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MY TOP TEN FAVORITE THINGS TO DO

(IN NO PARTICULAR ORDER)

1. TAKE A BATH. SOMETIMES I READ BOOKS AND WATCH MOVIES IN MY BATHROOM TOO!
2. DRESS UP FOR MIDNIGHT MOVIE PREMIERES.
3. MAKE STUFF.
4. GET AND SEND MAIL.
5. SIT IN SILENCE IN AN ADORATION CHAPEL.
6. GO THRIFT SHOPPING.
7. TAKE A ROAD TRIP WITH THE WINDOWS DOWN AND THE MUSIC BLARING.
8. EAT PIE AT AN ALL NIGHT DINER WITH GOOD COMPANY.
9. LOOK AT A GOOD VIEW.
10. DANCE



-LINDSEY M WHITTLE



My Top 10 Computer Tips

1. Backup any data you can't afford to loose.
2. Make sure your network is behind a firewall.
3. Every few months clean out the inside of your desktop with a can of compressed air. Dust build up can cause your computer to over heat.
4. Keep your computer in a cool dry area.
5. If your using wireless make sure you secure your network.
6. Computers like ram so install as much as you can.
7. If your running windows make sure to defrag your hard dirve at least once a month.
8. Do not plug a system fan into the CMOS jumper.
9. When using your computer make sure you sit with proper posture. Google computer ergonomics.
10. Make sure your running some kind of anti-virus and spyware software.



Dustin Schleibaum

Do you have a top 10? Submit in the next issue of Sparklezilla.



Sparklezilla would like to put together it's own calendar of events and holidays! You can help us be submitting holidays you would like to see in the calendar!!

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Act like a robot day!

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Cover everything with glitter day!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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27	28	29	30	31	1	2

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Dress like your favorite superhero day!!!



Japanese Okonomi-yaki

Submitted by Kazue Ohara

Ingredients:

Sliced pork or sea food 100g/3.4oz

Cabbage, leeks 150~200g /5.5~7oz each

Chinese yam (if you have) 50g/1.8oz

2 eggs

1 cup of flour

Worcester sauce, mayonnaise

Dried bonito flakes, dried green laver (if you have)

1. Cut pork into small pieces.

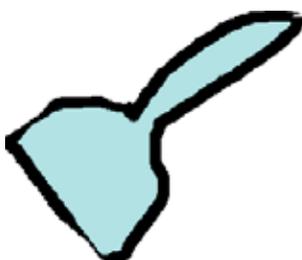
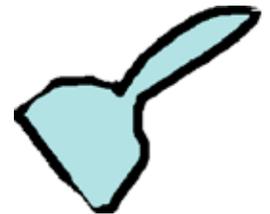
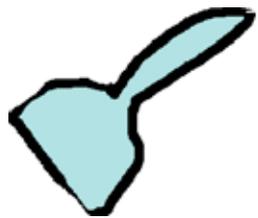
2. Cut cabbage and leeks into small strips.

3. Mix the flour, eggs and grated Chinese yam

4. Put the vegetables and meat into the dough and mix them.

5. Put 1 scoop of No.4 into frying pan and fry both sides.

6. After it's fried, spread Worcester sauce on top and add bonito flakes, dried green laver and mayonnaise.



Something to think about:

If someone told Darth Maul a really funny joke, what would his laugh sound like?



LYRICS for Thought

By Liz Moser

What do you listen for more in music these days? The beat? The band? The lead singer is really, fabulously hot? Well, I am a lyric gal. I am more or less obsessed with the lyrics of songs. In an episode of "Family Guy", Peter Griffin has a genie and one of his wishes was to have theme music wherever he went. If I could have a constant soundtrack of music all around me all the time...#HEAVEN. But, for the time being I make a soundtrack out of the songs I have listened to 8 million times and looked up the lyrics to probably just as much. The following is a listing of some all time favorite lyrics. If you like what you read....check out the song, artist or both!

"I'm feeling rough, I'm feeling raw...I am in the prime of my life"
"Time to Pretend" - MGMT

"She spends her days, in a violent rage. Try as I might, I love her"
"Girlshapedlovedrug" - Gomez

"Complication is my claim to fame"
"Chaos" - Mute Math

"You hold me without touch. You keep me without chains. I never wanted anything so much than to drown in your love and not feel your rain"
"Gravity" - Sara Bareilles

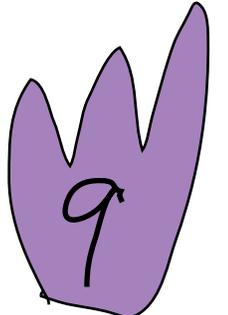
"I am not used to the illusion of the pursuit of ambition while indulging in the vices of a rock musician"
"Wish Me Luck" - Glacier Hiking

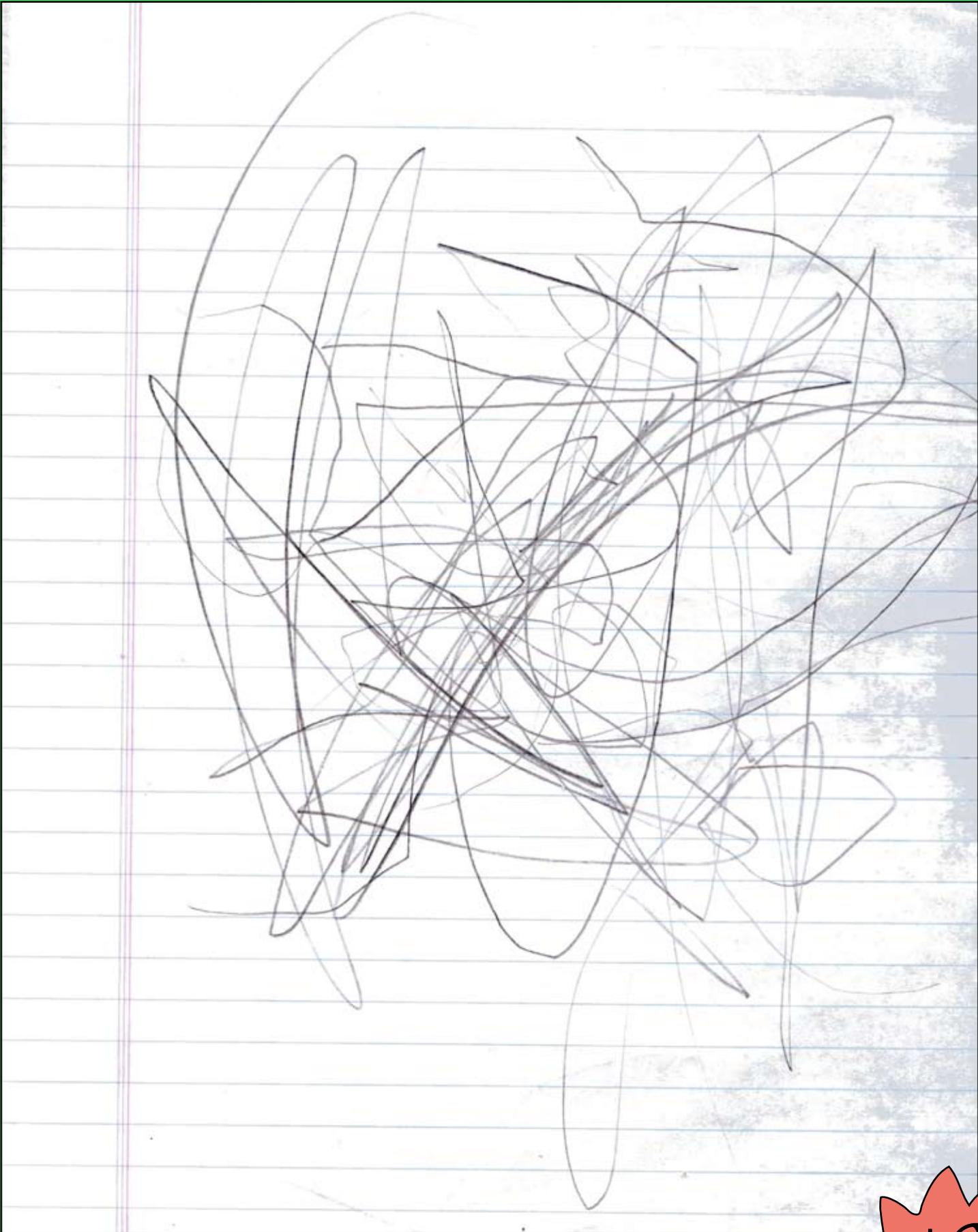
"Here you are and there's where you wanna be. But don't think you don't have company. Think of all of the lonely people in the world...And if it's God who made us why we so damn cruel"
"Start Over" - Abandoned Pools

