

As we all know a picture is worth a thousand words this is why I like to let my pictures speak for themselves. Hopefully I could show both who I am and my ideas and concepts through my paintings. However I would like to explain how these paintings have helped me internally and showed me the emirates' culture. I believe that art is a cure for the human soul and relaxation for the mind. This experience has showed me how inspiration can be gained from your surroundings such as the beautifully large desert. I was inspired to show how the desert has inspired a strong society of men and women; men as strong as falcon that cover and protect their women and similarly their woman have loyalty which I have shown through the binding of the iron chain.

Every one of my paintings has a similar story that mixes the Arabian culture with the environment that we grew in, our home.

Imagine yourselves within these paintings and feel free to interpret them as you will because that is what art truly is, it is the freedom of the mind, heart and soul.



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