

why ABSTRACT?

I've heard people say... "an artist does abstract painting because they can't draw." That is so far from the truth and actually down right rude!

I paint a mood with color, texture, line and balance. I use color as images. I use color to express the feeling I get from experiences.



"Paradise" 24" x 64"

I took some thoughts from an article written by Lori McNee
<http://www.finearttips.com/2010/04/why-paint-abstract-art>

We have all heard people say (or thought ourselves) things like:

"That looks easy to paint"

"I could do that!"

"Who would anyone pay for drips of paint on a canvas?"

**Pure Abstract Art represents what is being felt on the inside
rather than
what is being seen on the outside.**

Abstract Art is more than a haphazard mess flung onto canvas. The creativity within these works of art is meant to turn heads and illicit new imaginations within the viewer. A strong piece of art is able to grab your attention and pull an emotional response from within you.

The viewer is not distracted by meaningful images, so the mind is stirred into *feeling* the energy and spirit of the painting



"Flight" 47" x 18" each

