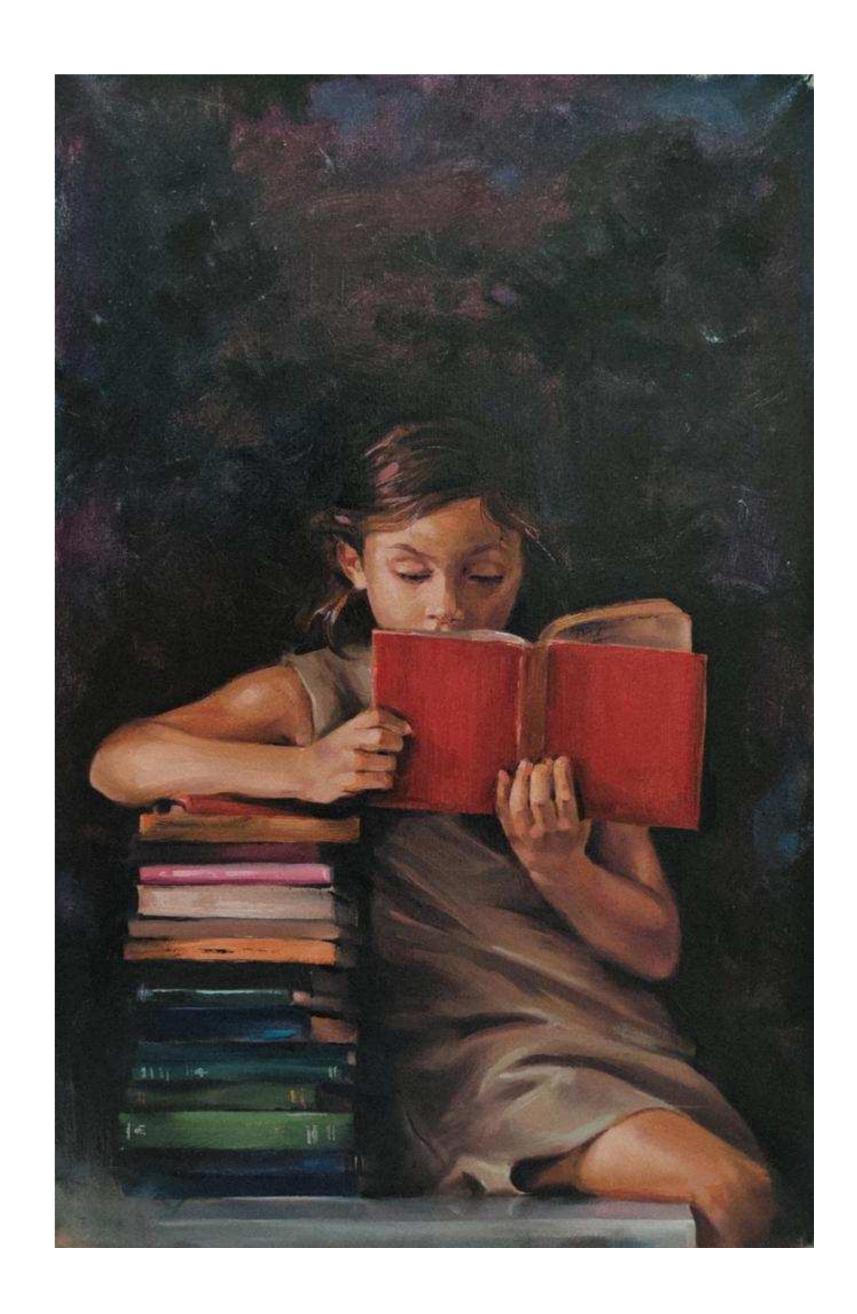
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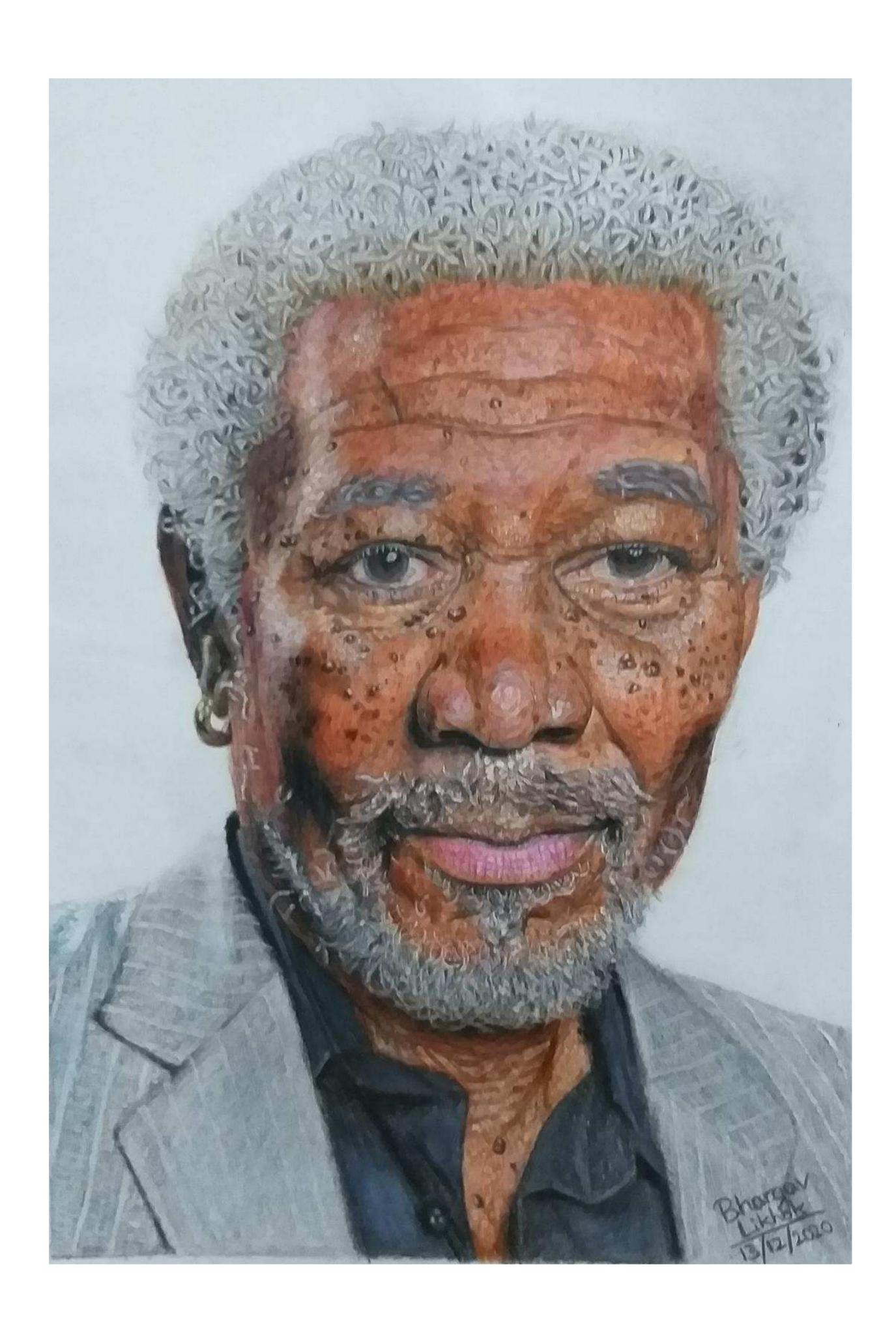




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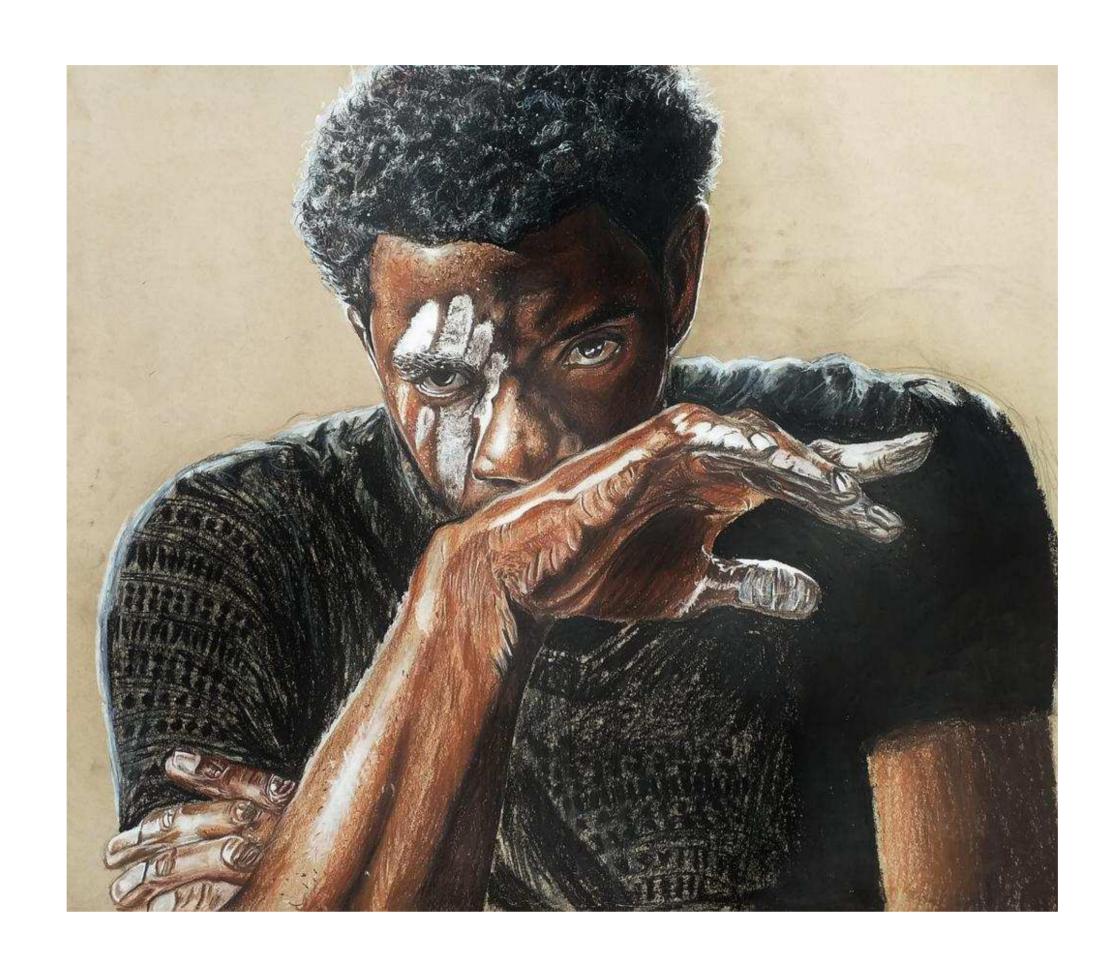




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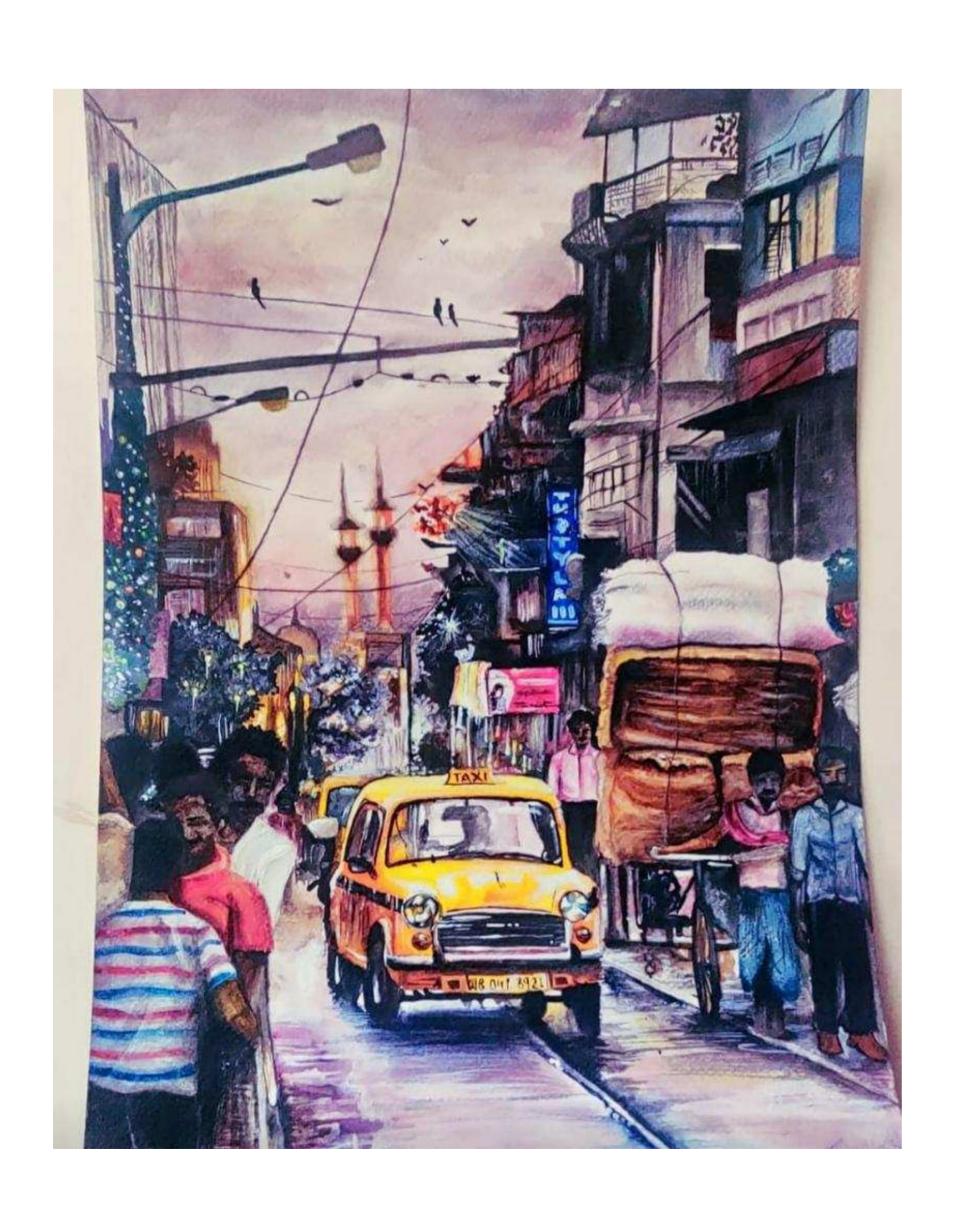


