

JUDGE'S STATEMENTS

MARTHE MINFORD—MEAS

All those who entered the Independent's Show 2008 are commended. Many pieces not receiving awards might have with other judges; chosen winners went beyond the expected to challenge ordinary perceptions. Among the criteria used to evaluate work were exceptional use of space, texture, line and color value to maintain harmony between the idea and manipulation of media. Photography was especially strong; sculpture fluid. The Best of Show piece stood out from the other work as an arresting use of space and line with oil. It was a pleasure to be a part of your creative history.

ROBERT COCKRELL

I would like to thank the artists for making this year's Independent Show a success. With so many fine works of art, the decision for awards was a difficult one and as always, a very subjective one. Choices were made by two individuals from different artistic media and styles meeting on common ground to agree on each award. I based my decisions on design, composition, color, focus, negative space and artist skill.

I was especially pleased at the quality of fine art photography in this year's show. I had hoped to see more mixed media and sculpture. This year works on paper and canvas were outstanding. The best of show was the hardest award to make because so many of the first place winners could have been the over all winner. No one piece of art jumped out and spoke to me as the best of show, so this was a compromised decision through agreement on merit.

SPECIAL THANKS!!

THANKS TO THE JUDGES

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2008
July 3rd-31st

ART
CENTER
OF CORPUS CHRISTI

AWARD WINNERS

Best of Show:

BETTY LYNN STERBA

Fat of the Hand

Oil

Works on Canvas

1st: MONIKA HECKENBAUGH

911

Oil

2nd: RICHARD MONTALVO

Supplication

Oil

3rd: JUAN C. VELA, JR.

Dreamlife of Angels

Acrylic

Honorable Mentions

RICHARD MONTALVO

Follow Me

Oil

LISA OLSEN

Scene at the Ranch

Acrylic

NICOLAS RESIO

Joaquin Resio III

Oil

Works on Paper

1st: SHARON FORSYTHE

Gravida

Acrylic

2nd: VASUMISTRY—BERGER

Peach Pearls

Oil Pastels

3rd: JANE SCHREIBER JOHNSON

Burst of Clarity

Watercolor & Pastel

Honorable Mentions

STU HANSON

Ester

Pastel

STU HANSON

Blooming Campground

Pastel

HOMERO GARZA

Car: 1947 Chevy Fleetline

Pen

ANNE SHIFLET

Clouded Leopard

Acrylic

At the Races

Acrylic

JANA SHOCKLEY

The Connection

Acrylic

DAVID SMITH

Ultimos Dias

Photograph

Jimmy's Harem

Photograph

LIZ SMITH

Arena Blanca

Photograph

Deadly Shadow

Photograph

CAROLYN STAUT

Joyful Morning at the Seashore

Watercolor/Acrylic

Fragrant Seabreeze

Watercolor/Acrylic

BETTY LYNN STERBA

Political Rally

Oil

Fat of the Land

Oil

GENELL TYLER STONCIELL

Rambling Mind

Acrylic

Culture

Acrylic

KATHRYN SULVARAN

Balcony over the Plaza

Photograph

GRACE BARRAZA—VEGA

La Nina, La Pinta, y La

Santa Maria *Acrylic*

In the Corner of My Heart

Mixed

JUAN C. VELA, JR.

The End is New Beginning

Acrylic

Dream Life of Angels

Acrylic

MARK WERMER

Pearl/Wood Cross

Mixed Media

Shell Flower Cross

Mixed Media

WYNN VONJAGLA

Nicolette

Oil

Becka Becka

Pastel

CHARLES E. WISSINGER

Fish From Hell

Stoneware Ceramics

FULDEN WISSINGER

Evil Eyes/Malde Ojo

Drawing

JOHN ZERR

Amsterdam

Watercolor

Stockholm

Watercolor

CAMERON McPETERS

God Save the Queen 1603
Acrylic

DANIEL MENDIOLA

Tranquillo
Oil/Acrylic
Endurance
Oil/Acrylic

CARLOS TAMEZ-MENDZ

La Luna
Photograph

RICHARD MONTALVO

Supplication
Oil
Follow Me
Oil

JIM MURRAY

Fossil
Aluminum

RONNIE NAQUIN

Calm Harbor
Photograph
Looking for Oneness
Photograph

KRIS NAQUIN

Sat to Chat
Photograph
The Prophecy
Photograph

LISA OLSEN

Scene at the Ranch
Acrylic

MIKE PEYTON

Two—Faced Anasazi
Inked Gourd
Beady—Eyed Anasazi
Inked Gourd

BRIAN MICHAEL PRZYBYLA

Three Mallets
Silver, Steel & Velvet

JOY REYNOLDS

King of the Hill
Needle Point

PHILLIP RANGEL III

One of these things is not like the other
Sculpey Clay
Tropical Bird
Colored Pencil & Pen