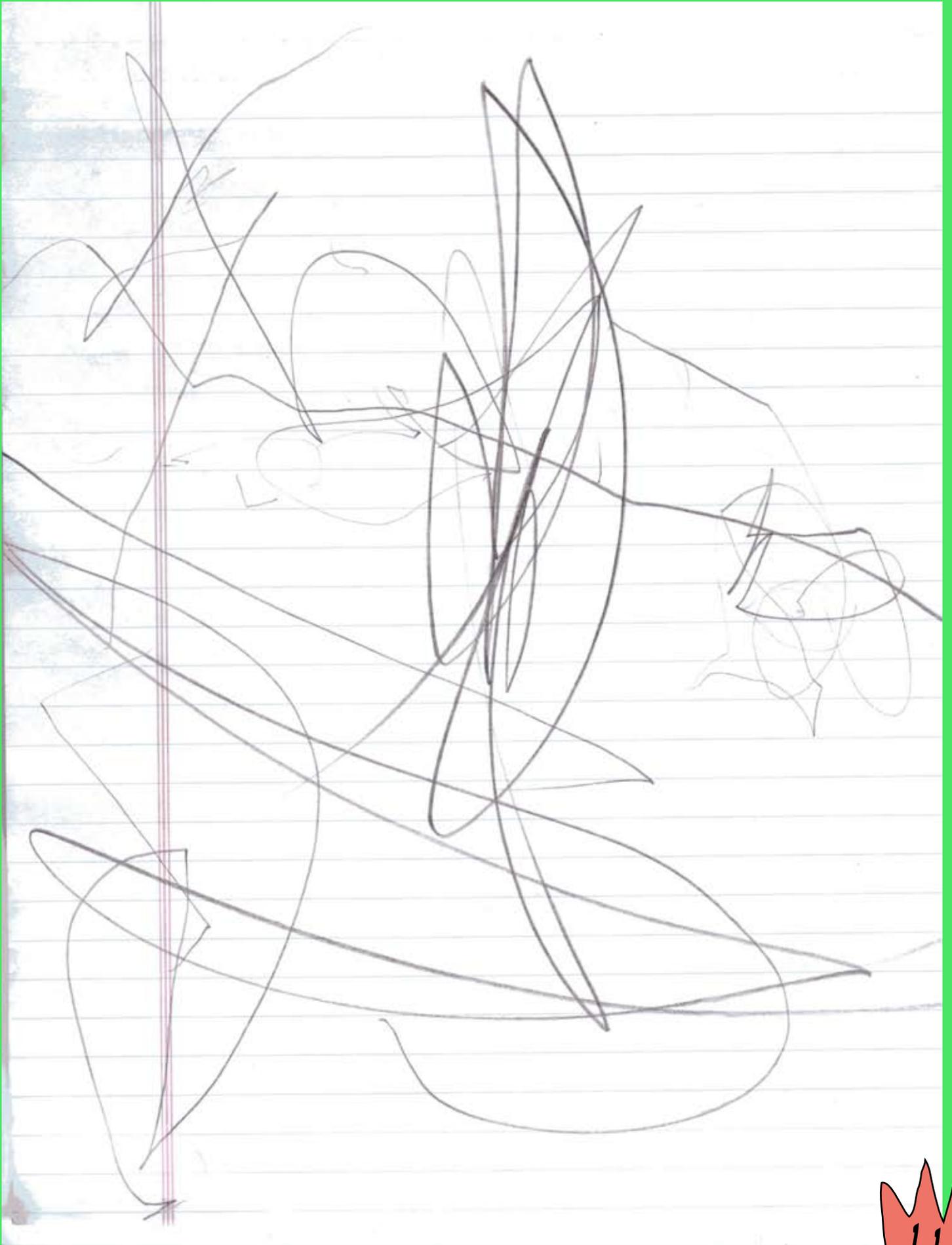
And those are just a few....so the next time you are jamming to your favorite song, listen to the lyrics. You may find you like the song a little bit more or it just may relate to you in a deeper way. Happy listening!

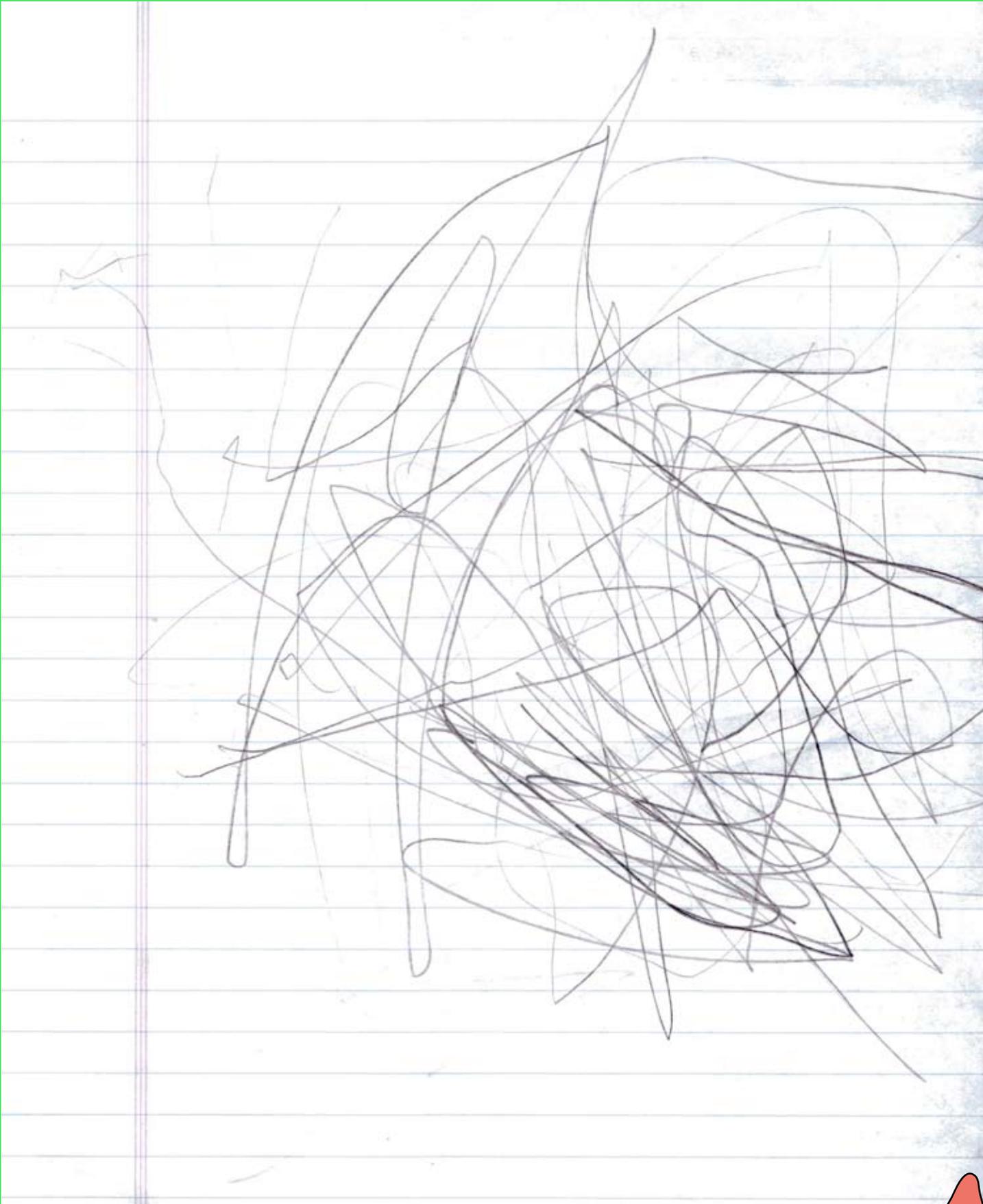


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on paper
by Zaylee
Lenzer

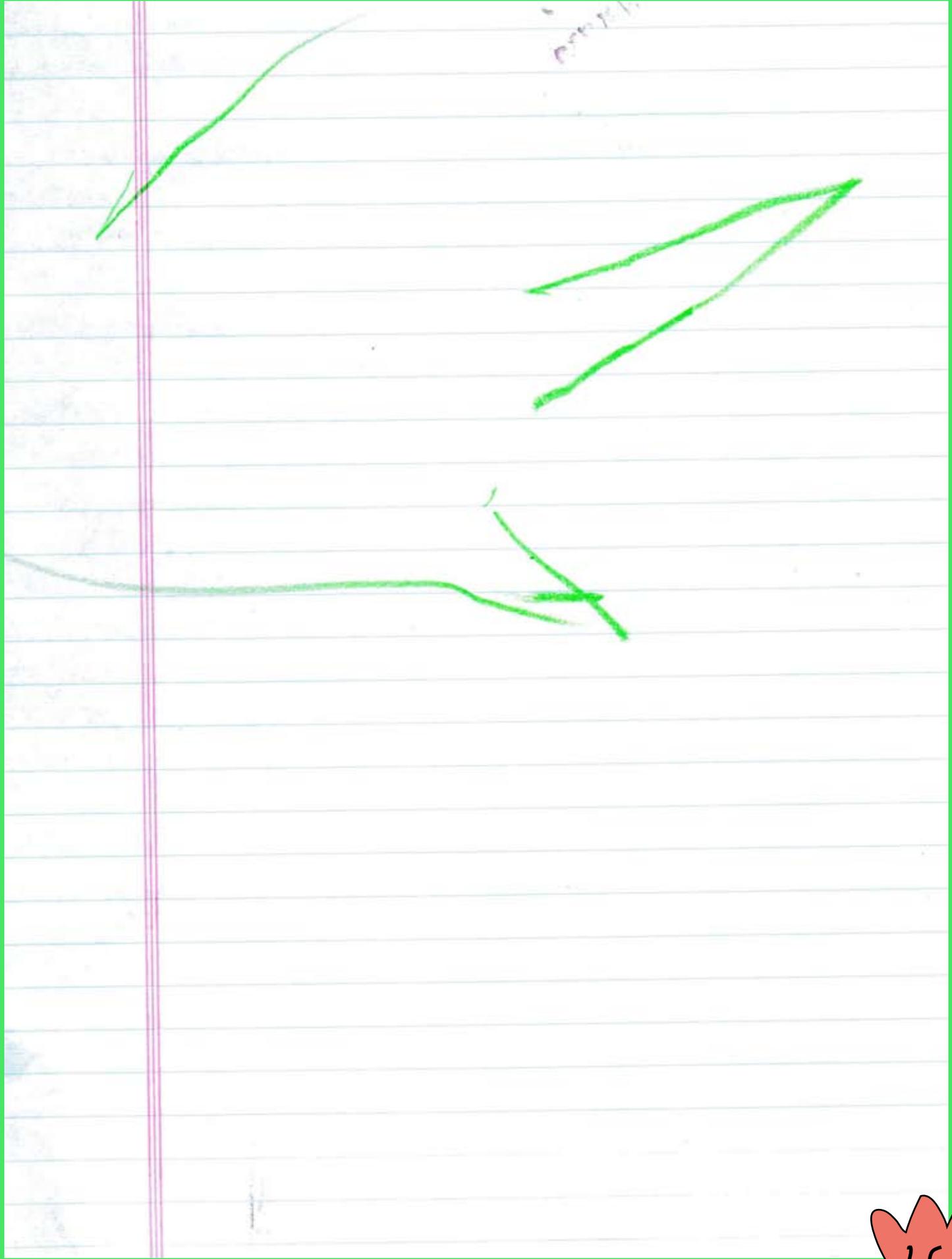












My favorite TV Shows of the 1980's. part 1

By: Rob Langenderfer

After identifying my 15 favorite movies from the 1980s I am going to try to see what I can do to select my favorite TV shows from that time. However, I am setting a slightly different criteria than I did for films in that the films had to be made during the 1980s and I could have watched them anytime. With television I am going to allow myself to choose series that weren't necessarily made during the 1980s but which I watched during those years when my age range spanned from 5 to 15. As with the films, I am not going to rate them.