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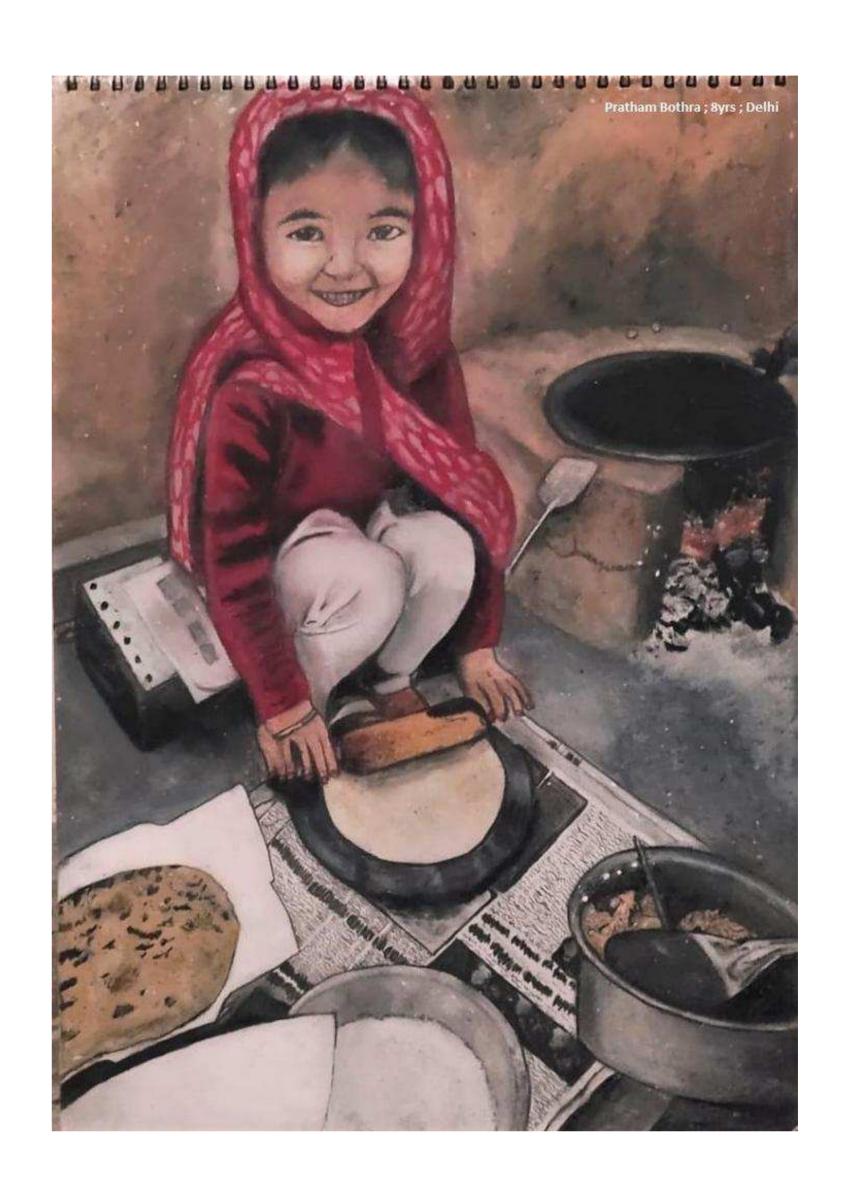


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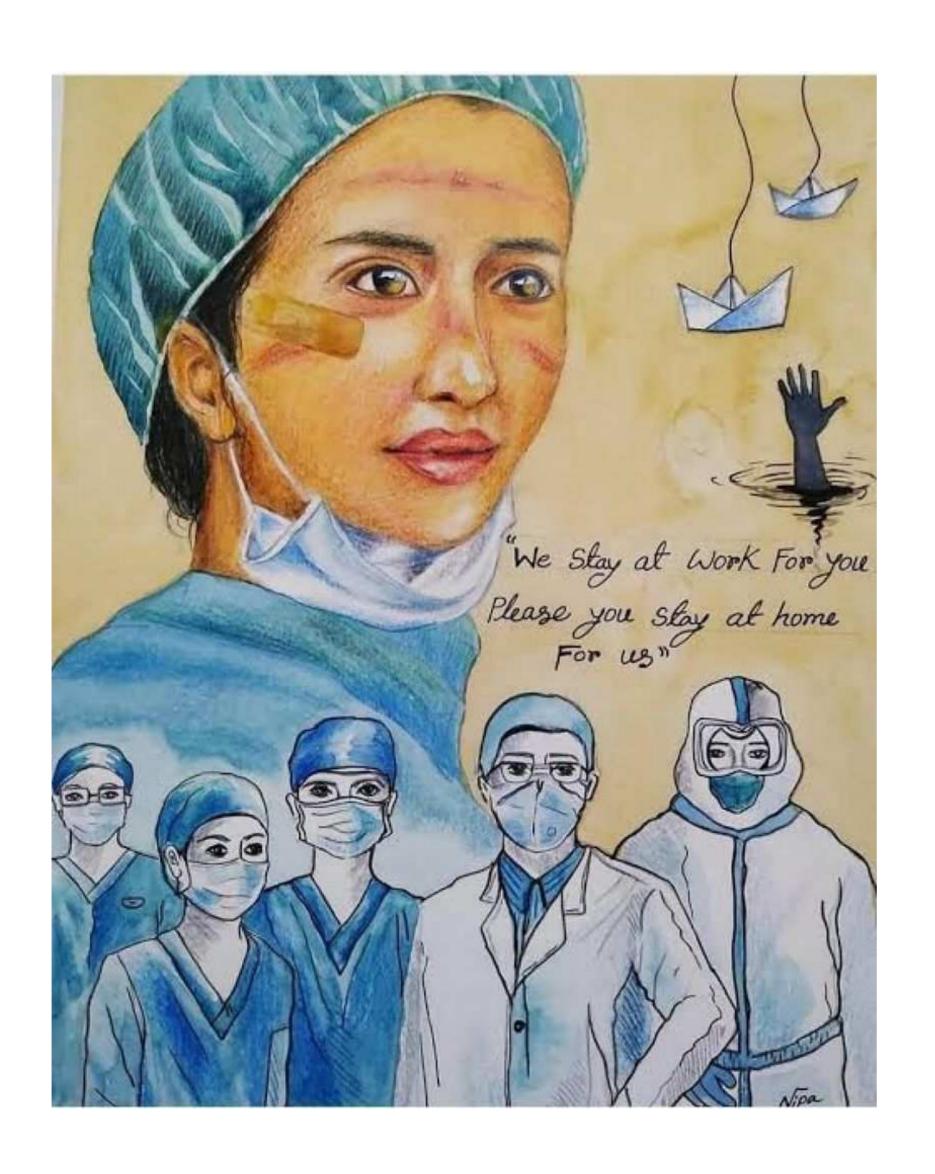


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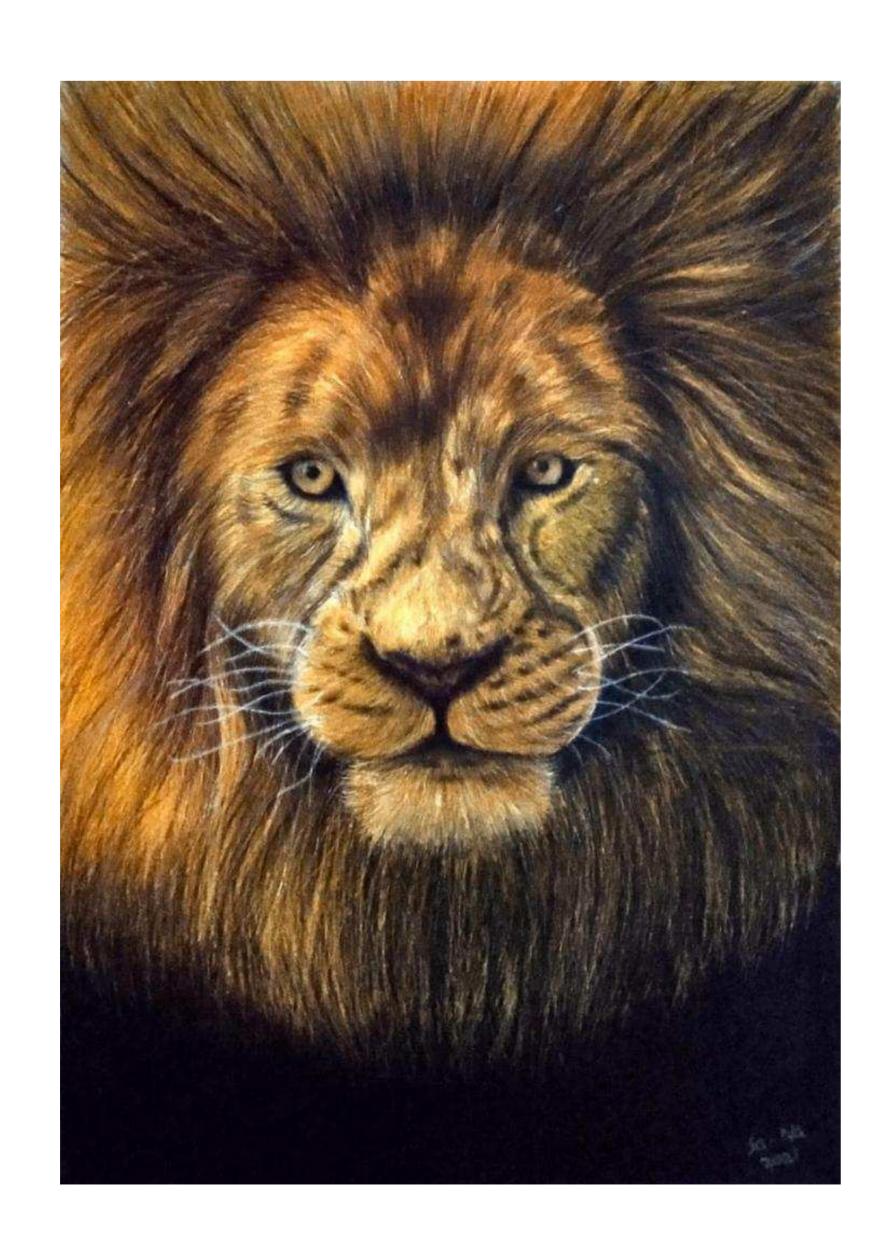


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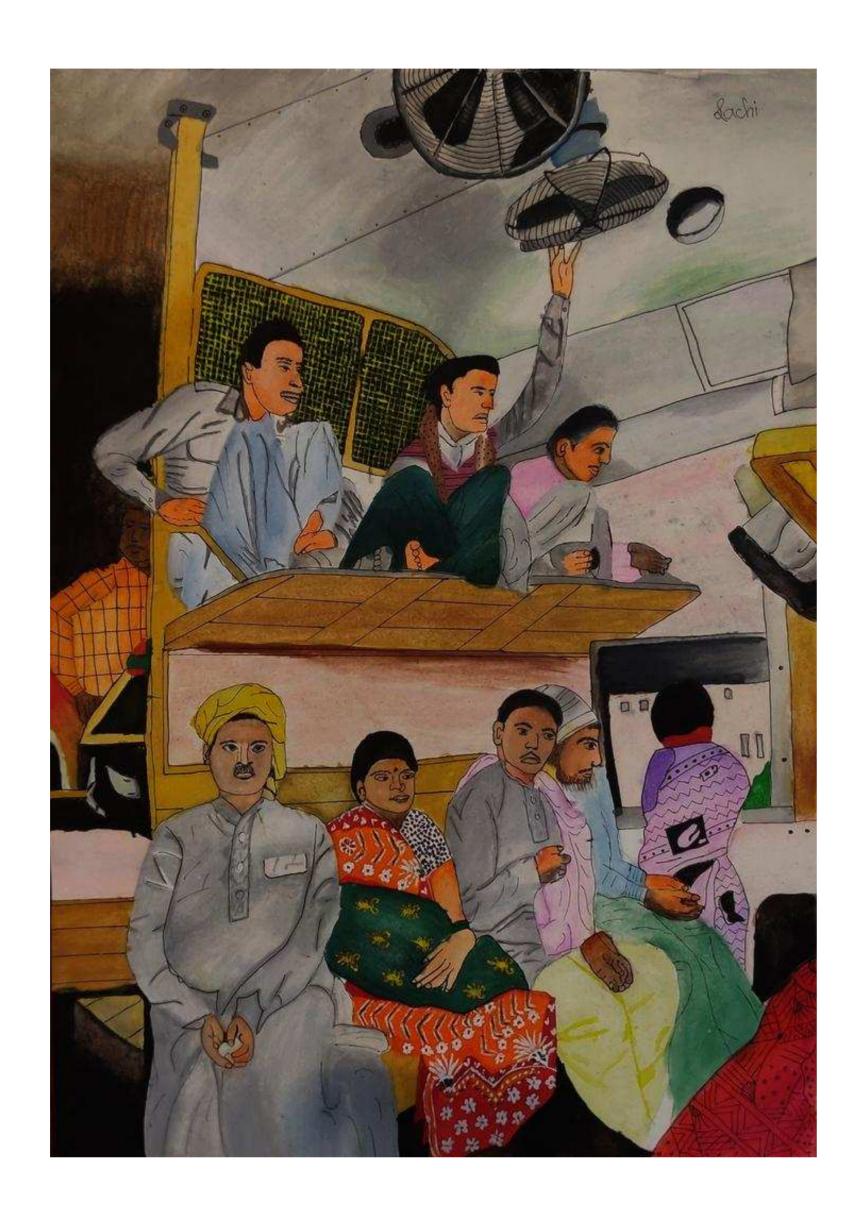




