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Uniting USArtist Call for Online Art Exhibit



Art and self-expression are especially helpful in these times of COVID-19 isolation. **Uniting US** was founded by a nucleus of veterans and family members who promote art-making as a mode of wellness. Participating in art is well known for beneficial health effects. **Join us by submitting your artwork online at www.unitingUS.org**

We promote visual arts combined with personal narratives to spark discussions about life experiences and military service with community members. Requests for Art shows in traditional and non-traditional venues are being scheduled through 2021. Currently scheduled exhibitions of Uniting US artists in public spaces are postponed. In addition to providing a support network during this unprecedented, world-wide crisis, we are ramping up our online presence and programs.

Uniting US is showcasing the artistic expression of veterans, associated staff supporting active duty and veterans, and family members though online exhibition and sales. As part of national programming, Uniting US artists have lived in every US state and in more than 50 countries worldwide. Artists range in age from 8 to 93 and include military children expression of family to professional fine artists. In addition to unique and inspiring art shows, Uniting US also offers the opportunity to sponsor an artist, or to learn more about military life with "Art Framing the Discussion" art talks. We communicate regularly with all Uniting US artists and facilitate donations of art supplies, classes/training, and artwork exhibit preparations. Uniting US artists receive 100% of any sales and artist sponsorships.

"Our amazing team of regular, and part-time volunteers are committed to helping others build wellness and strength," says Uniting US founder Air Force veteran AnnMarie Halterman. "and we gain perspective from the artistic talents and voices of others."

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