Although this series was made back in the 1960s, the original Star Trek has got to rate up there as one of my favorite series that I watched in the 1980s. I used to enjoy watching it so much whenever it was on...Sundays at 9 A.M. or 9:30 on Channel 19, weekdays at 5 P.M. on Channel 64, back to back on Channel 19 with ST:TNG (or following War of the Worlds) on Friday nights...watching videos when I was a freshman and sophomore in high school provided by the teacher who would become Headmaster at my high school years after I graduated...they were very happy memories. The new Star Trek film has helped to reinvigorate interest in Star Trek, particularly the classic series. The philosophical arguments between Spock and McCoy about emotion and logic and Kirk's musings on the nature of humanity are the stuff of legend (even as Kirk as a character is sadly overtaken by the over-the-top persona of William Shatner that has served to distort many people's impressions of who Kirk actually was), and I read many volumes analyzing the themes and ideas present in the show.

Star Trek: The Next Generation was at its prime in terms of its personal impact on me during the 1980s even though it ran well into the 1990s. In some of the later seasons, the show at times got a little tired and brought in writers like Brannon Braga who could write different, more horrific types of stories but who were not able to write the characters just being themselves in a normal fashion, which was what made ST: TNG a success in my eyes – the characters interacting with each other amid seeing the wonders of space. Perhaps it was the fact that in those years, there was not a hundred and one SF shows from which to choose that caused me to await each new episode of ST:TNG that aired during the 1980s with such eager anticipation. Data's exploration of humanity, Picard's solidity and history, Riker's sense of fun...they were all fresh and new and exciting. This all climaxed with "The Best of Both Worlds", the season 3 finale and Star Trek's first cliffhanger of all time, with Picard being taken over by the Borg (which actually aired in 1990 along with some of the latter episodes of season 3).



When the show returned, it would never again seem quite so revolutionary. The *Cosby Show* and *Family Ties* cannot be left off this list. They are forever linked together in my memory because they were the two shows that our family (which for most of that time did not include Julie, who had not yet been born!) watched together back to back on Thursday nights and then on Sundays and Thursdays when *Family Ties*'s time slot got moved. Some aspects of the show got tiresome from overuse (the continual "battle of the sexes" between Cliff and Claire Huxtable especially), but it was fun to see the antics of the kids on the *Cosby Show* and both Bill Cosby and Phylicia Rashad had great comic timing and did amazing expressions! *Family Ties* may not have inspired as many laughs as *The Cosby Show*, but it had fine young performers in Michael J. Fox, Justine Bateman, Tina Yothers and Scott Valentine that always made for an entertaining night and at least it avoided the tedious gender politics of the *Cosby Show*.

Voyagers! is another program that resonated with me greatly. It was a show about a time traveler who went through history and corrected it when it went wrong. However, his guide book was eaten by the dog of the other main character, a 12 year old boy who loved history. The 12 year old boy starts traveling with the man, and they go on to meet many different historical figures such as Teddy Roosevelt, Babe Ruth, Cleopatra, Cicero, Spartacus and others. It helped my curiosity about history to grow and was a great program to watch on Sunday mornings before church.

Star Blazers (known in Japan as *Space Cruiser Yamato*) was one of the "founding father shows" of Japanese anime and one of my favorite cartoons of all time. The initial continuing story told about how Earth was sending out the *Argo*, a refurbished World War II battleship out into space to obtain the Cosmo DNA, a device that would free Earth from radiation placed on it by the planet Gamelon and its leader Desslock. The suspense that the series engendered was magnified by the fact that Earth had only one year in which life would still be sustainable and each episode would end with the narrator doing a countdown that there were only ___ days left. We got to know and love the characters on the ship, like Captain Avatar, Derreck Wildstar, Mark Venture, Sandor and Nova. The next story series in which the crew of the *Argo* face off against Prince Zodar and the Comet Empire along with Desslock is also wonderful. I could not get into the 3rd series that did not fit well with the continuity that had been established and also had different actors and actresses providing the voices for the characters. Many years later I was able to connect with Amy Howard (who was the voice of Nova) online and asked her some questions about acting and her work on the show and received some nice responses.

Voltron is another animated series that rates as one of my favorites. It also originally ran in Japan. There was a *Voltron* series that focused on the explorers who piloted five lions that joined together to form a robot called Voltron that struggled to foil the plans of the evil rulers of the planet Doom. Its episodes were self-contained, but there were also some multi-part stories that were among the best of the show. Its main heroic characters of Princess Allura, Keith, Hunk, Lance, Pidge, and Sven along with good supporting characters like Princess Romelle and Koran and the villains of Prince Lotor, King Zarcon, Haggar, and Queen Merla all caught the viewer's attention. The other *Voltron* series dealt with many mini-ships (causing it to be coined Vehicle Voltron) that joined together to form a robot, and the mini-ships were piloted by young pilots who served on a large ship called the Explorer that had been sent out to try to find new planets on which people who lived on overcrowded planets could relocate.



The Explorer was captained by Hawkins, and it was largely from his perspective that many of the stories were told. The Explorer was opposed by the Drule Empire, but for the most part, unlike Lotor, Zarcon, and Haggar (who were two-dimensional and power-hungry), the commanders of the Drule Empire were three-dimensional, and there were some baddies to be sure, but there were also Drule commanders, such as their one-time Chief Commander Hazar (who had a conversion experience, like Queen Merla in the other series) who spent much of the series trying to find a way to help the Drules make peace with Galaxy Garrison and its ship the Explorer. Hazar's interaction with other Drule commanders (both supporters and opponents of his position) was a major feature of the series. It had a complexity of storyline almost unheard of in a children's animated series. It is truly sad that Vehicle Voltron has not had the resurgence in popularity in recent years as did the lion Voltron. In the late 1990s a new series of CGI lion Voltron came out, with many of the original actors including Neil Ross (Keith), B. J. Ward (Allura) and Michael Bell (Lance) returning to their vocal roles from 1984-1986.

I was really excited when some of the original Voltron episodes were re-syndicated under the title The New Adventures of Voltron. It was like having a nostalgic trip back to my childhood. I found people online who liked Voltron, and I read Voltron fan fiction online and used to correspond with the writers. I participated in the official online chat room of the show and asked questions of one of the show's writers when he showed up for a live chat session and got some of my questions answered. I even coined the name of a Voltron fan fiction email mailing list focusing on the relationship between Sven and Romelle – either Pollux Palace or Pollux passion – it's been so long ago now, I don't remember which and the group did not get a great deal of messages. I was very excited when the show came back, but the first season of the new CGI show did not live up to the quality of story in the original (in spite of the writer of many of the best original episodes, Marc Handler, being back as story editor). When the local station took it off the air after season one, I did not bother to try to get tapes from the 2nd season. However, a Voltron movie is now in the works, so perhaps that will live up to the legend of Voltron from 1980s.

(The concluding part of this series will be in a future issue of this newsletter.)

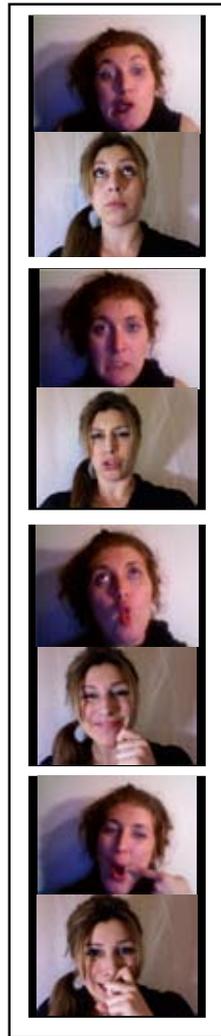
FACING OFF

BY MANDY WILSON AND
LINDSEY WHITTLE

MY FRIEND MANDY AND I LOVE MAKING FACES AND WE DIDN'T WANT 3,000 MILES TO STOP US FROM MAKING FACES AT EACH OTHER. SO I TOOK PICTURES OF MYSELF MAKING FACES AND EMAILED THEM TO CALIFORNIA. THEN MANDY REACTED TO MY FACES AND SENT HER FACE PICTURES TO ME.

THIS IS HOW OUR EXPERIEMENT TURNED OUT:





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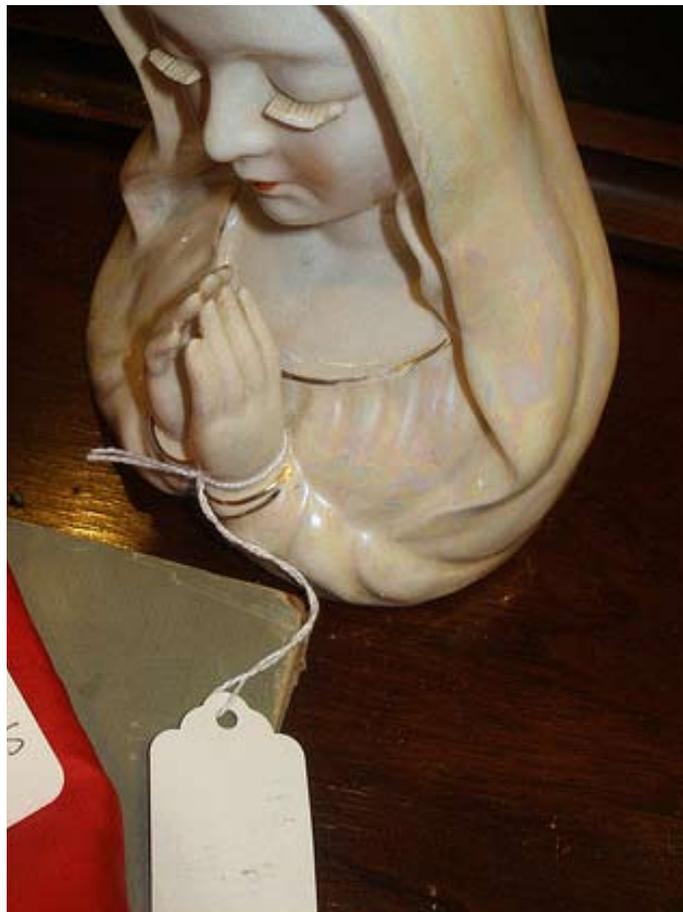
How thrift store shopping will save you and me and everything we love.