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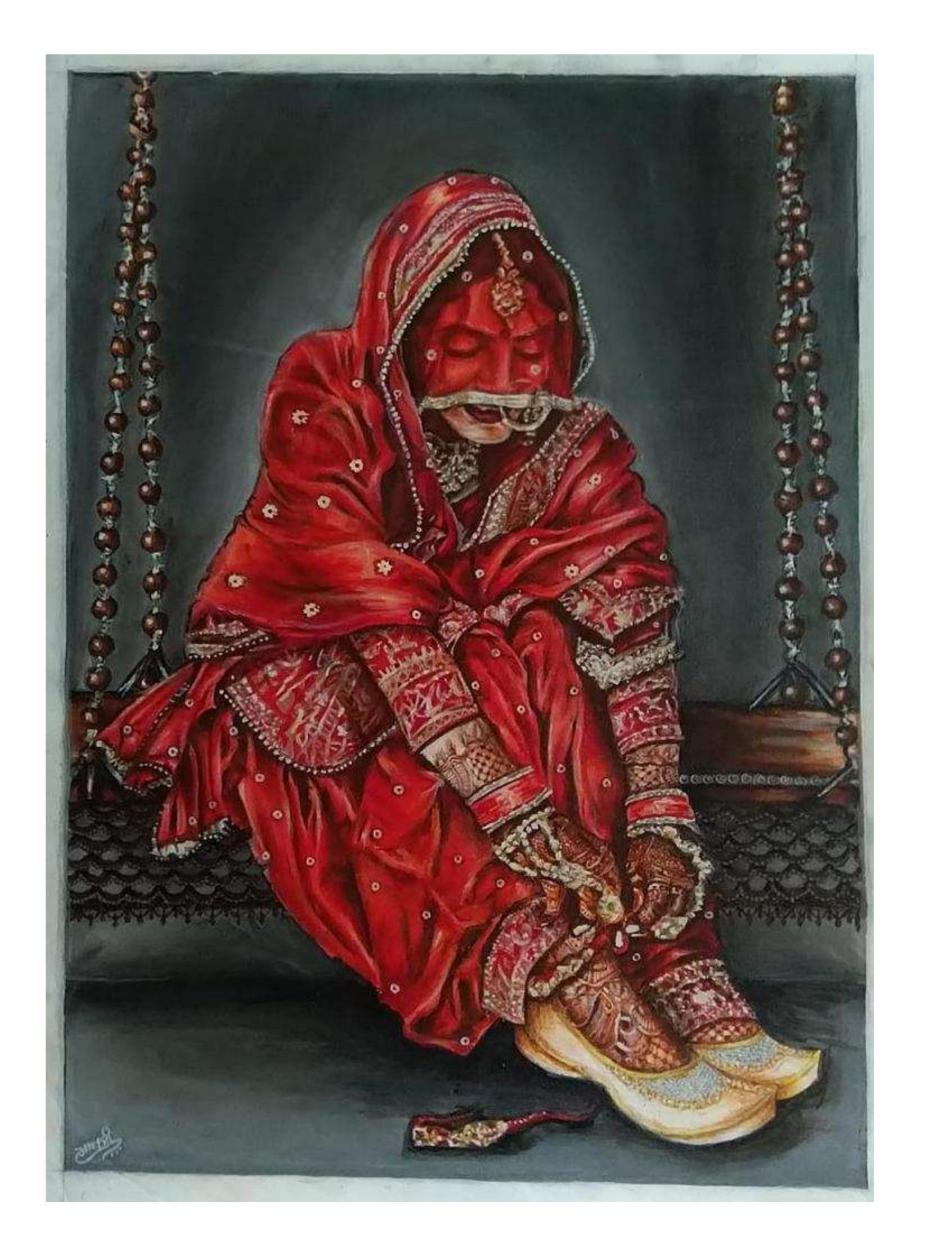
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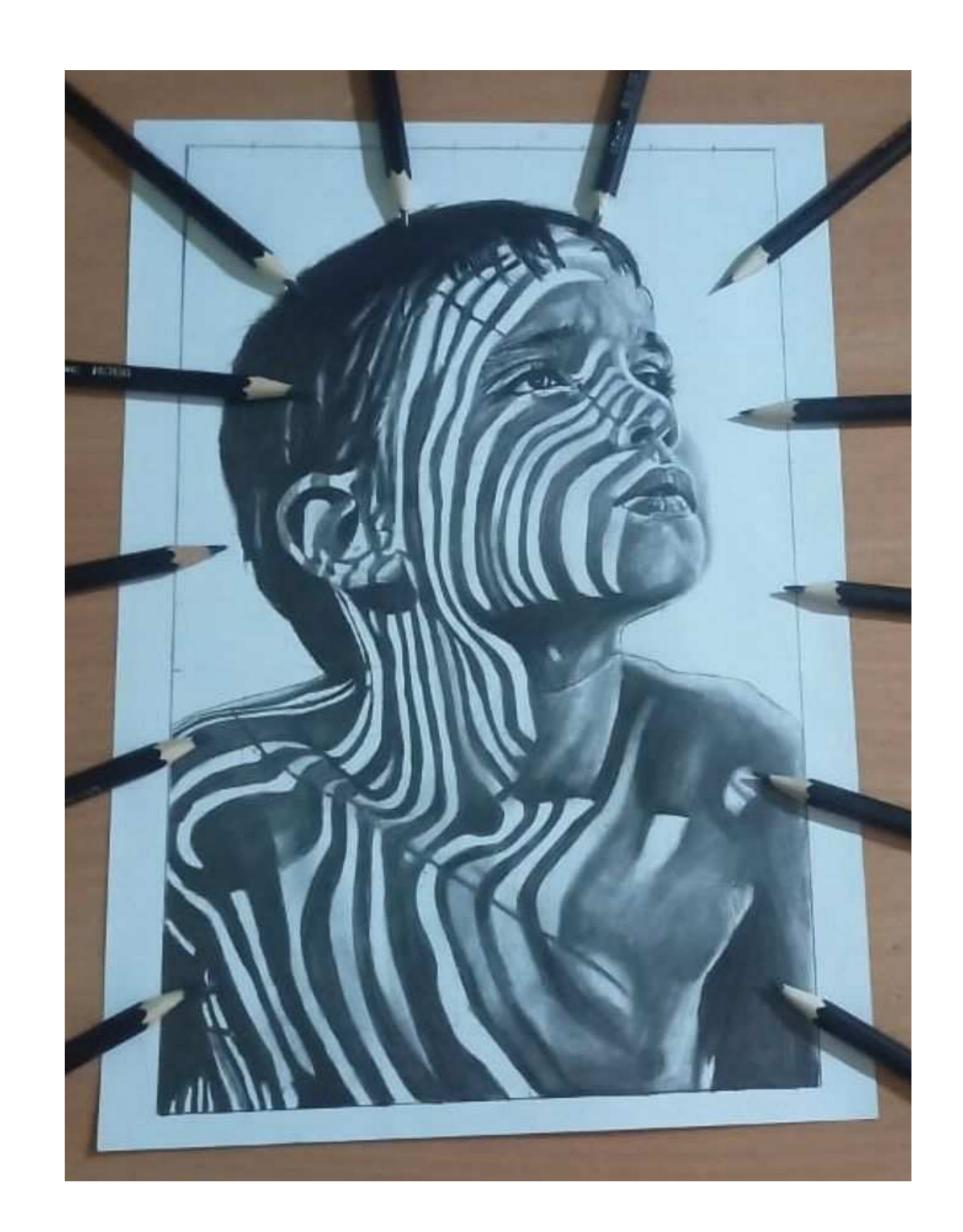
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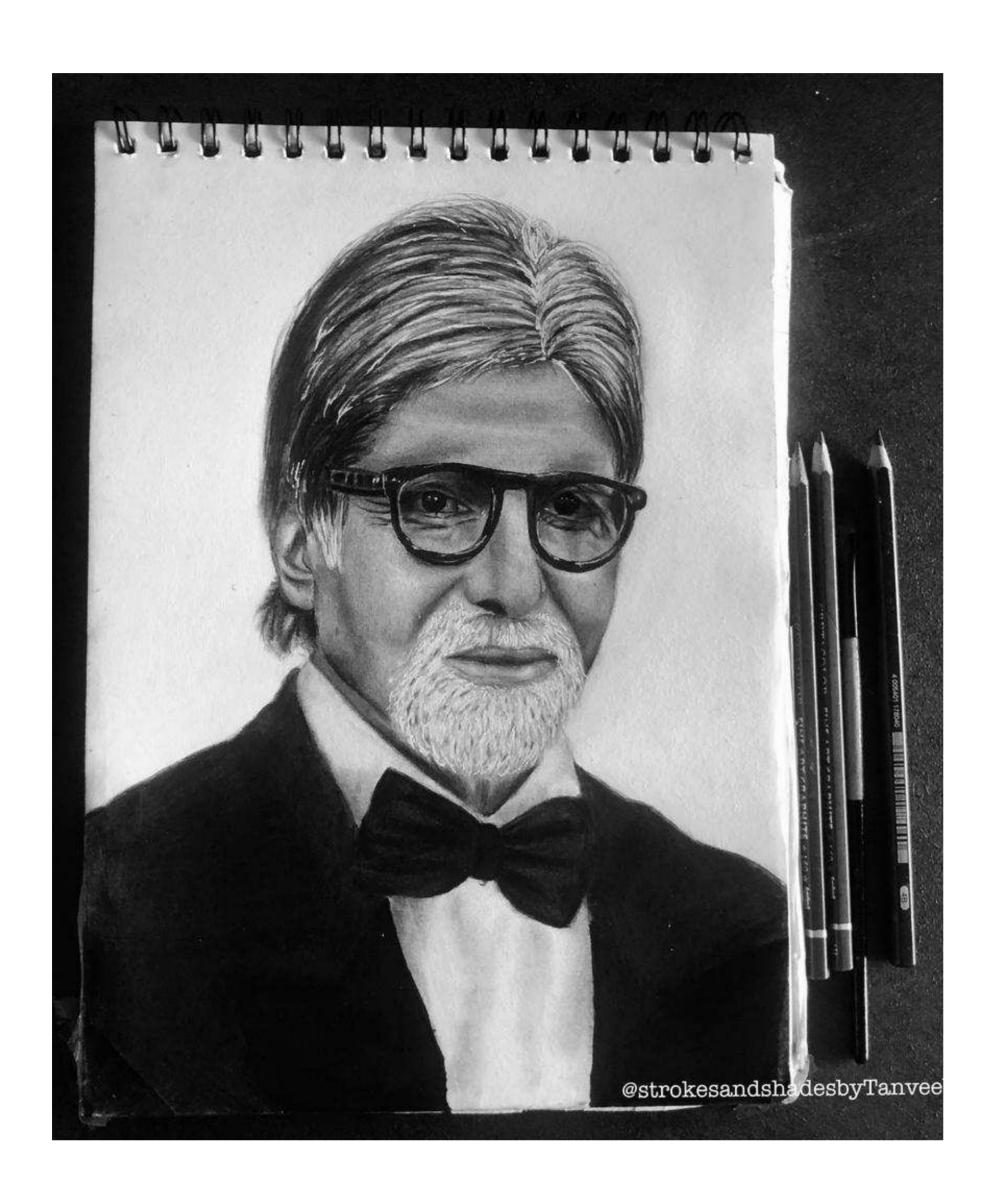




