STATEMENT;

Art making is an ancient, slow primitive activity that is sometimes capable of producing images as finely detailed as photography. Harnessing imagination, an artist can create the vision of dreams. When released from the task of representation, design itself becomes art.

My art work explores all three visual dimensions, the reality seen by a camera, the landscape of imagination, and the mysterious realm of symbol and pure abstraction. Art is a curious endeavor, it is research, and play, and discoveries are endless.

BIOGRAPHY:

I am a self taught artist who began showing and selling work while still a teenager. I have produced a large variety of work in a wide range of sizes with a multitude of materials for 50 years. Other than four years in Nebraska as a Katrina refugee I have lived in New Orleans since 1981. My work has appeared in numerous fine art gallery exhibits and been featured in a variety of venues both locally and nationally. I create acrylic on canvas paintings which range from photo-realism to pure abstraction; I also do drawings on art papers and mixed media work using an array of materials.

RECENT EXHIBITS;

January 2014 to the Present

Continuing exhibits at both Le Jardin/Adorn Gallery,, as well as outdoor exhibits in Jackson Square.

October 2018

My work is included in Brand Gallery's "Final Show" 646 Tchoupitoulas Street, New Orleans Louisiana, 70130. Sadly the galleries last exhibit before closing at the end of October.

March 2018

I am Featured artist with 17 of my paintings in "Curious Abstraction" along with two other abstract painters at Brand Gallery 646 Tchoupitoulas St. New Orleans LA.

January 2014 to the Present

Continuing exhibits at both Adorn Gallery, and Brand Gallery, as well as outdoor exhibits in Jackson Square.

Summer 2017

Exhibiting work in summer group shows at both Adorn Gallery 610 Royal Street and Brand Gallery 646 Tchoupitoulas Street both in New Orleans La.

March 2017 to the Present

Began showing my artwork in Jackson Square in New Orleans Historical French Quarter.