I love the thrift store. In the recent past I have been guilty of spending a total of \$100.00 in one visit to Valley Thrift (I think I had a shopping cart totally full on this day). Lately to curb my spending habits at the thrift store I have begun to bring my camera along to encourage myself to photograph little groupings of objects I would otherwise buy. I have been using this method for a little while now and have greatly enjoyed the outcome. Have you been to the thrift store lately?





August, 2, 2009



False Eyelashes





He sells seashells



Mounted granny





Scents



Squirrel in the valley





Fantastic Four



Muffet

Fortunes That Don't Make The Cut

By Dustin Schleibaum

Tomorrow is a good day to buy a cement-truck .

No matter how hard you try your computer will not communicate with your microwave, instead you might want to try a pair of scissors.

Evil poisonous magic pies, while delicious may halt the fabric of time, get over it.

You might want to avoid selling lobster to the public on street corners.

Everything will become clear when frilly magniloquent cassowary with an agnostic light blue drive belt circa 27 can razzle-dazzle 1,000 tears on Kunlun.
Happy Birthday.

Avoid calling technical support with common eye dee ten tee user error.

If you turn you phone clockwise things will start falling into place.

Dr. Pepper man needs a show. Lucky numbers 3,42, right arrow, leafblower.

I ain't got money for K-mart.





Question: If Rogue from X-men, Kamen Rider, Optimus Prime, Harry Potter and Batman were really sitting around talkig in someones kitchen. What would they talk about?

Submit you answer for the next issue of Sparklezilla!



Open to Happiness or My Perfect Night

by Lindsey Whittle

I love popcorn. I prefer salted popcorn, but I know how to make popcorn a few different ways. One of those ways is kettle corn. Kettle corn involves melted sugar and salt. When you think about it, it sounds bad, but the result is always delicious. I don't make it as much as salted popcorn because it is a bear to clean up. But my 3-year-old sister Shaylah has quite a sweet tooth, and often requests that I make it. Except she calls it sugar corn and not kettle corn, she says it tastes like candy. That's how this particular awesome night started out, my two sisters and I eating handfuls of extra sugary "sugar corn" on the kitchen floor.

Zaylee my almost two year old sister prefers salted popcorn like me, but she wants to be just like her older sister and so she compromises and just decides to like the sugar corn because Shaylah does. As the three of us were sitting there eating popcorn Shaylah who is apparently much wiser than her years, turns to me and says "Lindsey, are you happy?" I was totally taken aback by this question, and I didn't quite know how to answer. I love hanging out with my sisters, especially since I just returned from a living in Japan for a year where I missed these girls every single day. But when you are a 2nd time college student who doesn't sleep, can't afford enough gas to cross the river, and really wishes she had time to work on the art she wants to make, it's easy to resent something that is asking more of your already depleted time. So I looked at Shaylah and I said, "Yea most of the time, are you happy?" She looked down at the popcorn for a long time and I just figured she had ignored my question. But then she started to slowly nod her head quietly mumbled "yes." What insight for a 3-year-old.

I was trying to keep my sisters occupied for a few more hours before bedtime, because it has been my experience through other adventures in babysitting, and those few years I spent as a pre-school teacher, that children who have nothing to do have a higher chance of getting themselves into trouble. So I offered the one thing I knew would be a big hit for everyone, bath time. I drew the bath water, but instead of putting in bubble bath, I used Joy dishsoap. Most people gasp when I say things like that, but the fact is Joy makes much better bubbles than bubble bath. All three of us jumped in the tub and I pressed the button to turn on the jets in the bathtub. I knew EXACTLY what would happen, the bubbles grew and grew. Now we were not three sisters in a bathtub, we were three explorers in a forest of bubbles. We jumped



in it, blew at them. We made beards on our faces and covered each other with the white fluff. We jumped, and splashed, danced and sang. Earlier in the night I had discovered that if I randomly sang the song from the Sound of Music that starts out with "There once was a goat a billy goat ." that Zaylee would laugh uncontrollably. This obviously caught on like an infection and Shay and I would laugh the same as a reaction to her. So if the bubbles weren't funny enough, my random singing and Zaylee laughing filled the evening with giggles. I couldn't get those girls out of the tub for over an hour, it was a total hit, and for me, I totally lost track of all the stresses that had been swimming through my mind. I was in the moment, with quite possibly the two greatest people I have ever known.

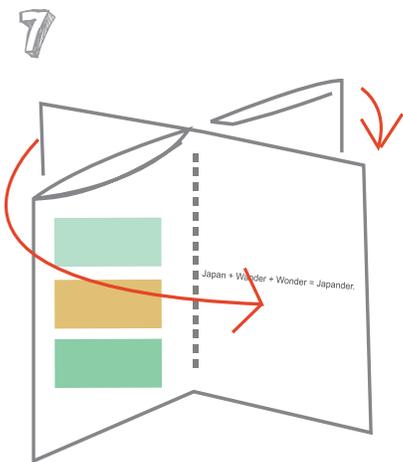
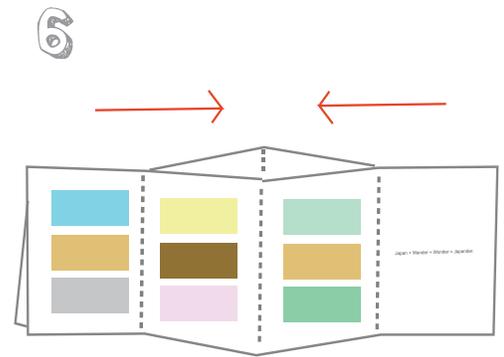
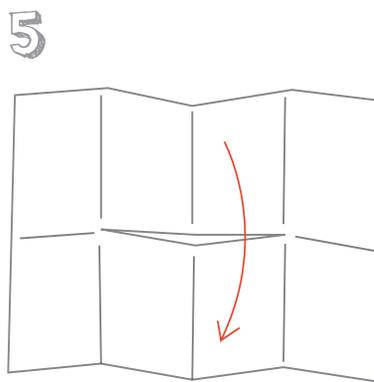
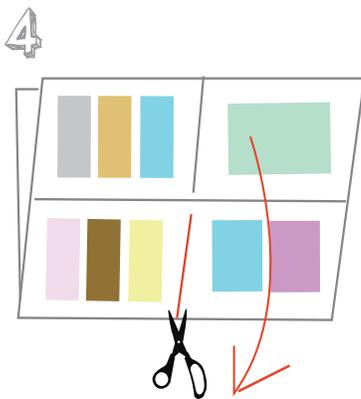
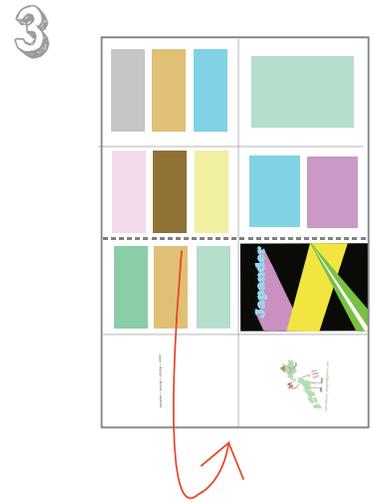
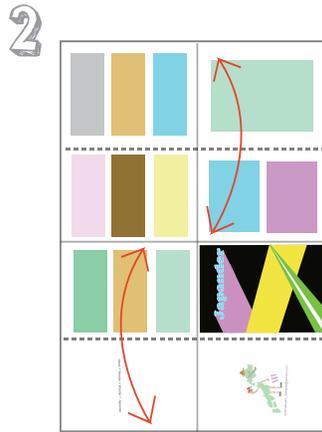
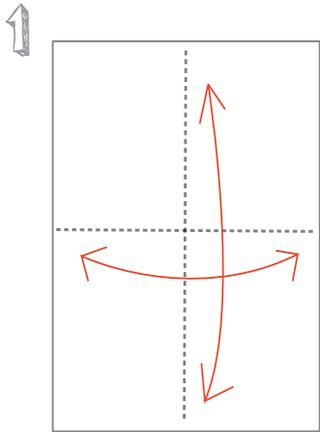
Now the biggest dilemma was ahead of me. How can I get both girls to sleep without them getting upset because our parents weren't there for their normal routine? After taking on the challenge of chasing naked babies through the house to get their pajamas on, I found every pillow and blanket in the house and put them downstairs on the soft carpeting in between our couch and large TV. We spent some time jumping off the couch on to the pile of soft things. But we ultimately found ourselves curled up together swallowed by pillows and blankets watching a live action dog movie on the TV. My sister Shaylah is the only 3-year-old I know that hates cartoons! As the movie went on we each dosed off one by one. Zaylee had put her head on my right side and she was out in no time. My dog Sydney, a big golden labrador, was loudly snoring behind my head. Shaylah was the last one to fall a sleep, her head nestled into the armpit of my left arm. As I lay there cuddled and warm all my sleepless nights started to catch up with my heavy eyelids and I thought about Shaylah's question from before. I had been an only child for 21 years before my parents got legal custody of these beautiful girls. I realized that I think this night was the night I always dreamed having sisters would be like and just before I dosed off I whispered to myself, "I am happy." It was a total unexpected perfect night.