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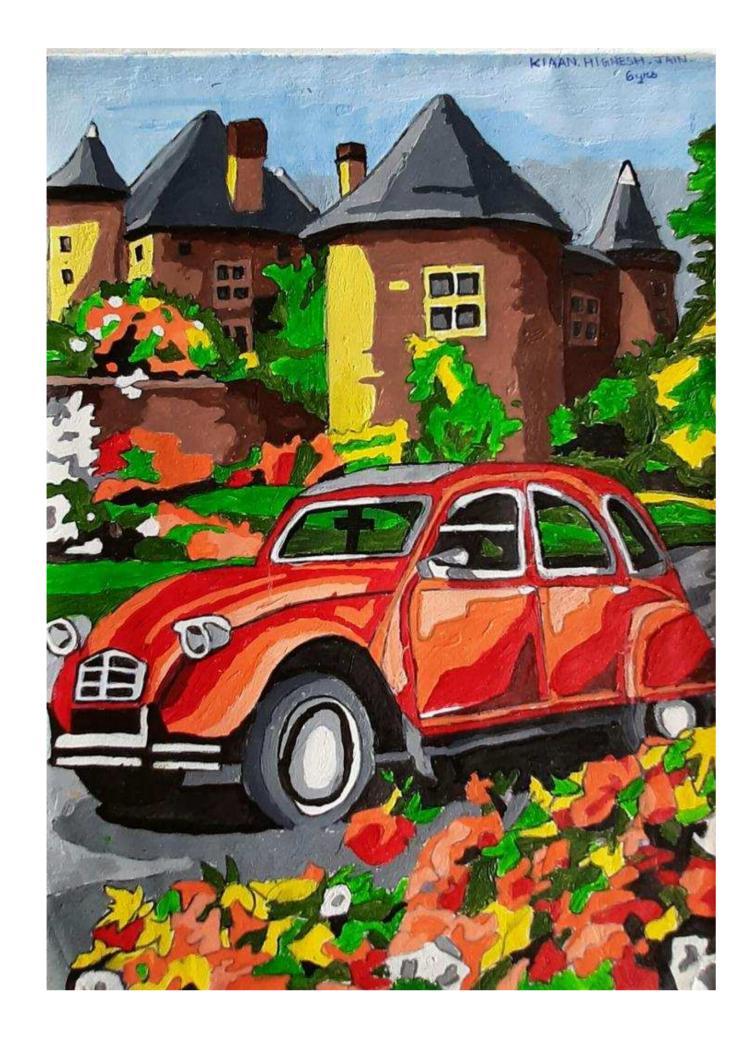
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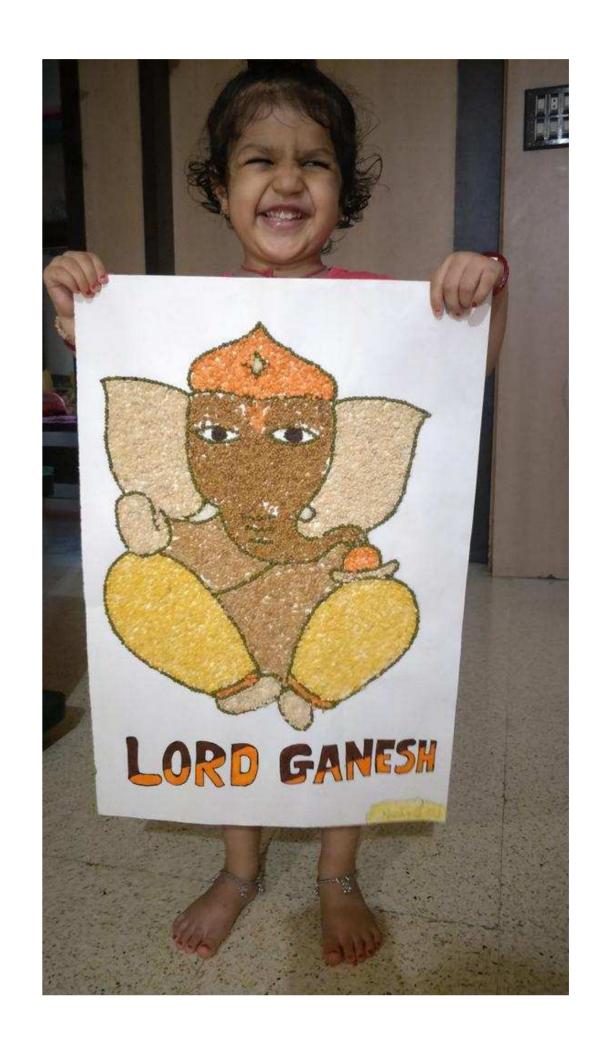
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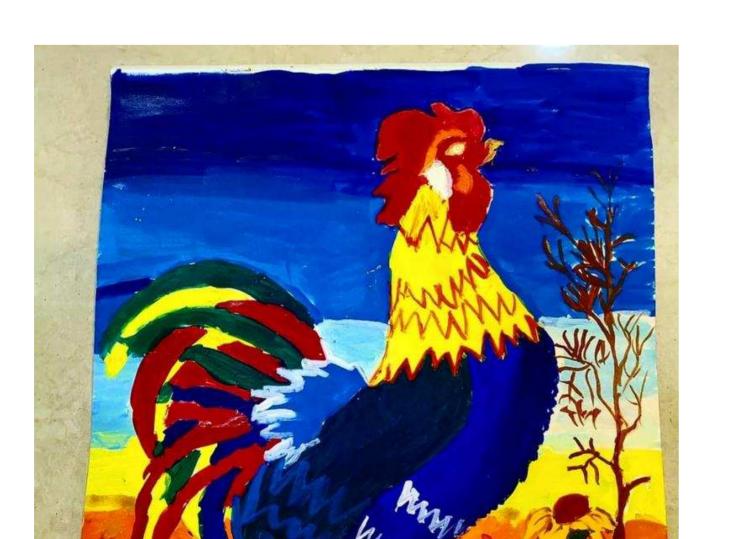
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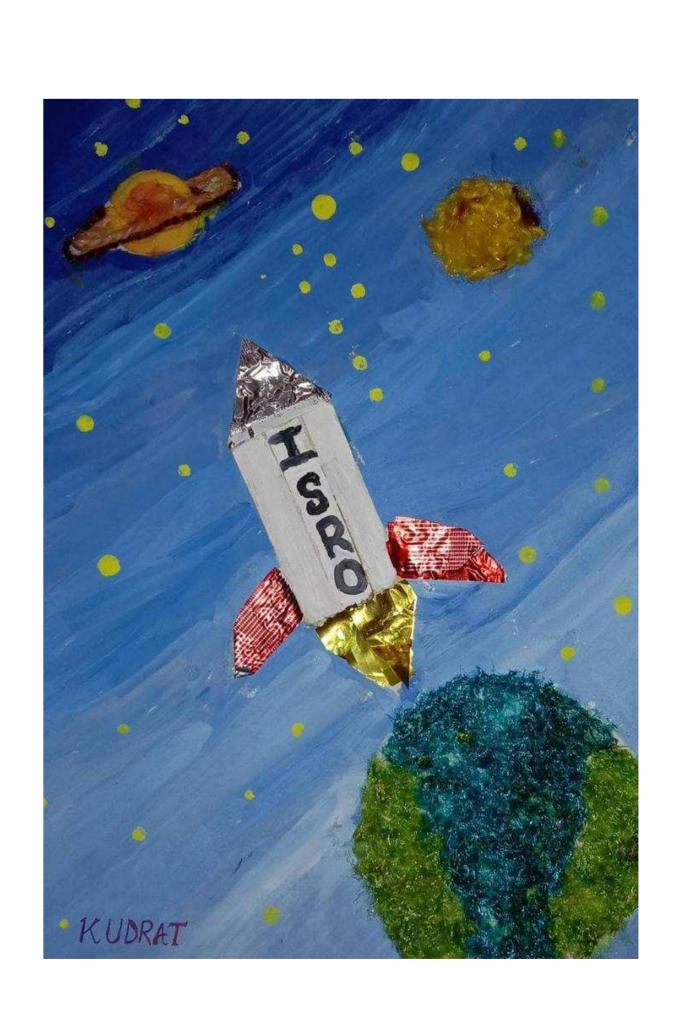
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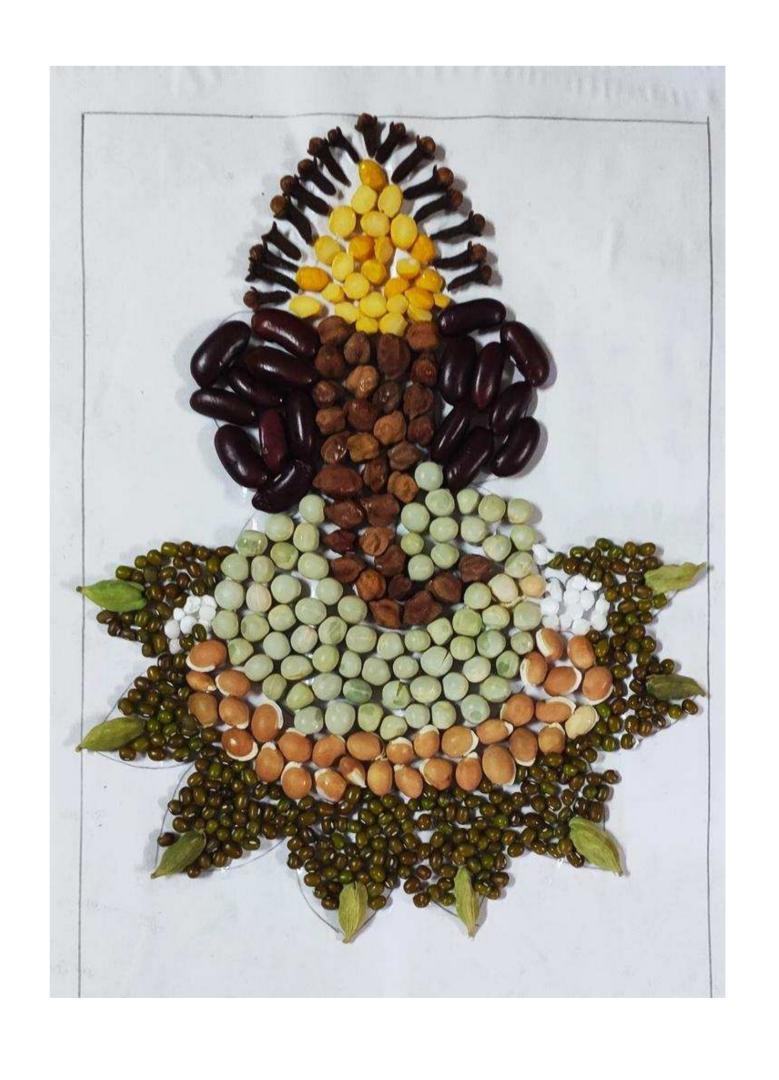


Miss Binaisha Dastoor





AVIKA BANSAL



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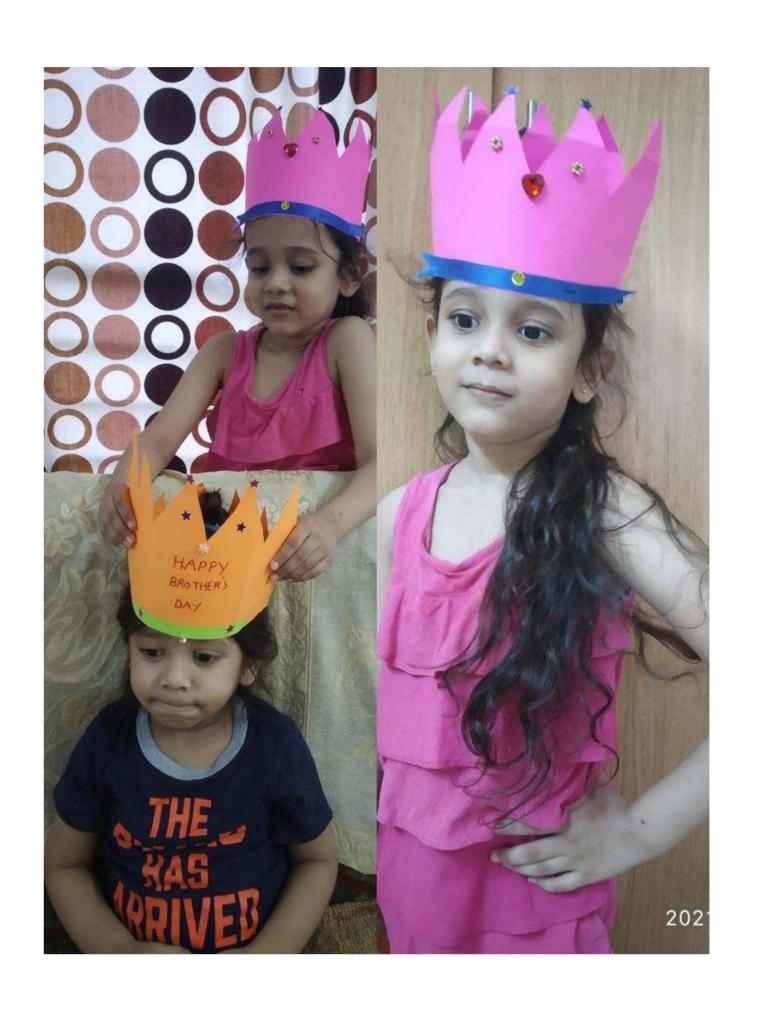
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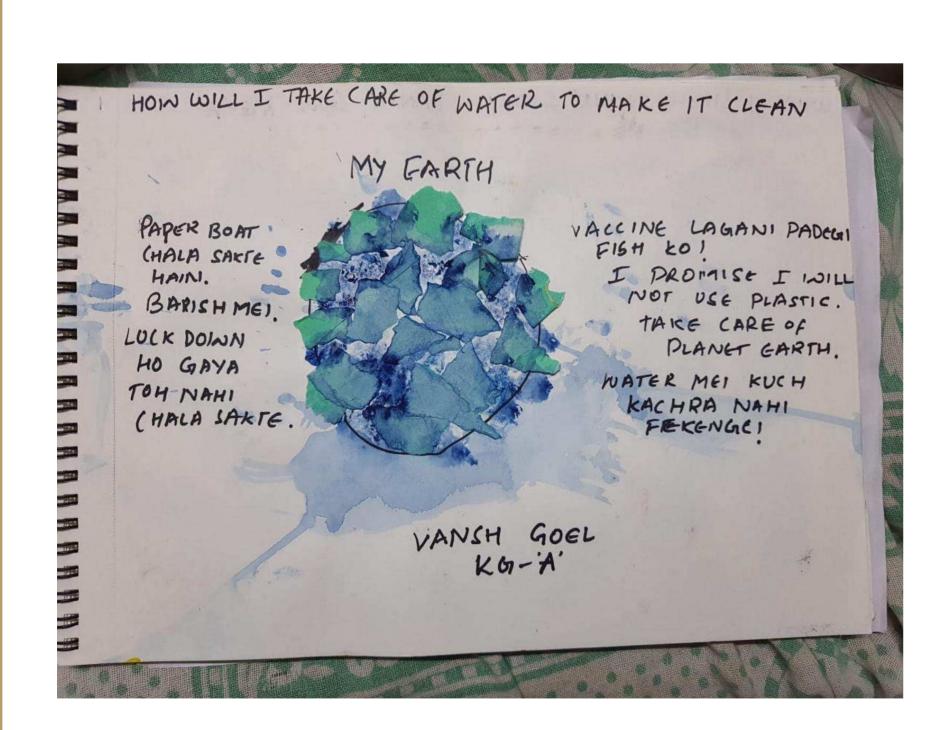


