

Diana Parrino

Artist Bio

I am a Visual Artist from Kansas City, Mo., with a studio practice in the city's West Bottoms. I began painting in high school, expanding my work by exploring a variety of mixed media. Constantly Inspired by the natural world, some recent assemblage pieces utilize Reclaimed Wood, Recycled Corks, leaves, branches, Pinecones, nuts and seeds.

I create from a need to transform and appreciate. Many discarded or donated materials, and shipping pallets are employed in my practice. I Enjoy the process of erecting my pieces from a foundation; whether it is a table, painting, photograph, assemblage, or the wall on which they hang. Most pieces are created in layers, allowing its own expression to evolve into a final abstract image.

All of my work is intended to enhance the energetic elements of its environment. I am pleased to create Fine Art with a functional footprint. I hope to inspire innovation, and encourage others to embrace their own unique form of creativity.