Have you had a perfect night lately? Share it in the winter issue of Sparklezilla!

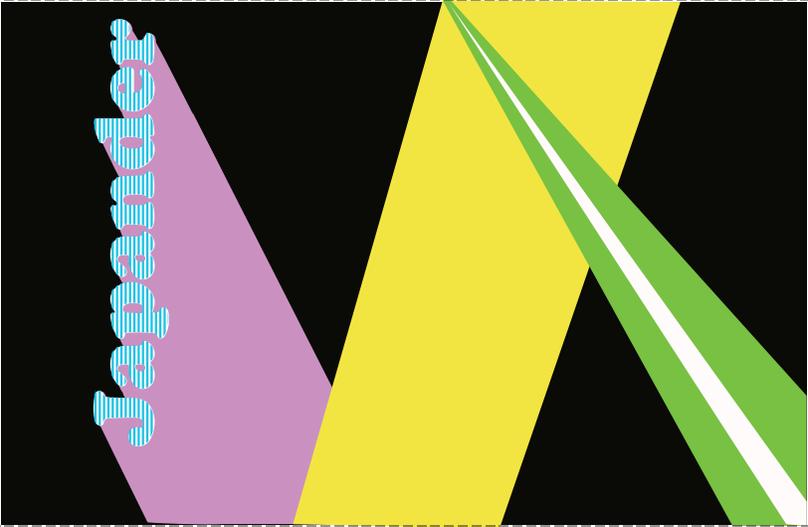
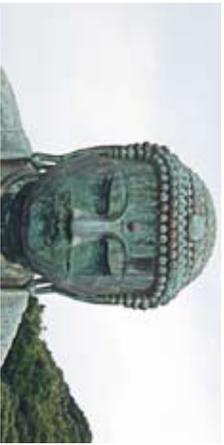
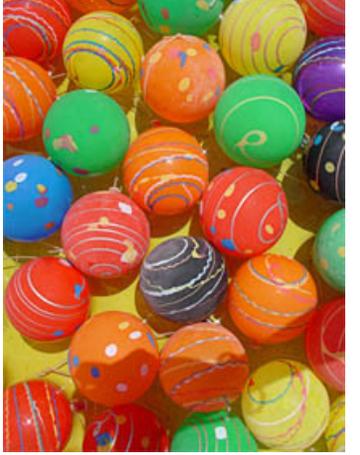


How to make a mini Japander

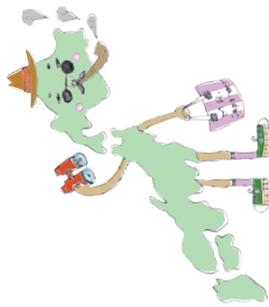


Japander is about things from I wander and wonder.
You can keep it as a little inspiration book or give it someone!

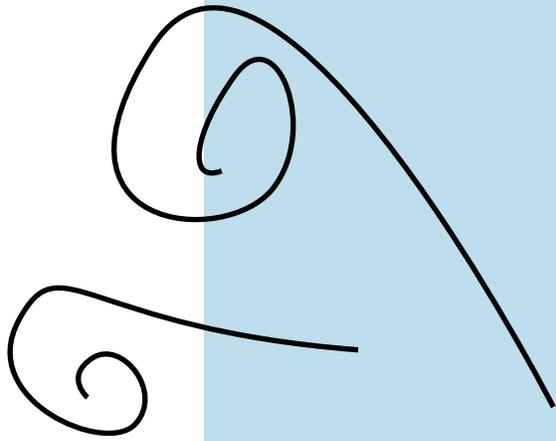
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For the Love of Music: An Interview with Mr. Delbert Williams

By Lindsey Whittle



I met Delbert Williams on a very pleasant fall Sunday afternoon. He was playing the guitar and harmonica on the bustling street of an indoor/outdoor food market in Cincinnati, OH, called Findlay Market. One of the first things he said to me was that he likes to look like a blues man. He was wearing a suit and flags decorated his set up. We talked for a little bit and I got a chance to ask him a few questions about street performing.

Mr. Williams sang more than he talked. I am really not sure if he distinguished between talking and singing. You can tell he LOVES music and he loves to make people smile with his music. He made sure to engage with all the people that walked by him. He had a hat for people to drop in money should they want to, and he also had a hat full of balloons and offered them to every child that went by. There were a few times that he would interrupt himself mid sentence during our conversation to say "Give that baby a balloon mamma!" When he credited his mother for his love of music and talked about her gospel singing, he stopped mid sentence to sing a song he said was called "I Won't Complain," that he said his Mamma used to sing to him.



While I was talking to him many people would come up to put a bill in his hat and make a personal request. He played whatever song they asked with a smile. At one point a man walked up and explained that he had seen Delbert Williams play in California and wanted to hear a particular song from that time. As Mr. Williams strummed that song on the guitar, the new eager gentleman sang the words dancing and grinning at the same time.

From the outside, for most, street performing seems like a difficult job. But I didn't hear Mr. Williams complain about anything. My observation was that this man loved music and people, so for him playing on the street was the perfect job. As I was leaving I threw some bills in the black hat on the ground in front of Mr. Williams and thanked him for taking a break to talk to me. He raised his hand to shake mine but at the last second he changed his mind and put out his fist to bump with mine. I bumped his fist and we each parted, only this time, it was me that was smiling.

Here are some of the things that Mr. Williams had to say:

LW: How long have you been a street performer and how did you get started?

DW: I started in a lot of R & B groups. I played with local groups like The Deal, and Mamma's Pride etc. I also went to California and played with a lot of groups out west. As I got older I decided I had to sit down and find a place for myself in music.

My dad used to say to me "Son you have to carry your own weight and do it for yourself." So I kept looking at this pretty guitar for two years and I thought, "What good are instruments if you don't play them?" So I took that guitar down to Fountain Square in Cincinnati and played that guitar, and the response from people in the square was so positive. I got all smiles and no frowns. I learned I could work on my own with out a group, and I could play any song that I wanted instead of being forced to play what the group wanted.

LW: What do you like about Street performing?

DB: I have fun playing pop songs from the 60's. It's entertaining to see a black man play the Beatles. I love to see people's reactions! Everybody has a song in their heart that gives them a good feeling and I like to be part of that. Music is international. The spirit of song is in everyone. My mother and her gospel music is in me. I also like getting paid (pointing to his hat filled with bills and coins). I'd be playing music anyway. But doing this is like going to the "Jeanie," I'm going to go and fill my truck with gas after this!

LW: Do you have any advice for anyone thinking about becoming a street performer?

DB: You gotta have a attitude like you don't wear your emotions on your shoulders because people will say what's on their minds. I had one guy tell me he thought I had a ratty guitar. I could have gotten upset, but I looked at my guitar and thought, "yea this is getting a little ratty." Take people's positive comments and don't get stuck on the negative comments. Also learn a variety of music. People like to hear many different things and you don't want to be stuck in one area. But don't forget to play what's in your heart.



If you are interested in hearing Mr. Williams play, he is not just a street performer. He plays at the Blue Wisp in Cincinnati, every Friday at Midnight. Check him out!



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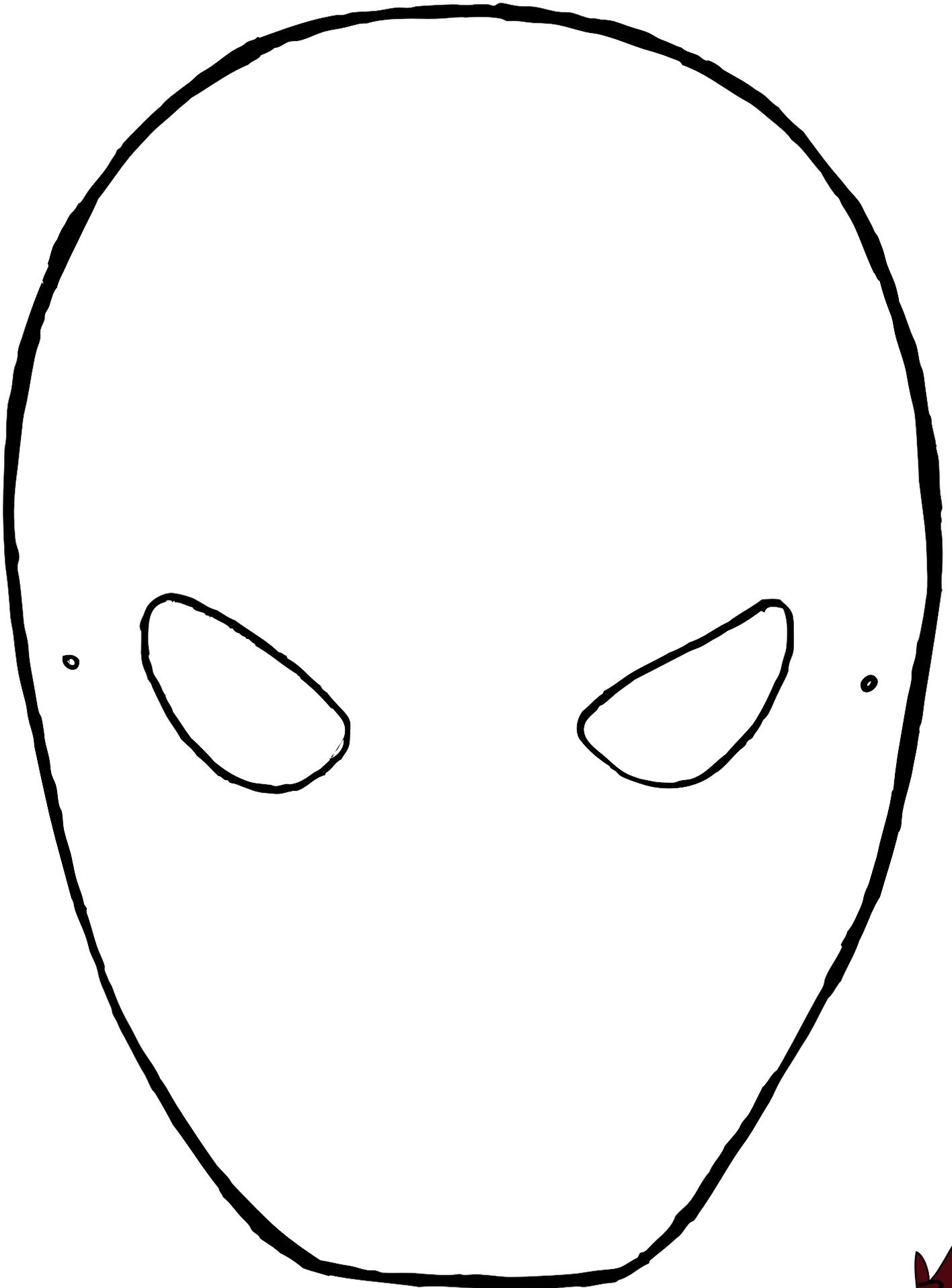


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Don't forget to have a really safe and fun Halloween!