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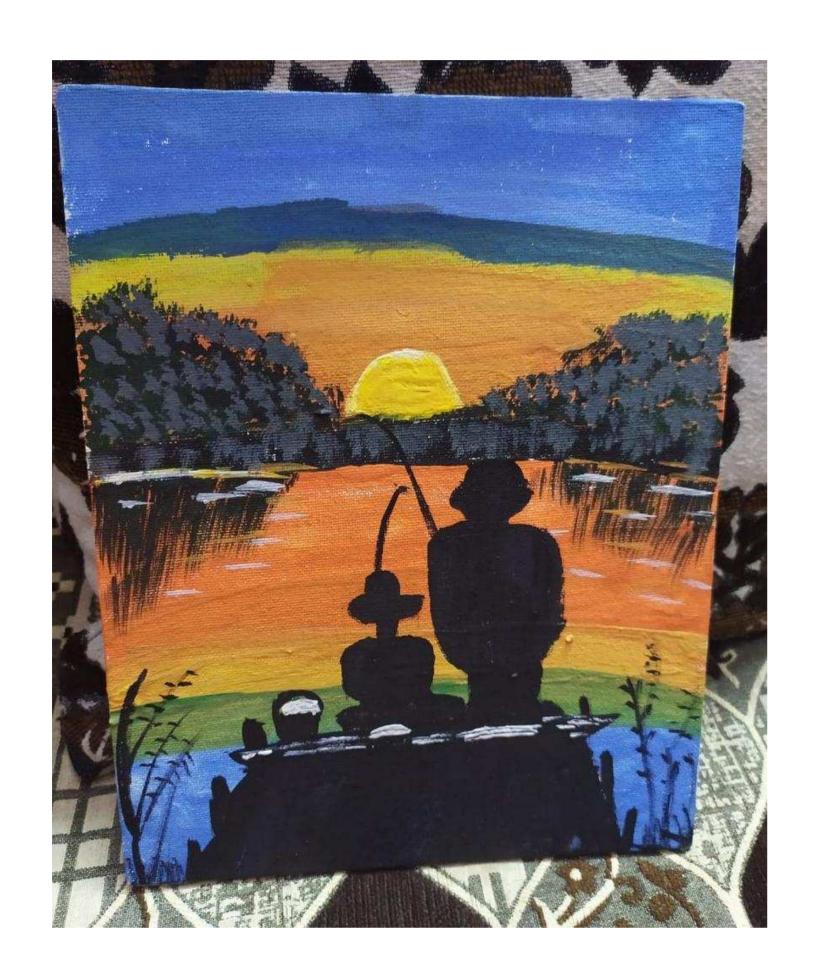


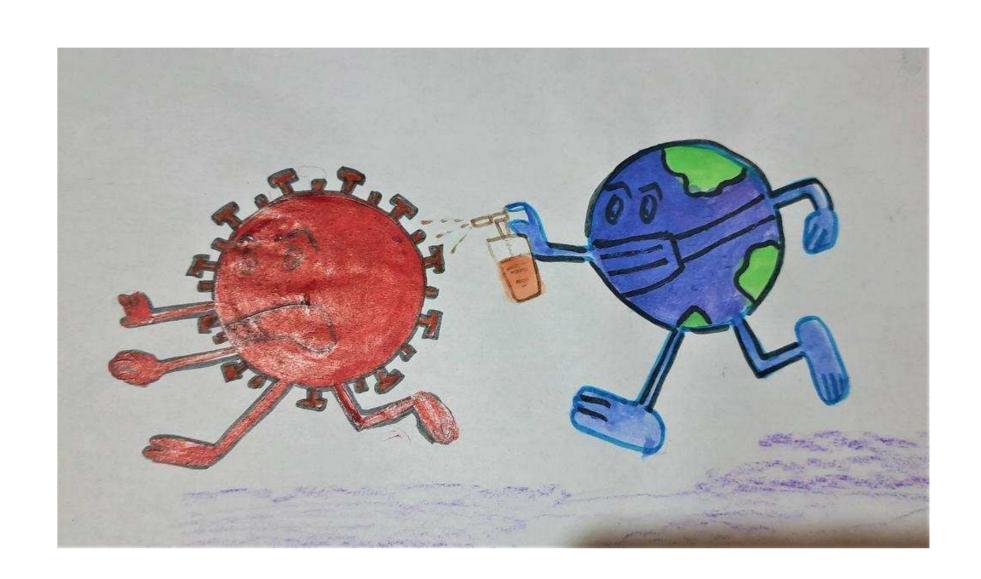
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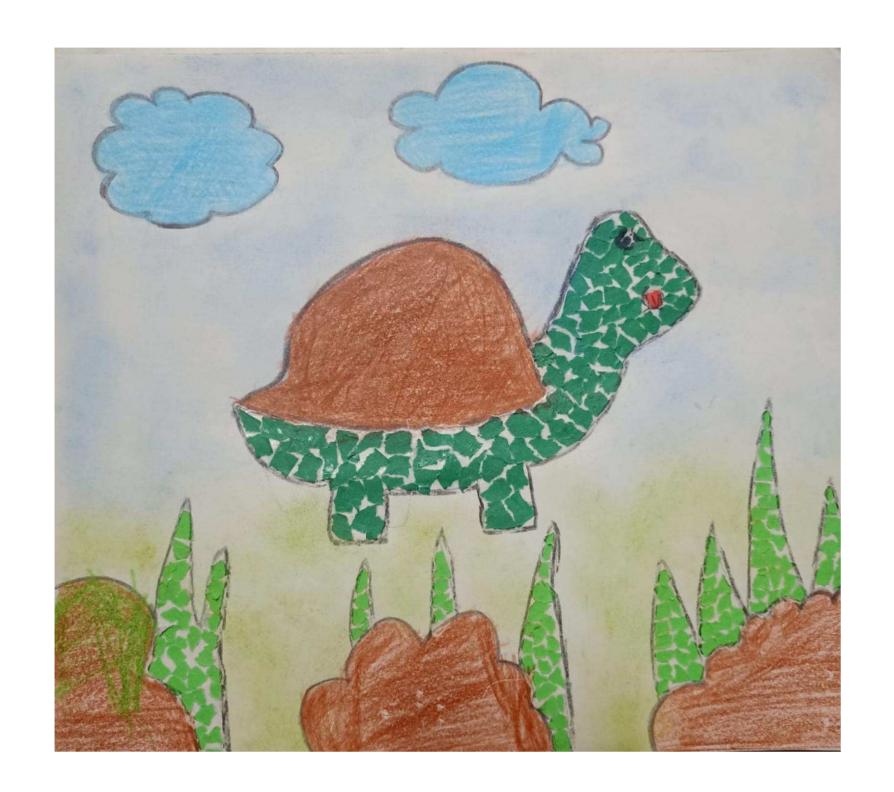
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Yuvaan Nagar







Anika

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Village Scenery

Gurwashi panwar



Some people find it very relaxing and better to live in a village. India is a country based on villages. The majority population is living in the countryside. Village life is very much passionate and amazing. Here is a complete view of life in the village.

Life in a Village:

Life in the village is full of simplicity and peace. Almost every place is full of natural beauty in villages. Most of the villages have a beautiful river or a hill beside it. It looks amazing when the village is located near a river. It is possible to get fresh air and oxygen here. The drinking water is clean and free of pollution. And most importantly, life is calm and very simple. There are wide areas to roam around and spend time. Another important part of village life is food. It is possible to get fresh fruits and vegetables. That is almost impossible in the cities. That's a huge advantage of village life over city life. Food habits are highly important for our health and body. People live in villages as a joint family. Most of the time, they don't break down in different micro families. That thing helps people to live near each other. It improves relationships too. They can take care of each other. Different types of pollution are a huge problem in city life. But you don't need to face any type of pollution in the village. The air, the water, and the soil are pollution-free.

People of Village:

The village peoples are the most important part of a village. Most of the villagers are simple and easy to understand. They live a very simple life with low income. Most of the time they work in the fields and grow crops. Right now, the village has all the facilities and that's why people are getting educated and doing better jobs there. It is helping to improve the infrastructure of the village. That's how we can bring a huge change in the system and will be able to stop migration problems. If we can make enough job opportunities in the village area, then people won't run in the cities. It will lower the population problem in big cities.

Conclusion: Village life is amazing and it's fascinating. I am sure you will love this life. Because when you are living in a village, you are out of worries and tensions.



Journey Of Fantasy

Hey, I'm an Artist & by profession I'm a Pharmacist. Many of them keep on asking if You have such great art skills why don't you choose ART as a career, by all means I just keep on answering them that their is a huge difference in HOBBY & PROFESSION. But we all have to follow our dreams, without which our life is incomplete. Every artist is a dreamer, the dream in the eyes is presented through the artwork.

Well, I would like to share an incident of std 4th where I wasn't able to draw even a peacock mouth shape, the horrible scene created by my mom just because of it, sounds funny but its true. Then, after std 10th the holidays gave me the chance to recognise the hidden talent of mine and then whenever I got the chance I just kept on learning more & more things.

And now once again the lockdown has gave me the chance to consume my time and give my artwork a platform. So I'm happy doing my artworks and people are loving it. Today I'm good at doing Mandala, Illustration, Scenery, Stone Painting, Canvas painting, etc. Day by Day everyday just trying to learn & give something different to my audience on the social media and their great response is just an inspiration to wakeup and do something great also my family & friends are my guide. To be an artist its a very great opportunity I just do it for my happiness and throughout this there were many of the paths where I have lossed my hope to pick the paintbrush again but never have to lose the hope everything happens for a reason and that brings a greater opportunity further. Just you have to think that today have to do something different.. & then I'm sure the days will become less when you start exploring your ideas. So I call my Life as a Fantasy ...

- Sakshi Sachin Redij



My life on Brushes

niveditha_raghav

"The world is, of course, God's artistic masterpiece". To tell you the journey of my art, It began with the crayon drawing hanging on a refrigerator and a handmade card on mother's day which is always more precious than one from stores. For me, art is the best stress-relieve therapy and most of the time cheaper than going to a psychologist. Eversince I was a child, my passion in life is art. Art is in my blood. My dad had a strong passion for

Art and he passed down that sketches to me. I kept that passion alive and running all the way to my adulthood.

The mediums, I like to use when I create my works are Charcoal, pastel oil and graphite. I love reading some fairy tales, which encouraged me paint some pictures from the stories. Since then, the passion for Art has continued to now. Therefore, experience from my childhood have a deep impact on my art. The moment that my interest in artpeaked was when I noticed my dad sketching his dad's portrait. After that, I began to tryon my own. That trying was often times led to me failing more times than not, and giving up hope in myself. I was always determined to do something and decided to pick up that pencil, that paintbrushes, that pastel, and let art take one where it will because it is a way to grow as a person. Art feeds the soul, whether we are creating it, or admiring it. However, I didn't quite understand how to start or knew any techniques that I could use. In time I was able to learn completely.

"No MATTER how this world gazes you; and it matters how you made the world to gaze at you through priceless deeds ".



It's never too late to be what you might've been...

- Prajakta Nilkanth Kully

An art is a diverse range of human activities involving creativity, imagination to express beauty, emotional power or wide range of conceptual ideas.

The ideas have changed over the time for an art. The main three classical branches of visual arts are Painting, Sculpture and architecture. Art is not limited it has a wide range of different forms like Theatre, dance,

literature, music ,film and other media such as interactive media and other performing arts. Art is not this much it can be made through your day to day needy food also. These all are included in the definition of the arts.

Que :- Here I am presenting my Mandala artwork and what is Mandala and what I feel about it?

Ans :- A mandala is a Sanskrit word for circle and is a geometric design that holds a great deal of symbolism of Hindu and Buddhist Culture. Mandala holds symbolic and meditative meaning beyond their vibrant appearance. The purpose of mandala is to help transform ordinary mind into enlightened ones and to assist to healing.

About My Artistic Journey:-

I am doing art from my school days and making art is my hobby I like to do many art like Painting in this I like to do oil, acrylic, glass, etc. Sketching in this like to do simple sketching like flowers, landscape and now learning realistic artwork in sketching.

Now a days I find my interest in Mandala. This art gives me the happiness and feels me relax while doing this. Making Black and white Mandala or any colourful mandala is meditation for me.

Social Message through my art:-

I made Universal Theme Mandala artwork with some different patterns and that time I feel Inspiration exists but it has to find you working. Trust on him(God) who is the creator of Universe, walk on the path he shows to you of spirituality, nothing is impossible, just walk one day you will get whatever you want which is only yours. Make your life a masterpiece, imagine no limitations on what you can be have or do the best you can.

