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AVAILABLE WORKS

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Meet Molly



Molly is an artist based in San Diego, California. Her bold and whimsical paintings explore the beauty and importance of the plants we often overlook within our urban environments. She is currently studying and painting California native plants found in her own neighborhood.

Molly received her BA in Art from Azusa Pacific University and was the recipient of the 2019 Business of Art Scholarship through the Studio Door Gallery in San Diego. She volunteers with gardening and advocacy groups that support San Diego's urban canyons, and is developing a California native plant habitat garden with her neighbors.

Must Statement

When a tragedy struck, I found myself spending a lot of time in airplanes crossing the country to see my family. From 40,000 feet above, anxiety, fear and grief became less consuming. From this perspective, the contrast between the natural and human-made landscapes sparked wonder and curiosity.

With my feet were firmly planted back on the ground, I started paying more attention to everyday beauty. I witnessed the tension existing between native, alien, and invasive plants in urban spaces. From trees that sprout like weeds between buildings, to ancient cactuses on road sides, to chaparral and coastal sage brush in san diego's urban canyons — each plant has an origin story and a reason for existing.

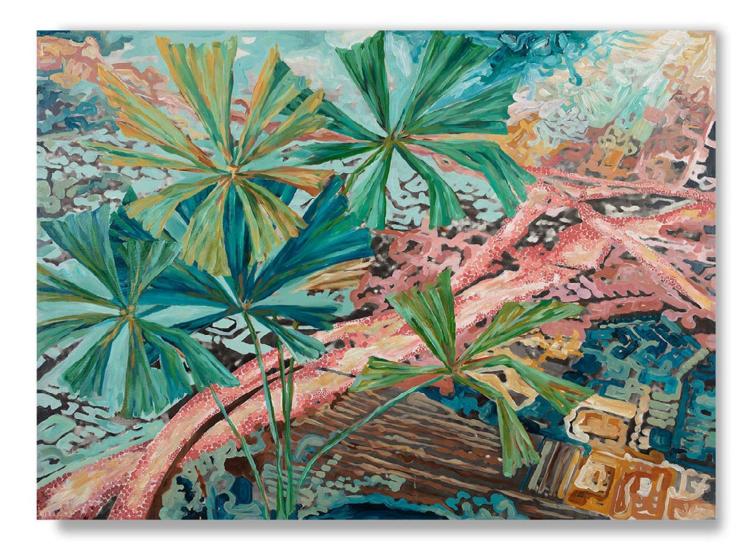
These shifting perspectives, between the grandiose and the mundane, the urban and the organic, find their way into my paintings. Beginning with a photograph snapped from the window seat of the plane, the scene, however dynamic, serves as a backdrop to the foliage found in the area. From there, I create layers using different mediums and bold colors to depict the diverse elements of each landscape – from tiny roads and buildings to large-scale flora – pushing and pulling the focus for the viewer.

Just like the plants, each painting has a story. They are seasons within my own journey of healing, a journey I now get to share with others. I hope to share these perspectives, offering a different way to view where you live, where you travel and how you engage with the natural, urban and cultural structures that surround us.

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"Burst"



ACRYLIC COLLAGE ON WOOD PANEL \$2,500





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"Revive"



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"Religh"



ACRYLIC COLLAGE ON WOOD PANEL

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"Florida Canyon in Bloom"



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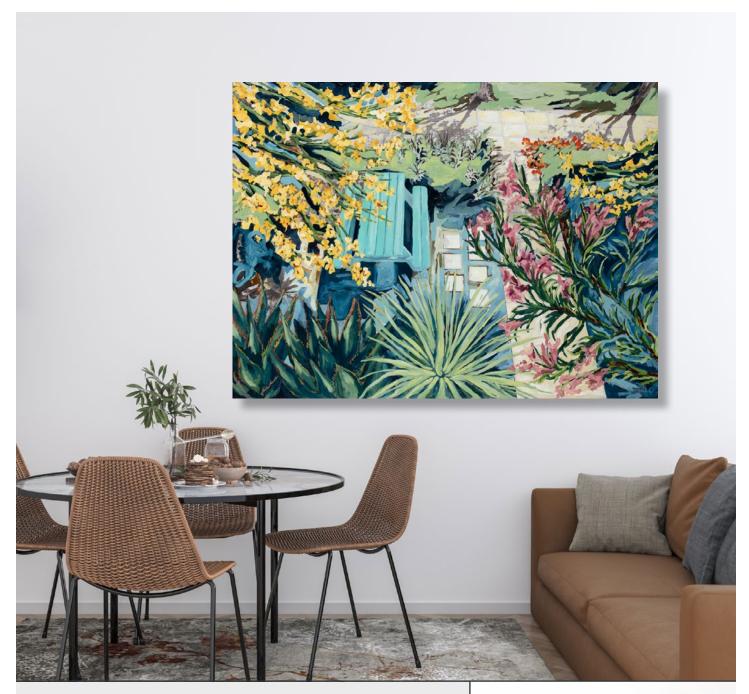


"love Thy Neighbor"



ACRYLIC COLLAGE ON WOOD PANEL

\$2,500





Avoidable LIMITED EDITION PRINTS

\$1,800

ACRYLIC ON CANVAS

48" X 36"



"To love is to pay attention"



"Bladderpod"





\$450

"Chaparosa"



16" X 20" OIL ON CANVAS \$450