**Maybe I should
have been a
photographer . . .**

By Christian Grau



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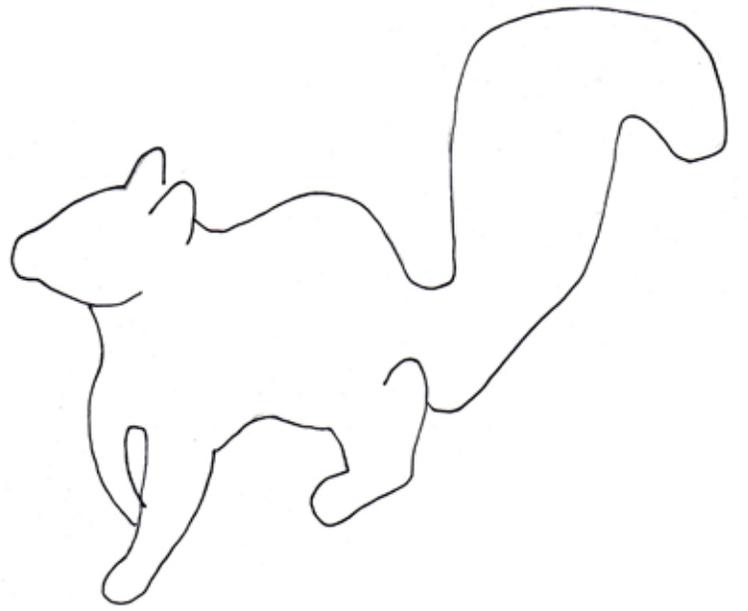
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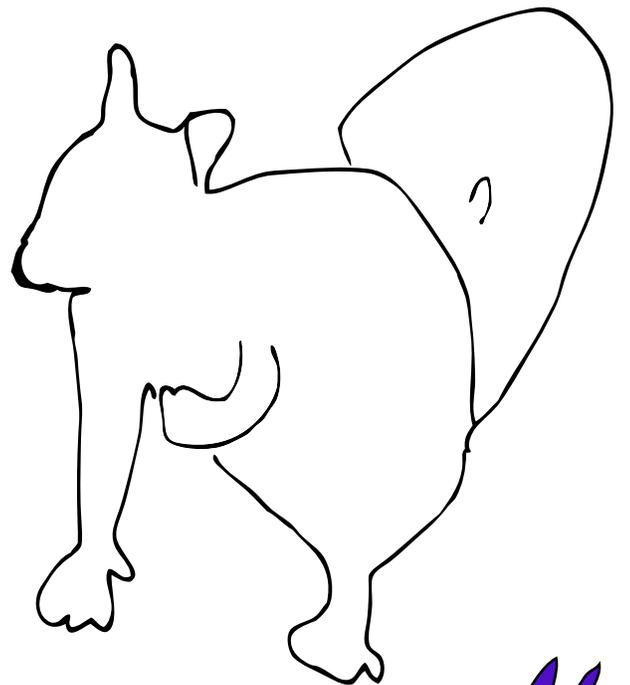
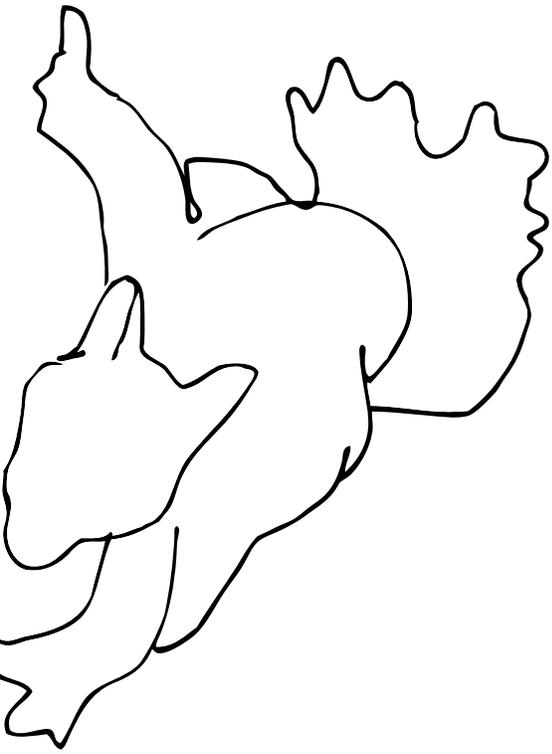
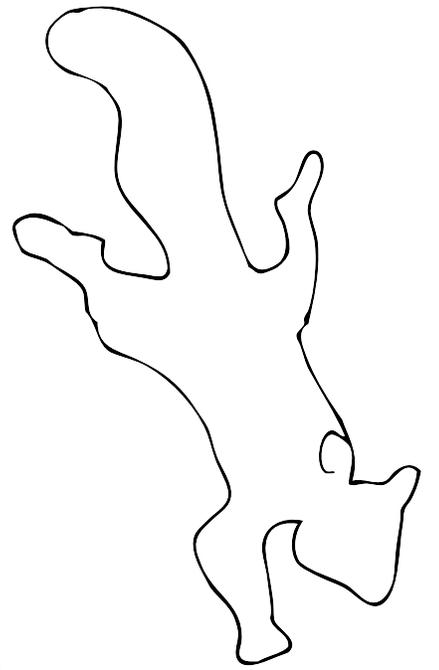
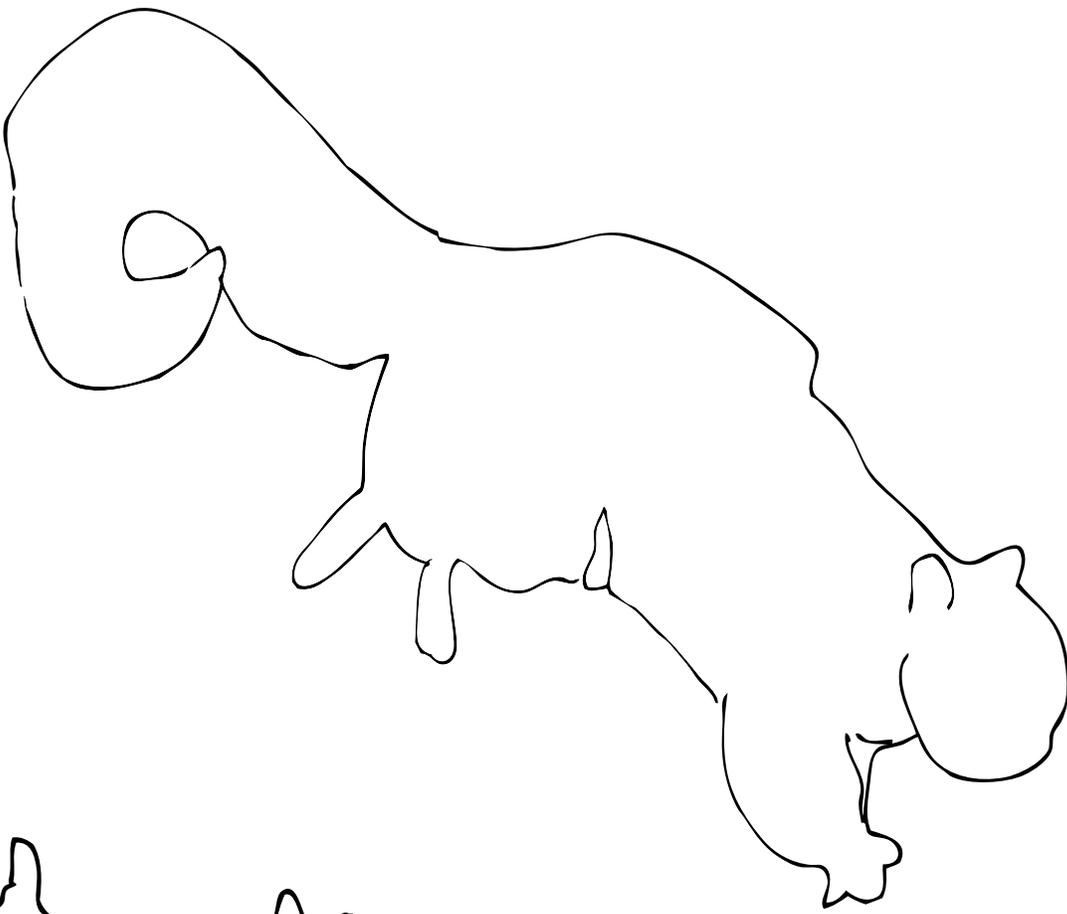