My inspiration to persue art field:-

Making art is my hobby and this help me to find my inspiration in any art form. And I believe that it is stress reliever for me and that time I find my real happiness in doing any kind of art. As a passionate beginner artists that time realise trust on yourself and your ability that you can do it and get it.



Give without expectations

Give with more kindness and love

Not the way that makes them feel ashamed to receive

Give without displaying ur deeds to the world Make their heart feel up and high Let only the God see ur struggle

Be kind... Be a human

Give without attentions
Give with a bit of happiness
Not the way that makes them feel down
Give without showing ur superiority
Make them feel ur efforts
Let them feel stastified with ur smile

Give without hesitation
Give with a sense of purpose
Not the way that makes them feel as an act
Give with a sense of belonging
Make them see God in you
Let them find a way to lead their life

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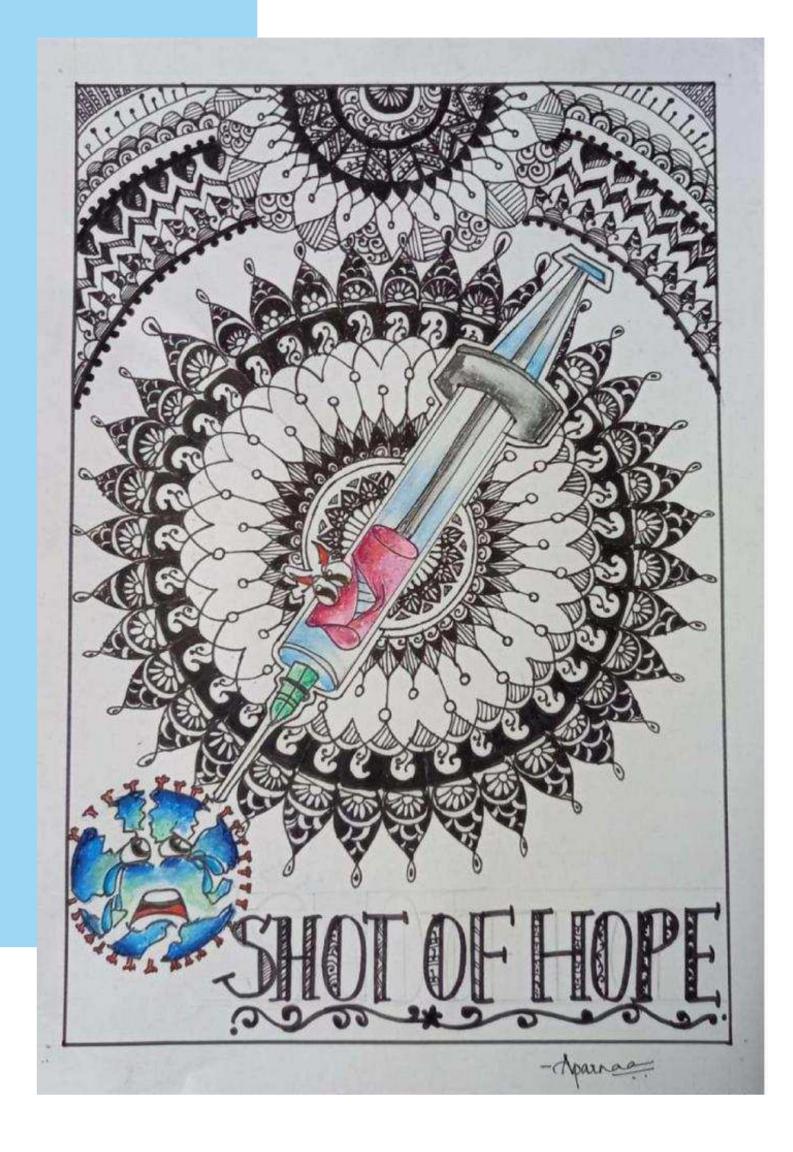
Give without selfishness
Give them with a hope of survival
Not the way that makes them feel shady
Give them with a compassionate heart
Let them find courage to change their lives
Make them beleive in humanity

Willingness is all what it requires!

Be kind, be a good human being!



VACCINE: ASHOTOF HOPE



I am Aparnaa, pursuing B.Com CS from MOPVC .I like to do illustrations with oil pastels, water paints and Mandala art. My journey started when I was 5 and I painted a discarded Kulfi pot with poster paints and my mother seeing the innate interest, enrolled me into the Global Art Programme and the teachers there hand held me to enrich my newfound talent. I have complete the basic, intermediate and advanced modules spanning across different mediums from pencil shading to water painting. Every summer vacation thus was spent with the teachers who culled out my creative skills.

Over the years I have tried all forms of visual art, from A to Z, from glass, tile, sand , vase, mask painting to using seashells ,pistachio shells and discarded bottles to make best out of waste . Mandala art and making inanimate objects come to life by portraying them as cartoons have both remained my favorites and a combination of them has become my style.

Art is a part of my very existence. It is a not only a way to express myself but also helps me calm my nerves and get my anxiety under control. Even after years of practice, my urge to contain a snippet of all things tiny and large and everything in between of the word in my sketch book remains constant. I have also been awarded a National Level Gold Medal, Best Artist of the School from the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas along with bagging a few inter-school awards for which I am extremely gratuitous. In a nutshell, to me, art is therapy.

VACCINE: A SHOT OF HOPE

The smallest single stranded virion that can be seen only with an electron microscope took the world by storm in November 2019.

This is the second pandemic which will go down the history of mankind, first being Spanish Flu. The shock was so rude that the mankind could not decipher what to do as the first step. Chaos ensued. The origin, course progress of the disease transmission details were all so unclear that no precise decision could be made regarding the further steps. Even without complete scientific know-how, the entire health system was forced to plunge into the battle using medicine which they thought could be helpful.

Many norms were brought about hoping that it mimicked the respiratory virus as the identity was established by genetic study. By the time a little progress was made, people felt all around that they have won a small battle resulting in the virus boomeranging more vigorously. All parts of the world succumbed to it and many lost their lives .

It would not be inappropriate to state that the Universe is affected as now it has been detected in wild animals like tigers and elephants.

However, covering your face and nose with a mask, hand washing frequently and maintaining social distancing significantly reduces the spread of the virus. Various phases of lockdown are being announced by various countries taking into consideration the spread of the disease and R naught values. They want to essentially break the cycle .

All of us are aware that immunity of our bodies needs to be good to resist any disease. This can be attained wither by active infection or passively by immunization. Vaccinating the entire population will positively impact the efforts being taken to control the spread of the virus. This should spread through to the entire mankind so that escape mechanism does not take place. Each and everyone of us should get ourselves vaccinated and not pay heed to the baseless rumours being spread that have no scientific backing. All of us should take time to educate ourselves about the available vaccines, discuss its effects or any issues or questions that we may have with qualified doctors and encourage our kith and kin to get vaccinated. Only time and studies in detail may prove efficacy of the methods adopted but vaccination is definitely the only SHOT OF HOPE that we possess against the deadly virus.

By Aparnaa



"The Not So Consistent Artist"

- Pulkit Barolia

Namaste, Pulkit here. I'm a 19 year old guy from New Delhi. My art journey was never as I wanted to be. I used to draw from every cartoon, animation, photographs etc very well (pretty good for a 5 year old kid). As I was growing up my interest in art and craft was growing too with a much faster rate. I used to make toys, models, projects, anatomy drawings for my seniors for free because I really enjoyed this. But I never liked studies but I was a good student and used to score really well so that kinda made me busy , I left drawing for few years . But I was still making models, electronic devices etc. I loved opening electronic devices lol. But my grades degraded and my mom kinda forced me to give up on these things and start studying again. I stopped drawing but I never stopped doodling on my notebooks (not even till now haha, my notebooks are full of some cool and funky doodles).

When I passed my 10th with really good percentage I decided to draw again but never did I knew that 11th class was way fought than 9th and 10th combined. On top of that I joined a coaching for jee mains. That my friend, was a turning point for me. I used to study a lot but never scored good enough to clear chemistry specifically. But I realised I'm way better in vocational arts than anything. So u started drawing again in my 12th starting and I really thank the almighty and my family for supporting me again and motivating to make some cool artworks .And I'm still learning , I don't think I will ever stop learning because you cannot master anything because there's always someone who is better than you so you must do what you like on a daily basis even a little bit of it will be enough to help you grow daily. And I've learnt that one should be consistent with your hustle to grow everyday, evey minute and every second. Be consistent guys :)



Green Panther



Rain or shine, our prime daily goal was always to be allowed to go outside in nature and play.

Ah! The good old days, before technology took over, when we used to play outside in nature. Those were the beautiful green full of sunshine days and I was extremely active as kid. I would talk to cats and my morning started with birds chirping. I was super active and happy in my own world, nature and animals were huge part of my life. But today we are just stuck in our phones that we are forgetting what 'nature' really means. This 'new normal' life is literally shrinking open spaces. We need to realise that this virtual world is not a real world. Sharing your feelings and emotions on the social platforms won't make you feel good. We are devaluing human contact. We should just be more present with each other or spend time in nature. We should communicate, share our feelings with our special ones, go out and have fun with them and if you want to be alone then you must rely on nature and your thoughts. Nature is the best medicine. Meaningful interactions with nature not only can teach, but also help people rejuvenate, reflect, and recognize the importance of the outdoors. We should enjoy its beauty without disturbing the balance of nature. Most importantly, put down your phone and be present in your home, in your work space, when in outside; everywhere. Just be present. Your brain will work better. You will increase efficiency. You will retain top talent. You will sleep better and wake up better. You will get better at making decisions. You will be open to more opportunities. Just step out of your phone, theres so much to do in this world, so many people to meet, so many conversations to have, adventures to enjoy, so many places to travel, foods to eat, GO DO IT! GOD! There's so much out there, I urge everyone to step out of your phone and laptop, tv screens. GO OUT. Live your life. Just do some masti.

And VALUE NATURE, its a blessing. Nature is beautiful in every way and needs our care, value it. This time will never come again in your life, so use less phone and be more present in life. Life is beautiful, make the most of it. Never let the child inside you die.

- Tithi Tiwari





Love your heART

- Manasa.Ramadugu



I myself manasa.ramadugu . Medical student.I started my art at small age.I always wanted to participate in competition but I never tried may I am scared.one day my father enrolled my name in mandal level art contest without letting me know about it the day before I came to know about it .finnaly participated in the and secured 1st prize.Then my art journey started.One thing can change u r life this competition changed me I inspired after my work I enjoyed it, still enjoying and definitely I always enjoy in my art .Art taught me to think deep and make me to see deeper.

I love to draw my mood swings .Whoever wants to know something about me, they should look attentively at my pictures and there seek to recognise what I am and what I want.

Through art u can express many things. My aim of art is to represent not the outward appearance of things, but their inward significance. It would be possible to describe everything scientifically, but it would make no sense; it would be without meaning, as if you described a Beethoven symphony as a variation of wave pressure.

Art is gift of God don't waste it and enjoy it.Dont let the fear to lead your life.Let the art which makes u happy ,peace and realistic lead u r life. Thank u Art contest for giving me such a great opportunity and this is the best platform for every artist mainly for the beginners .





Making of a masterpiece

*The making of a magnum opus involves a number of steps and the most challenging of all is creating the canvas.

*At first, the layout is drawn on the canvas base which is usually muslin cloth. After that, chalk or zinc oxide dust is mixed with Arabic gum and a water soluble adhesive to make a muck paste. The fixative is applied on a thin muslin cloth and pasted on the wooden plank. Thereafter, the layout which was made at the first step of the artwork making is gradually and meticulously decked with various add-ons.

*The usual materials used for the beautification of a Tanjore painting are cut glass, semiprecious gems, rich colours and laces. To augment the gorgeous effect of the painting, 22 karat
gold foils are pasted in different parts of a figure while the rest of the areas are filled with dayglow colours that match up with the brilliance of the painting.

*Due to use of premier quality gold foil, an authentic Tanjore painting can last for generations without getting tarnished and a medium sized painting would be on a little expensive side as compared to that of the others.

*Creating a work of genius is never an easy task and Tanjore painters have testified this fact down the generations. Such paintings require a good deal of your passion, perseverance and perfection. Only when these three 'P's combine together can one produce such timeless creations. It may take between three to six months by an artist to make an authentic Tanjore painting.

