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ARTIST STATEMENT

Painting provides a means to explore an inner reality. Painting captures the Utopian society that I imagine and helps me to convey not only what I see, but also what I feel. I express these experiences through narrative abstracts.

EXHIBITIONS

2008

Thomasville Cultural Center *Winter Exhibit* Thomasville, GA
• *Featured Artist: "A Celebration of African-American Culture"*

2007

Thomasville Cultural Center *Winter Exhibit* Thomasville, GA
• *Solo Art Exhibit: "Girlfriends and More"*

2006

Colquitt County Arts Center *Local Artist Show* Moultrie, GA

2004

Colquitt County Arts Center *Regional Art Show* Moultrie, GA

Thomasville Cultural Center Thomasville, GA
• *Shovar Showcase*
• *Artist's Guild Showcase: Archbold Hospital Exhibit*

14th Annual Pelham Wildlife Festival Art & Photography Show Pelham, GA

JURIED ART COMPETITIONS AND EXHIBITIONS

2008

Thomasville Cultural Center *19th Annual Summer Showcase* Thomasville, GA
Second Place Award for "Stages of Life"

2007

Thomasville Cultural Center *18th Annual Summer Showcase* Thomasville, GA

Southern Artist League Regional Juried Exhibition: Valdosta, GA
The Annette Howell Turner Center for the Arts

2006

Thomasville Cultural Center *17th Annual Summer Showcase* Thomasville, GA

Southern Artist League Regional Juried Exhibition:
The Annette Howell Turner Center for the Arts

Valdosta, GA

2005

Thomasville Cultural Center *16th Annual Summer Showcase* Thomasville, GA

2004

Thomasville Cultural Center *15th Annual Summer Showcase* Thomasville, GA

Fitzgerald-Ben Hill Arts Council *Harmony In Art* Fitzgerald, GA

Southern Artist League Regional Juried Exhibition:
The Annette Howell Turner Center for the Arts

Valdosta, GA

2003

Thomasville Cultural Center Thomasville, GA

- *14th Annual Summer Showcase*
- *Artists Guild Exhibition*

Mary Brogan Museum of Art & Sciences Tallahassee, FL

AWARDS & ARTICLES

2007 *Featured Artist Article, "A Life So Bright"*
Southwest Georgia Living Magazine, May/June 2007 Albany, GA

2006 *People's Choice Award*
Southern Artists League Annual Regional Juried Exhibition:
The Annette Howell Turner Center for the Arts Valdosta, GA

2003 *Honorable Mention*
Thomasville Cultural Center: 14th Annual Summer Showcase Thomasville, GA

ASSOCIATIONS

Member, Thomasville Cultural Center Artists Guild

Member, Southern Artists League

EDUCATION

2002-present Art Education. Individual training/study Moultrie, GA

1980-1984 Doctor of Dental Surgery. Meharry Medical College Nashville, TN

1976-1980 B.S., Biology. Clark College Atlanta, GA