NICOLAS RESIO

The Duck Bite
Oil
Joaquin Resio III
Oil

MARY ELLEN RIOUX

Anomalies
Steel & Plaster

DAN ROBERTS

Rose Breasted Beauty in Corpus Christi
Photograph
Crunch! Crunch
Photograph

GILBERT RODRIGUEZ

Bandwidth
Oil
Girl in Chemise after Picasso
Oil

JESUS ANTONIO ROSALES

Lost Innocence
Acrylic
Hole in My Heart
Acrylic

KEVIN SCHUSTER

Book, Look, Look in Books
Corpus Christi Concert Ballet
Photograph
Alexandra—CC Concert Ballet
Photograph

JAMES H SHELTON

The Art Market—Lima Peru
Watercolor w/Digital Graphics
At The Market, Pacalupa Peru
Watercolor w/Digital Graphics

Photography**1st: SARAH S. ALVARADO**

Lifted
Photograph

2nd: DAVID SMITH

Ultimos Diax
Photograph

3rd: KRIS NAQUIN

The Prophecy
Photograph

Honorable Mentions**JIM CALDWELL**

The Encounter
Photograph

KRIS NAQUIN

Sat to Chat
Photograph

Sculpture**1st: BASIL BLAKE**

Prophecy
Clay

2nd: CHARLES WISSINGER

Fish From Hell
Stoneware Ceramics

3rd: BRIAN MICHAEL PRZYBYLA

Three Mallets
Silver, Mild Steel & Velvet

Honorable Mentions**MIKE PEYTON**

Beady—eyed Anasazi
Inked Gourd

BASIL BLAKE

Kilim
Clay

Mixed Media**1st: CARRIE JONES**

Untitled
Black & White Photo

2nd: MARY ELLEN RIOUX

Anomalies
Stainless Steel & Plaster

3rd: JIM FORSYTHE

Building/Portrait
Mixed Media

Honorable Mentions**JIM FORSYTHE**

Cast Call
Mixed Media

CATALOG OF EXHIBITORS

NOORULLAH AKHTAR, MD

Paradise Pond #1
Photograph
Paradise Pond #2
Photograph

SARAH S. ALVARADO

Refusal Posed
Archival Digital Print
Lifted
Archival Digital Print

JUAN BAHAMON

Female Cardinal
Photograph

VASU MISTRY—BERGER

Peach Pearls
Mixed Media

MARK BEVELET

Flat Broke with Dog
Mixed Media
Nearshore
Mixed Media

BASIL BLAKE

Prophecy
Clay
Kilim
Clay

ED BOYD

Look I Wont Call You a
Shrimp if you wont call me
a maid Vinyl Film
Stop and Smell the Roses
Vinyl Film

IVAN BRANDMEYER

North Dakota
Photograph

STEVE BURNETT

Hina's Garden
Mixed Media

JAMES CALDWELL

The Encounter
B&W Film

TREVOR COOK

Escape
Photograph
Guanajuato Noontime
Photograph

MATT CROCKER

One Man Band
Oil
Chris at the Front Porch
Oil

BERNARDO DIAZ

El Penache
Acrylic
Los Peces
Acrylic

NICOLE DODSON

Storytime
Acrylic
Flowers I
Acrylic

R. TODD EHLE

The Fruit
Oil
The Fruit & Window
Oil

CHERYL ELLSWORTH

Spanish Home
Oil
East Texas Barn
Oil

DANIEL FORSYTHE

Orange Home
Watercolor
Boxes Float
Watercolor

JIM FORSYTHE

Cast Call
Mixed Media
Building/Portrait
Mixed Media

SHARON FORSYTHE

Confessions ii
Monotype
Gravida
Acrylic

FERNANDO GARCIA

Retired Jeep
Acrylic
Fishing
Acrylic

HOMERO GARZA

Car: 1947 Chevy Fleetline
Model: Deryanna Cruz Pen
Musician: Christina Aguilera
Pen

JAMES GATEWOOD

Two Moons Over Corpus
Christi Digital Photograph
Morning Reflection
Digital Photograph

ROBERTO GONZALES

"GONZO"
Portrait of Eric Davis
Oil

AMY GREENE

Folly Beach Sunset
B&W Photograph
Morris Island Lighthouse
B&W Photograph

STU HANSON

Ester
Pastel
Blooming Campground
Pastel

ELLSWORTH HANDY

Hour Glass
Oil

MONIKA HECKENBACH

Volcano
Oil
9/11
Oil

JUDITH WOOD—HENDERSON

The Sandia Area Pasture Society
Photograph
New Mexico Morning Mist
Photograph

O.J. HENSLER

Centerpiece
Wood
Tiled Bowl
Wood

GABE HOCHMUTH

Paradigm Shift
Mixed Media

GLORIA HUNTER

Dreaming Dreams
Photograph
Inside Out
Photograph

CARRIE JONES

Untitled
B&W Photograph

JANE SCHREIBER JOHNSON

Bursts of Clarity
Watercolor/Pastel
Celebrate
Watercolor

TROY TMX MADDOX

Junior's First Kill!
Acrylic
Poke Out Your Eyes!
Acrylic

GERALDO "JERRY" MARTINEZ

Fish Mixed Media
Lion Mixed Media