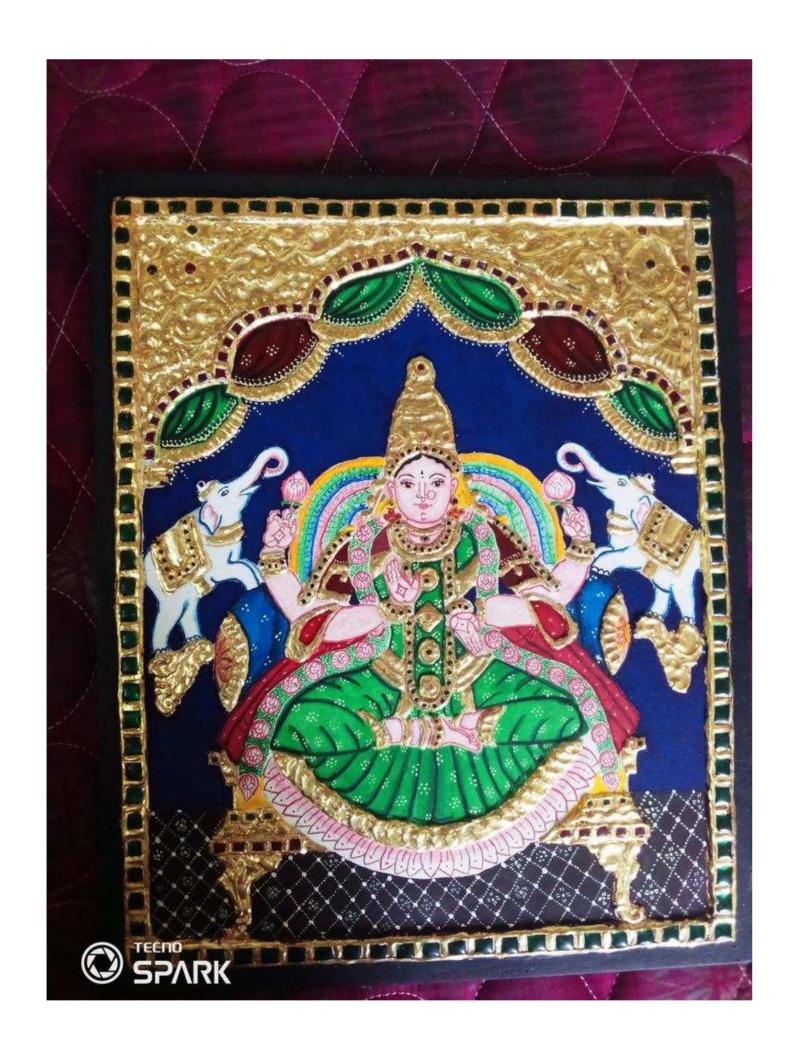
*To sum up, Tanjore painting is the ultimate way of expressing devotion, truth and skill by an artist through his/her creation.

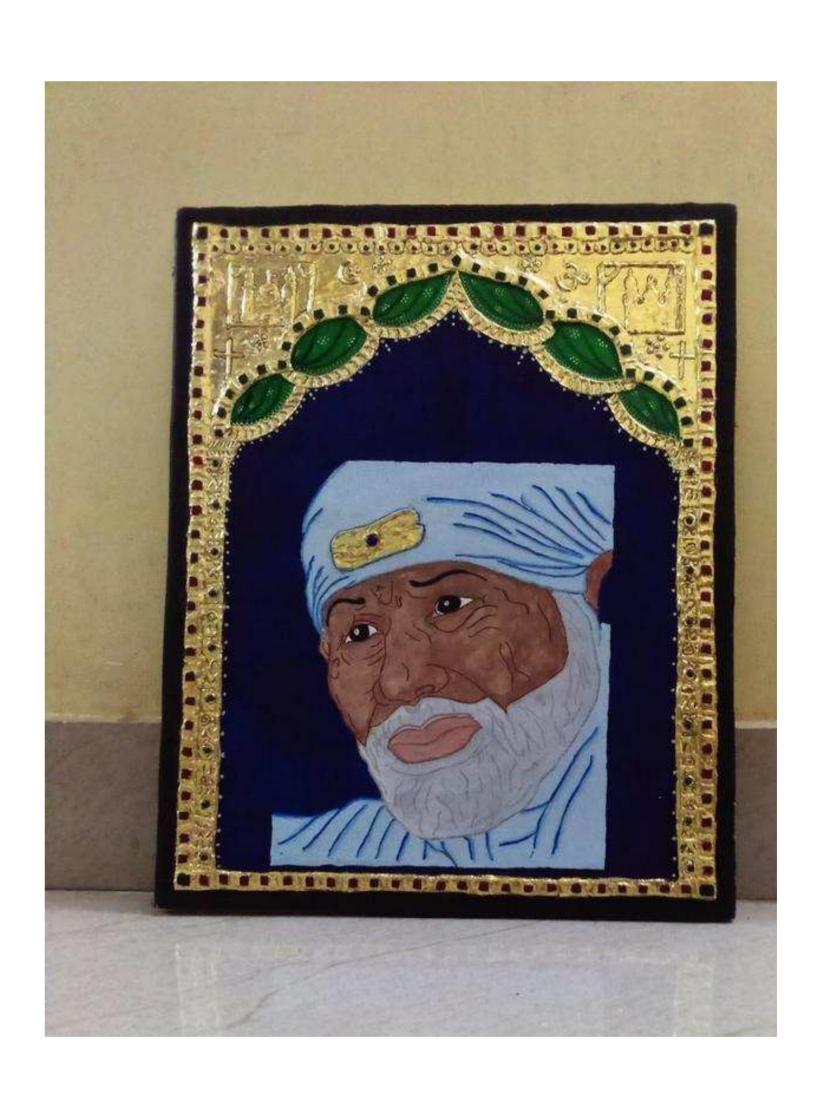
*This ancient form of miniature artwork thrives till date through intense craftsmanship and dedication of the artists of Tamil Nadu and is held at a high esteem for its indigenous character.

- Haritha Rajagopalan

""The broad process of creating a Tanjore painting involves(The step wise making):

- 1. The wooden board is first softened using glue and emery sheets.
- 2. The motifs are then sketched out onto the fabric pinned onto the board and these outlines are then finalized by sticking precious and semi-precious gems on these lines.
- 3. The spaces around the gems are then filled with a thin layer of lime or tamarind powder mixed with gum or resin.
- 4. Another thick layer of lime or tamarind powder is then used to create the relief and inlay work.
- 5. The entire painting is then cleaned and refined.
- 6. Next, gold foil is placed onto the stones and the relief work.
- 7. The gold foil is then snipped and tidied to give a finished look to the painting.





- Haritha Rajagopalan



"ARTIS MEDITATION"

By NAMANDEEP KAUR

Art is a very small word but it has big importance in our lives. We can find art in everything whether it's in nature itself or handmade. Art to me is a meditation. My state of mind feels peace while doing any type of art. Whenever I get bored, or am sad, or if am too much happy, I do art to celebrate every phase whether it's sad or happy. It helps me relieve or get ridd off of stress, anxiety or any pressure. I could not have found my talent of art if my teacher in school hadn't told me to do drawing. It is very common that at the initial phase everything seems difficult but for the perfection, progress and practice is must. I was in 1st grade when my teacher gave me an assignment to draw a beautiful scenery which seemed impossible to draw to me. But I didn't want my score to fall down and I tried. After I finished the drawing, outcome was unbelievable and eye-catching. My teacher and friends appreciated me. So I believed that my hands are good at art, why not try something more! Then I started drawing and painting and my love for art grew. As I grew up I made my art page on instagram and started posting my artwork there. Art is a very good way to express yourself and represent any social message. When words fail, art speaks up. It implies deep impact on the audience. Any social message can be represented through it such as water conservation, global warming, say no to drugs, grow more trees and many more. As I told earlier that art is a source of meditation but it is a source of earning too. Many artists do commission work for income. So it serves the both aspects: Meditation and Income.

At last I want to quote the three talents:—ART, POETRY & SINGING

-The person who knows how to draw purely,
how to write purely,
how to sing purely,
knows the depth of life surely.







"A GIRL'S LITTLE WORLD"

By Kaja Navya

A girl is born simple yet with big dreams. She is the reason that we all are being able to see this massive world. Behind her phase of marrying to giving birth, taking up responsibilities to sacrificing her entire life to her family; she deserves to have a worthy life in all 3 important stages of her life - CHILDHOOD, ADOLOSCENCE, ADULTHOOD.

"CHILDHOOD" is the age where we are unaware of this atypical world, which is tension free from society's immature thoughts and men's awful actions. So 'these should be the days that a girl should try to recreate' happily when she looks back.

"LET HER CHERISH MEMORIES"

A girl at "ADOLESCENCE" always knew that 'she is destined for greatness being a happy growing girl who dreams higher' making her thoughts, behavior and character wiser.

"LET HER GROW IN A WORLD WORTH IT"

At the end all she need is a perfect guy, who loves her with all his heart, respects and supports her by 'gifting her a beautiful and worthy', "ADULTHOOD"

"GIVE HER FREEDOM TO CHOOSE HER LIFE"

A social message I want to give through my art is letting people know that 'A girl is born simple yet beautiful, so give her freedom to lead a worthy life that she deserves in all stages in her little world.'

Pursuing art field is all about my personal interest, Iam one of the artists who knows the true beauty of arts and have chosen to depict my creative thoughts through my arts with all the splashing colors to this world.

My artistic journey has been great with various forms of my art works.

"Fine arts are really fine to put in practice!"

Finally, thanks a ton for this opportunity which is bringing out many hidden talents to people's notice in national wide.











I'm Anusha a self taught artist. I make art in wide range of mediums. Art has been my passion right from my childhood. Nobody is a born artist they will become one when they start enjoying and practicing Art.

I put my 100% in every single art so the results are obviously up to the mark. As an Artist I enjoy myself when I make art.

My artistic journey was not much encouraged. Many setbacks were there, support was rarely given. I have chosen Instagram and YouTube to showcase my artworks. But there is a lack of appreciation and support even after such hard work.

I choose to convey some social message through every single art. I conveyed messages through my art like Women Empowerment, Saving Wild Life etc. I also give support for all small artists. I was left as a small artist as there was no support even if I was giving more than what I could.

People around me brought out the artist inside me. My Grandmother was extremely talented in crafting and that inspired me to know my interests. With support of my family and friends I'm here now.

I recently started #100daysofartchallange and posting my works on Instagram. Checkout @hashtag__arts to see my artworks and for my art videos visit https://www.youtube.com/hashtagarts.

I would love to have your support. Please show your support by following me.





Sole intimacy of my life - Art!

By KEERTHANA PANNERSELVAN

I found myself on the caricature of my canvas. I'm Keerthana and I belong to Tamil Nadu. I always wonder that the gene of art may be mixed in my DNA, which fulfills me in all my losses. My delineation started from crayons and continues to brushes today. I pick the brush during all the vehemence of my life. Maybe this routine brought out every single emotion in my art. Though I lack materialistic knowledge on the skill, I never stopped sharpening my pencils. On entering My UG course, I joined art workshops to master the skill. I feel happy that I found good souls who supported me towards art. The exposure, I attained during that period is immense. In the former part of my life, my art was rejected and criticized by everyone around me. But the fire in me made me involved in the art more than before, I engaged myself to gain the basic knowledge of the art. I practiced the knowledge I gained every single day to shine among the criticized mouths.

I raised without support and I'm exploring the essence of art every single day. My Art is the most incitement of my life. It never failed to express my emotions exactly. Art vitalizes me, to stand up in all my failures. I believe that I found my love language at a very young age. Art is neither my passion nor my profession but the oxygen of my life.





Mold yourself into an artist

By Manasi Upanekar

Hello, I am Manasi Upanekar and I am 27 years old from Maharashtra . By profession I am an Engineer but art is my passion.

My art is mainly inspired by the nature. Nature is full of beautiful and inspiring things and we just need an eye to capture it. My art depicts the different parts of nature. Sometime my art wonders through the oceans or sometimes through living creatures, landscapes. I find inspiration in blooming flower and in dried leaves also.

Still life is what I am currently practicing on as you can also find beauty in steady objects that surrounds you.

Art journey:

I was painting from my childhood but this lockdown gave me the time to actually enhance my art. I started to paint every day pushing myself in every painting. As they say, Practice is the key likewise I painted lots of paintings taking extra time on detailing. I started to learn from my mistakes I refer lots of paintings, artworks, methods from different artists from instagram, you tube and from pinterest. I was feeling like (still do) 'Ekalavya'

Social message:

My social message to all of you is that peruse your dreams, take time for your hobbies As your passion feeds your soul so don't give up. Start from small wonder through mediums methods, learn and importantly practice.

Inspiration;

My inspiration is Alexandra Velichko when I saw her paintings I was like let's start to paint why to waste lockdown time & then there was nothing to stop me like her I was inspired my many more artists like Brooke Cormier, Katherina burns (list still goes on...)

I wish all the artist there to not stop painting, create beautiful artworks showcase your art to world And if you need any guidance in this art journey feel free to contact me on my instagram Page @manasiupanekar.art where I can help you with what I have gained so far from my experience. Wish you all happy painting. Thank you.





"Artistic Transition: One of the Best moments in life"

In the begining, way back when I was a kid studying in 6th class with , just studies, enjoying time with friends, watching cartoons, playing and all sorts of stuffs, there was no tension.. Everyday was like that, until something new, something like a change happened in me and life became meaningful, it had a purpose.,One fine afternoon, some students were playing, some were doing something, and some kids like us don't know what to do, because they was nothing more interesting to do, that's when I noticed one of my friends drawing cartoon pictures and stuff and some others were also drawing.,At first, I didn't care..Because they seem like artists..and I don't even dared..Then one day I thought of trying it for myself.,I took his book and took a pencil and started to draw it..It was first time in my life that I am trying to draw a cartoon picture, And it came out good, Inspiration struck and I drew all the pictures that he drew..my friend totally inspired me and I started to do more.And from then on, i started purchasing playing cards like Ben 10, dragonballz without anyone knowing, saving money and buying cards, not even my parents knew I bought them..After school,i used to rush to a shop nearby and I would buy cards from there and my house was 1km away..So I would buy them and walk home.. No one knew..Then I started drawing card pictures like pokemon, Ben 10 and I felt happy doing it., I felt alive.. Life felt meaningful, one of the greatest moments in my life, from then on, I moulded my talent, worked hard, from nobody knows to everybody knowing my talent for drawing, still no one appreciated my talent and gave support, I often find my own time to do art in my own expense, from drawing cartoons to portraits starting with leonel Messi and then on I tried many portraits. All became success..Loved what I did.Enjoyed what I did. Every moment. So it's been 13 years, I have started drawing, did portraits, moments, scenes, marker arts, pencil pen arts, oil pastel arts, tried out everything and always wanted to explore more and to this day, no one supports me and every art I do, Is at my own expense. I am eternally grateful to God for this talent. At times, everyone might make you feel discouraged but Don't give up on your talent even, if everyone is against you, follow your passion and you will reach great heights!! Whenever I felt emotionally down, I would always find joy and happiness while drawing pictures This was my art story. True to the heart. Thankyou

By Aneesh. Antony



BLOG ON ART - ITS VIRTUE & ETHICS

Akriti Priydarshini

My journey or rather I should say a voyage of art and artwork begins and takes place during my early teenage. During my childhood days, art was like it is not my cup of tea, but as the time flown by, I took a first and more like a tiny step towards art and its beautiful world by joining an "art and craft class" and after that my perception of world, nature- its beauty and people got changed.

