

Uriah J. Oxford

Artist Statement:

I love the moment when inspiration hits in the act of perspiration--that second the painting begins to honor your discipline and true love to wrestle with the materials. That moment is a hunt that I live for in creating. When the piece coughs, hiccups, sweats and offers its hand to say, "Let's go somewhere."

What do I want to say with my art?

Show honor and revel in the God given impulse that burns within all of creation to create. We are created to create--sometimes it means making something from scratch and sometimes it is lifting up something that has never been considered as beautiful, interesting or even alarming.

Bio:

Uriah Oxford is a self taught artist and ordained minister. He has served local parishes in Covington, New Orleans and Bossier City, La. Painting was discovered on "accident". Painting has become a worship activity, therapy session, and reopened the door to the childlike faith and imagination that is begging to come forth from each of us.

Exhibitions:

November 25th, 2017

Group Exhibition with three artists at East Bank District of Bossier City, grand opening weekend.

April 15, 2018

Tom Peyton Memorial Arts Festival, Alexandria, La.

September 15, 2018

Gallery One Elleven, Leesville, La.

Awards:

Merit Award, Tom Peyton Memorial Arts Festival, Alexandria, La.

Merit Award, Gallery One Elleven, Leesville, La.

Collections:

Private collection, Bossier City, La.

Private collection, Shreveport, La.

Private collection, Bristow, Va.