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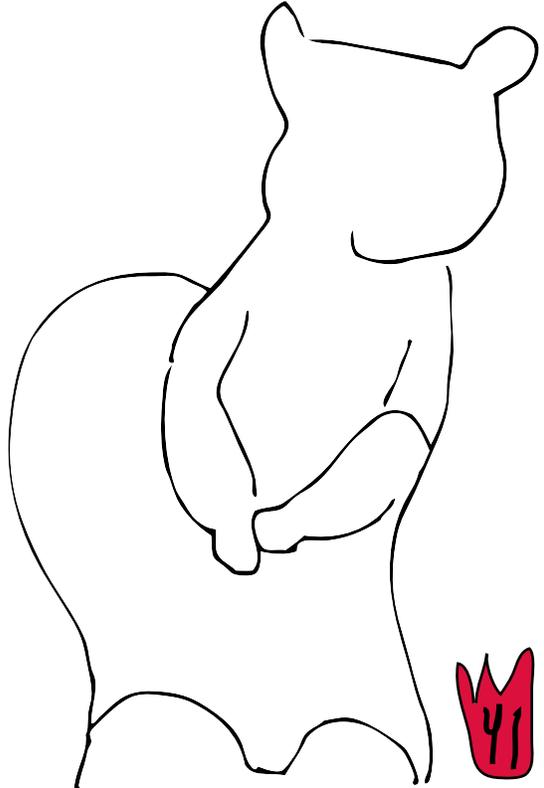
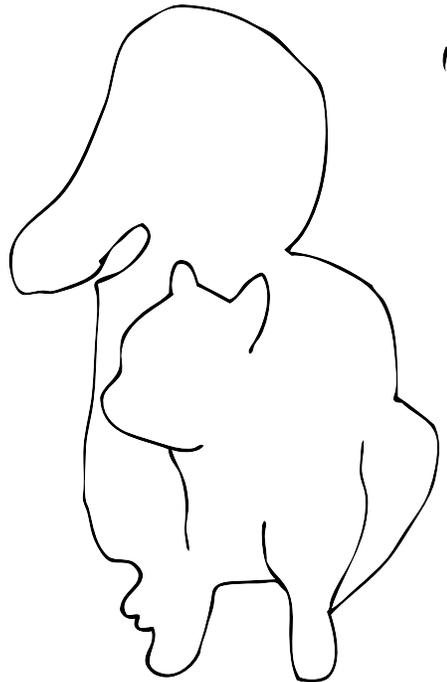
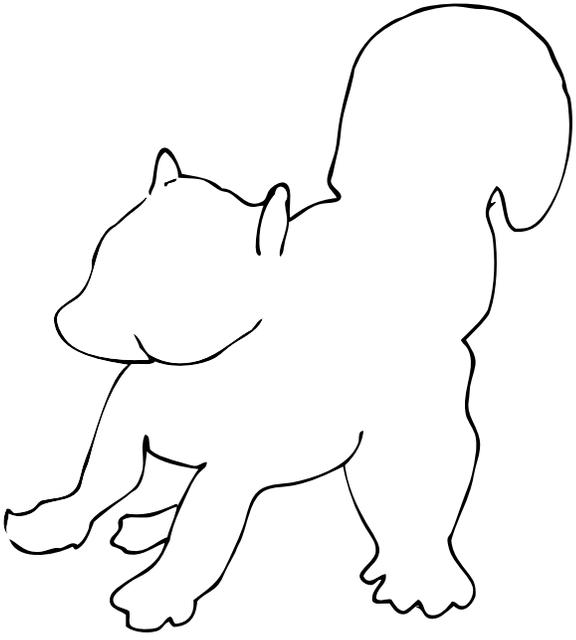
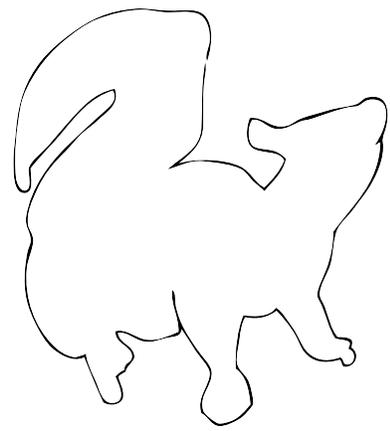
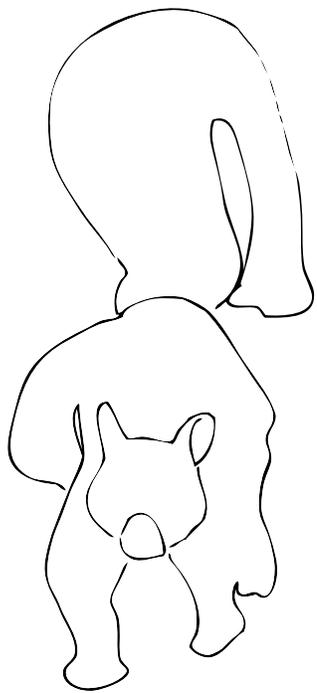
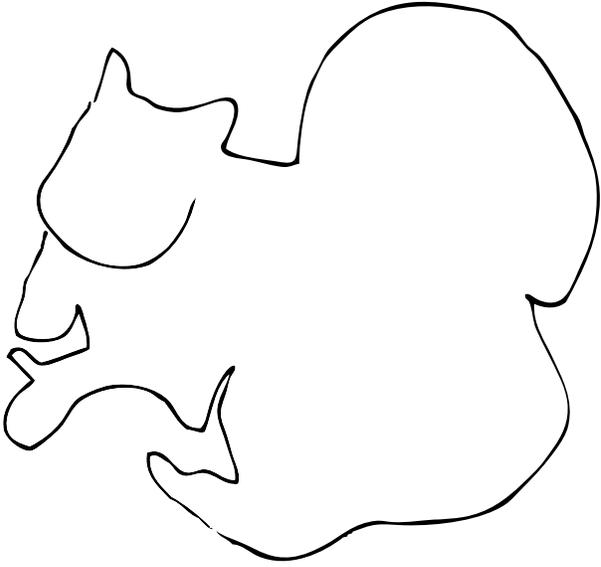
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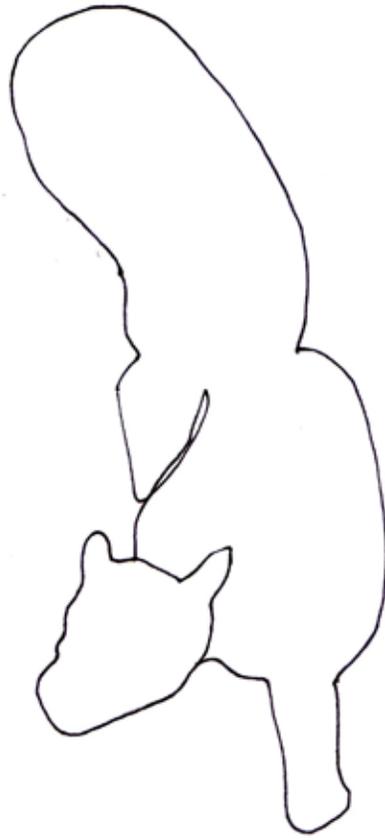
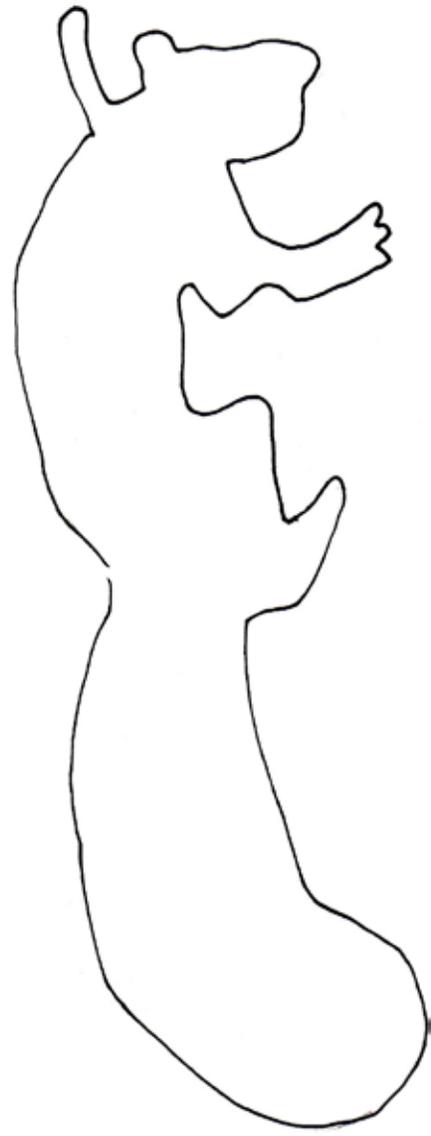
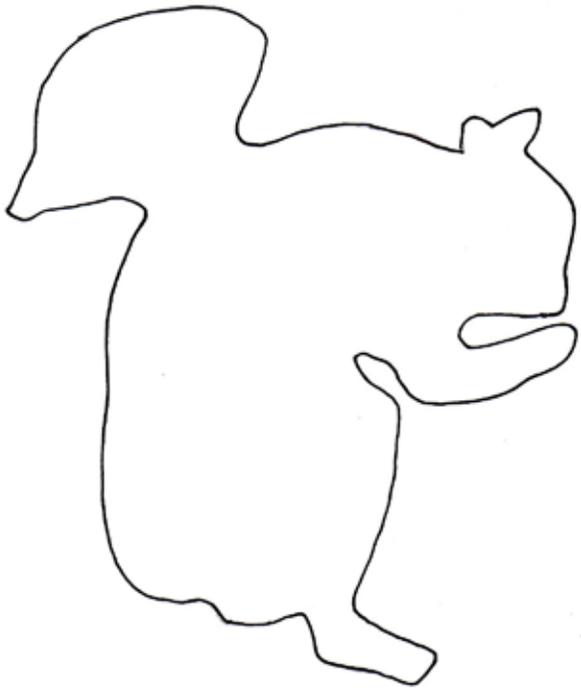