I realised that an artist posses and acquires an unique artistry and skill to see any particular thing or rather say the whole world with many perspective and approach. Now, the crucial thing which came up before me was whether I should choose art as my career and part of my life, because by then art had been endowed within me. It was like a "leap of faith" for me since I took a firm decision and made my stand to move forward and dive in this beautiful artistic world, thanks to my lovable parents and siblings (especially my elder sister) who gave their unconditional support and showed confidence in me.

It is my personal experience that an inspiration is necessary to move ahead in any field and that inspiration gradually takes form of passion which always keeps the spark glowing within inner consecience. Like I expressed above, I used to think that art was not my cup of tea but gradually my notion towards art changed. After taking admission in art and craft class, then came the part where an inspiration made home within my thoughts and heart and which always kept telling me to stay on my journey which just began.

As for me that inspiration is not any great person but rather a great artwork by obviously a great mind i.e. "MONALISA". There is something unique about that particular art that always makes me wonder to dive in within that portrait and try to understand the mindset of that great mind i.e. LEONARDO da VINCI. The one thing about that art which I noticed and came to know by reading books that it was created without any outline work. That particular art is my dream to see in its originality once in my lifetime.

Whatsoever may be the time, the inspiration will always keep the light of art ignited within my heart.





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Art-heart Storm

By Ashutosh Nayak

Every person faces this initial phase during the journey of his art where he sits down in front of a blank paper & this is the phase where his mind storms with ideas, colours, imagination of stories & images.

Believe me no art is beautiful than the image stuck in an artist's mind.

I too have been a victim to this phase of an artist during the Indian Art Contest (season-6) & this is when I couldn't move out of my house due to the corona virus pandemic.

So I decided to bring in some positivity & peace within me by reimagining myself in a wonderful garden mesmerized with the beauty of our mother nature.

As I said this was the initial phase of an artist that I was going through & imagining cool breeze running through my hair, birds chirping all around, soft natural music by the dancing dry leaves on the ground & now it was time for me to print my imagination on the paper.

I tried my best to sculpt my imagination that Indian Art Contest has given me to portray my thoughts of positivity & I believe that we will be able to live & enjoy the beauty of mother nature all again is immense.

I think everyone should give a try to such opportunities to explore & enjoy little things because your life isn't just a blank paper.

Thank u for Helping me bring back the light, the flame in my heart.





FIRST STARS OF CALIFORNIA

By Dr .Nandhini

Hello, I'm a doctor by profession who has a insatiable love for art. Art is a part of me which I didn't realise until I started making one . I'm a Bharatnatyam dancer too , so part of my growing up was living and dancing through art . I've realised that this year filled with unprecedented times is where I reignited my art as it gave a sense of grit which I pursued to push through challenges given upon me during this pandemic . Art is indeed a journey of a free soul pondering on how they want to create their life . Life beats us down many times, but art reminds you can you always create something , it's magic what I call . Through this pandemic and what life has given us was the hardest stretches we could have predicted . I started to focus and keep moving forward creating something which I can control . I would like to show an emotional perception of a glimpse of a life span, its mood and atmosphere. It can be an emotional splash or a total quietness and melancholy, when the wind has abated and all around has stood. I believe that not only people have emotions, but also all the things around us. Slow movement of clouds, tide in the ocean ,shades of trees, soaring of birds, falling of a raindrop, old boats, houses, street lights, electric mains, branches of trees of the moment.

It doesn't matter which art form you do because every art has its own origin stories which moves it. I have done more than 30 + art forms which shows so much credibility and history behind them.

Art can be a challenge, both frustrating and rewarding at the same time, leading to a sense of accomplishment or a determination to do more.

In my artwork, As endless as the ocean, as timeless as the tides which defines our reality. The universe works in unexpected ways. Your good luck will come in waves, and so does your bad, so you have to take the good with the bad and press forward. If we can just imagine the big things in life as waves, we will always remember that happiness comes in waves, so does sadness but we need to flow with it.

Have you wondered when was the last time you spent a quiet moment just doing nothing - just sitting and looking at the sea, or watching the wind blowing the tree or waves rippling, the stillness. You will you engulfed if you don't enjoy it but you need to simple experience it so

Listen to the sound of waves within you, while you are chasing the waves, it is waiting to tell you something but the point is are you listening?!





Shivayya

By Chethan. C

1. I have a special interest in art works. Being a pharmacist and farmer i dont find much time to value my own interest. This art of SHIVA whom i find as a symbol of Divine was asked by one of the friend to do it.

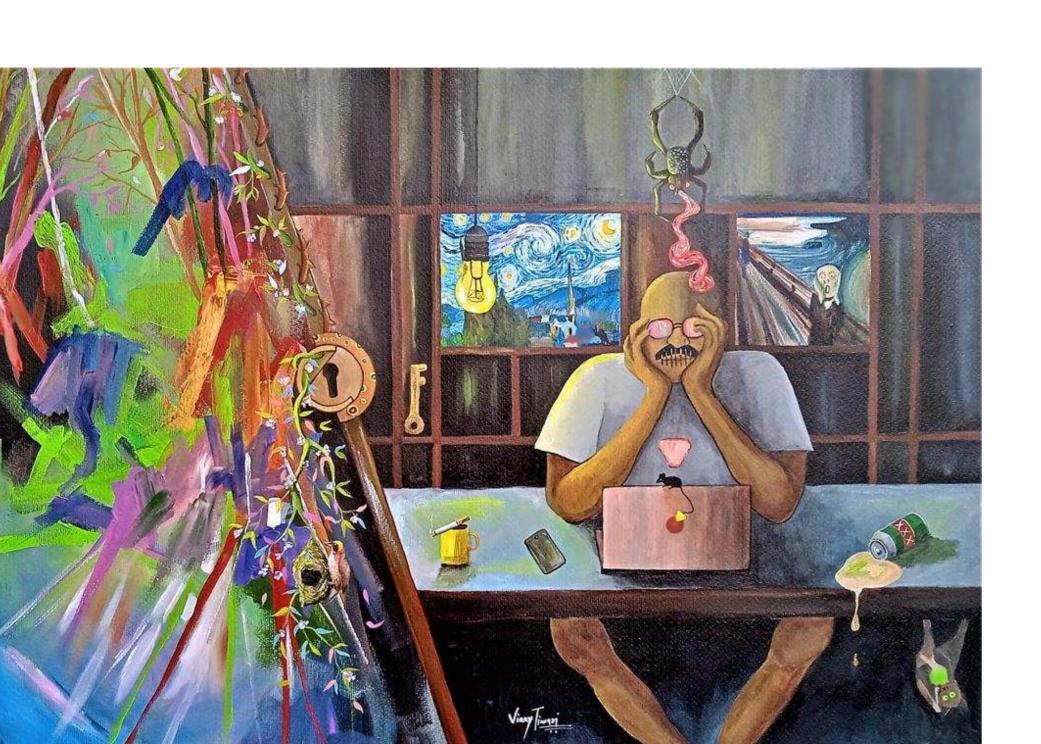
I have tried by best to bring up the feel in the face.

- 2. My artistic journey began 3yrs ago and from then when ever i get to do some art work, i can find myself learning something more and find some good feel end of the art work. As i mentioned earlier i could not spend more time for it, but in future when my works are manageable i would be happy to do more art works and learn more.
- 3. Art is a good talent, thus evry beginner like me should keep learning and improve the talent by identifying proper time for it.

As a quote says "EVERY ARTIST WAS FIRST AN AMATEUR".

4. I have no inspiration in specific which made me pursue the field of art . I began it as a leisure and continuing as same.





Locked, Down 8 Nature!

By Vinay Tiwari

This artwork titled - "Locked, Down & Nature!" is an attempt to capture the vibe, feelings and emotions of people who were stuck within their homes or were stranded at far locations during the sudden lockdown imposition in the year 2020.

No one had ever thought of a time when the most privileged thing in the world would be to go out, meet friends and family or travel without second thoughts.

Uncertainty about what tomorrow might bring, lack of human touch in day to day lives, and isolation from the world for a prolonged period, all added up to the miseries of people and Mental health cases shot up during the lockdown period. People around the world were facing a demon that was not visible but was certainly taking a toll on their personal, professional and mental health.

Through this artwork, I have tried to capture the nuances of the sudden behavioural changes we all have experienced in and around us, it is the summation of both internal and external journey that we all have been a part of, and ultimately it is a reminder of the time - when the world stood still for the very first time.

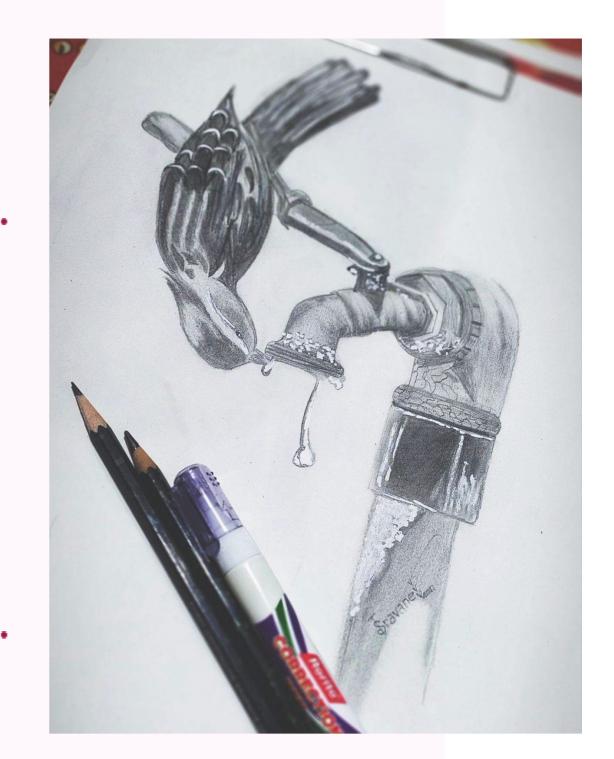
Hopefully, the painting in future will be looked upon as the epitome of the phrase "This Too Shall Pass", as it will become the representation of our victory over the hardest times we all have experienced in our lives.

So, even though the visuals of the painting speak of a somewhat negative time, the overall expression of the painting remains positive and rewarding.





By Sravani Garikipati



Hello. I hope u all are happy and safe..as we all are in lockdown, so it's the best time to improve our art skills and I was scrolling instagram and suddenly saw this post about writing a blog about our arts..and I thought it was a good opportunity to say a few words about "ART".so here we go..!!

ABOUT MY ART:

I had drawn a pencil sketch of a bird trying to drink water from the tap.its a graphite art.. it's juts a pencil sketch...and used some white ink for highlights...I think pencil or pen art is the most cheapest art.. anybody can afford it..so like I did.

ABOUT MY ARTISTIC JOURNEY:

When I was 8yrs old I started drawing small drawings with pencils, sketch pens and water colours also.whenever I'm free, I used my free time for drawing.so I can say myself as a self taught artist.i got this interest from my dad.he used to draw sketches and paintings.i also started learning from my dad.i lost my father in my 9th grade.then I stopped drawing and painting.. thereafter I didn't had much time to spend on art works and now again I've started my artistic life and started drawing these pencil sketches.because of today's improved technology, we all have s chance to learn anything from home through social medias.i started learning some basics and tips about pencil arts.My goal is to draw realistic sketches.And I know I have to try hard for it..it does not happens in a short time.it takes more years to sharpen my art skills.

SOCIAL MESSAGE THROUGH ART:

There are different types of arts.some arts are made for beauty and decorations and some arts gives a social message to the people..either it can be a drawing or painting.its all depends on our creativity levels."A MEANINGFUL PICTURE IS MOSTBETTER THAN SPEAKING THOUSAND WORDS".words can be forgotten but those visually seen pictures are remembered strongly in our minds and hearts.so I've drawn a picture of a bird drinking water from s tap.as this is summer season is running right now,birds will be thirsty and starving.so I want to give a message to put some water on the walls with a bowl so that birds will drink and hydrate themselves.water is essential for all living organisms.so it's a good thing to give some water to those birds and animals..

MY INSPIRATION TO PERSUE ART FIELD:

As I said before that I've learned and got interest from my father. I always watch drawing videos in u tube and improve my art skills.and my inspiration is all the artists who have worked hard to their own.i really surprised that hoe creative the people are.!! I want to be a professional artist in future..hope my dream comes true...not a dream but it's a aim for me..I wish everyone would support me.thank you indian art contest for giving me this valueable oppurtunity for telling my journey.. thanks a lot.



Having gratitude is an unique opportunity to bow down to the knowledge we gain from others.

And we take this opportunity to say thanks to all the participants from India and abroad, Judges from different art spheres and our hardworking team.

We look forward to expand our knowledge, strengthen the bond and receive your love..

Thank you!

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