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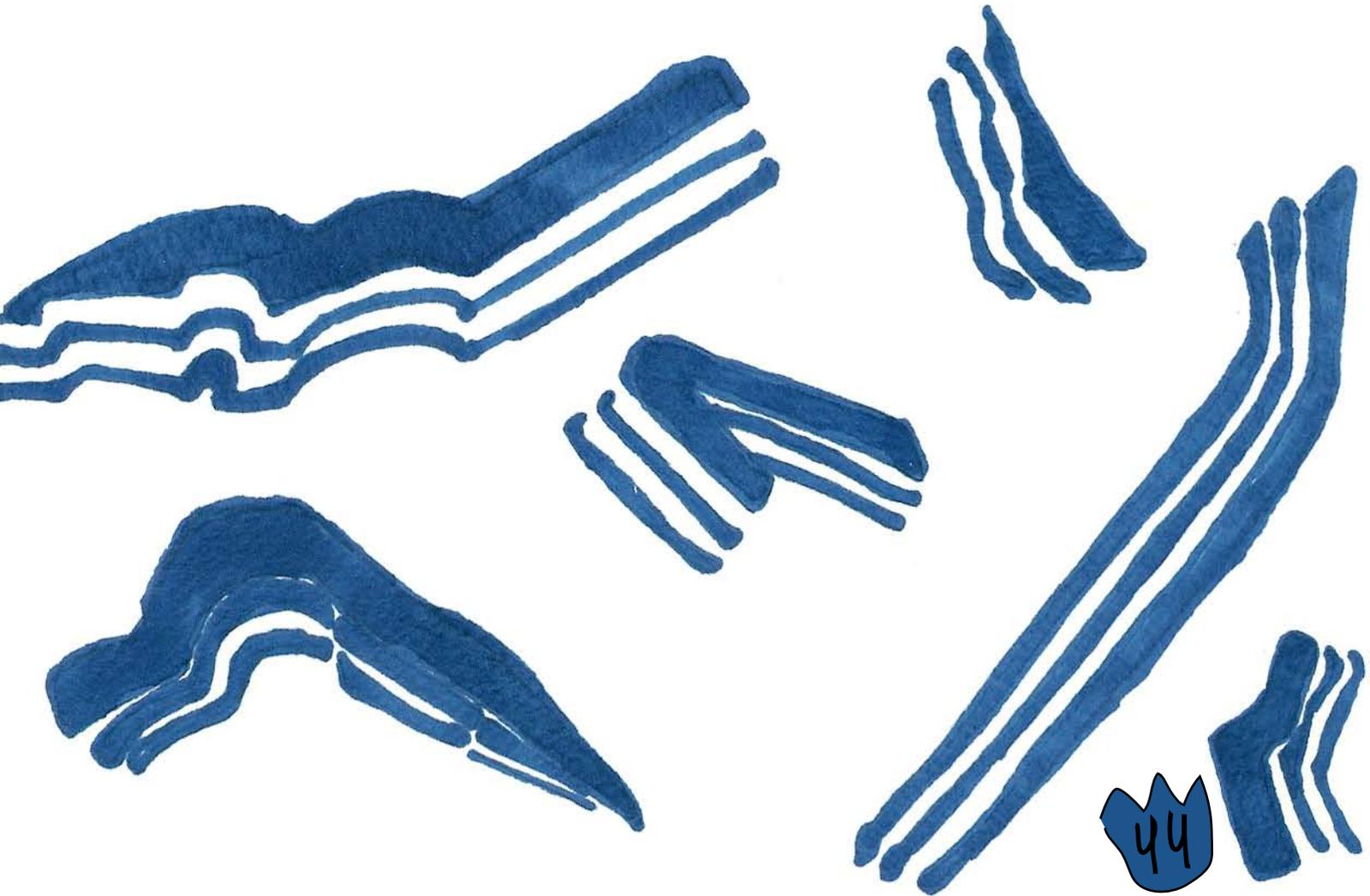
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Inspiration Celebration

by Lindsey Whittle

Inspiration Day Part 1:

Some of you may or may not know that Sept 10th marked the 63rd anniversary of Mother Teresa receiving her “call within a call” which guided her to go out and serve the poor. The Missionaries of Charity (MC) congregation, which she started, now refers to that day as Inspiration day upon Mother Teresa’s request. Something that amazes me about Mother Teresa and her congregation is that no matter who you are, what you believe, or where you are from, it is been my experience so far that most people know those blue stripes and what they stand for. You don’t have to be Catholic to love and serve those around you with a smile. So to celebrate Inspiration day I made these blue stripe drawings (see below). You can print them, cut them out and place them in your house or around town, or give them to a friend etc. Let them be a reminder to you that you don’t need to go to a 3rd world country to serve those around you. Start with you own family and friends. A simple smile can go a long away.



Inspiration Day Part 2:

To also celebrate Inspiration Day I thought I could share a letter I received from Mother Teresa when I was 12. I have always enjoyed writing letters to my heroes. But unfortunately, heroes don't always write you back. In this case I wrote Mother Teresa a letter and imagine my surprise when she wrote me back!!

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Dear Lindsey Whittle

Thank you for your kind letter. My prayer for you is that by God's grace you may make your life something beautiful for God. Jesus has said, "Love one another as I have loved you" Let us be carriers of His love to one another, especially to those who are lonely, unwanted, unloved, first to your own family members. Even a simple smile can mean so much to those who have no one to call their own. Be the Sunshine of God's love to everyone. Let us pray.

GOD BLESS YOU.

M. Teresa me

Is there a letter that you have always wanted to write to one of your heroes? Use a pen name and try it out before you send it by submitting it to the next issue of Sparklezilla!





Shrimp Fry



Submitted by Kazue Ohara

Ingredients:

Shrimp

Salt and pepper

Egg

Flour and breadcrumbs

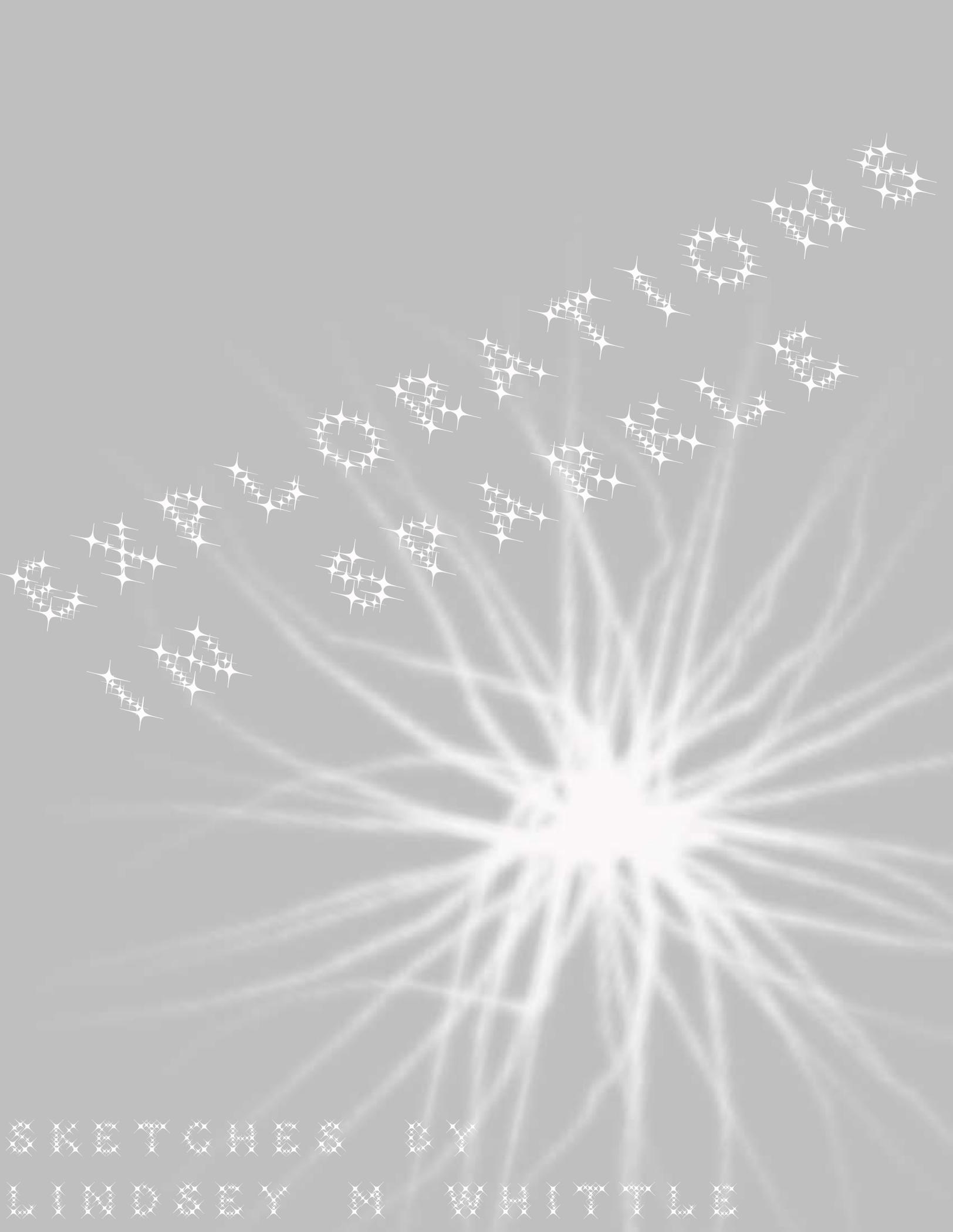


1. Take off the shrimp shells but keep the caudal fin.
2. Cut shrimp back a little and take out the insides.
3. Make a shallow cut on the belly side.
4. Wipe off the shrimps and season them with salt and pepper.
5. Put the flour on the shrimps and dip them into a beaten egg.
6. Put breadcrumbs around the shrimp.
7. Heat oil up to 180°C/350°F and fry the shrimp.
8. Eat them with your favorite sauce like tartar sauce, mayonnaise or tomato sauce etc!



Got a recipe? Share it with other Sparklezillions in the next issue.



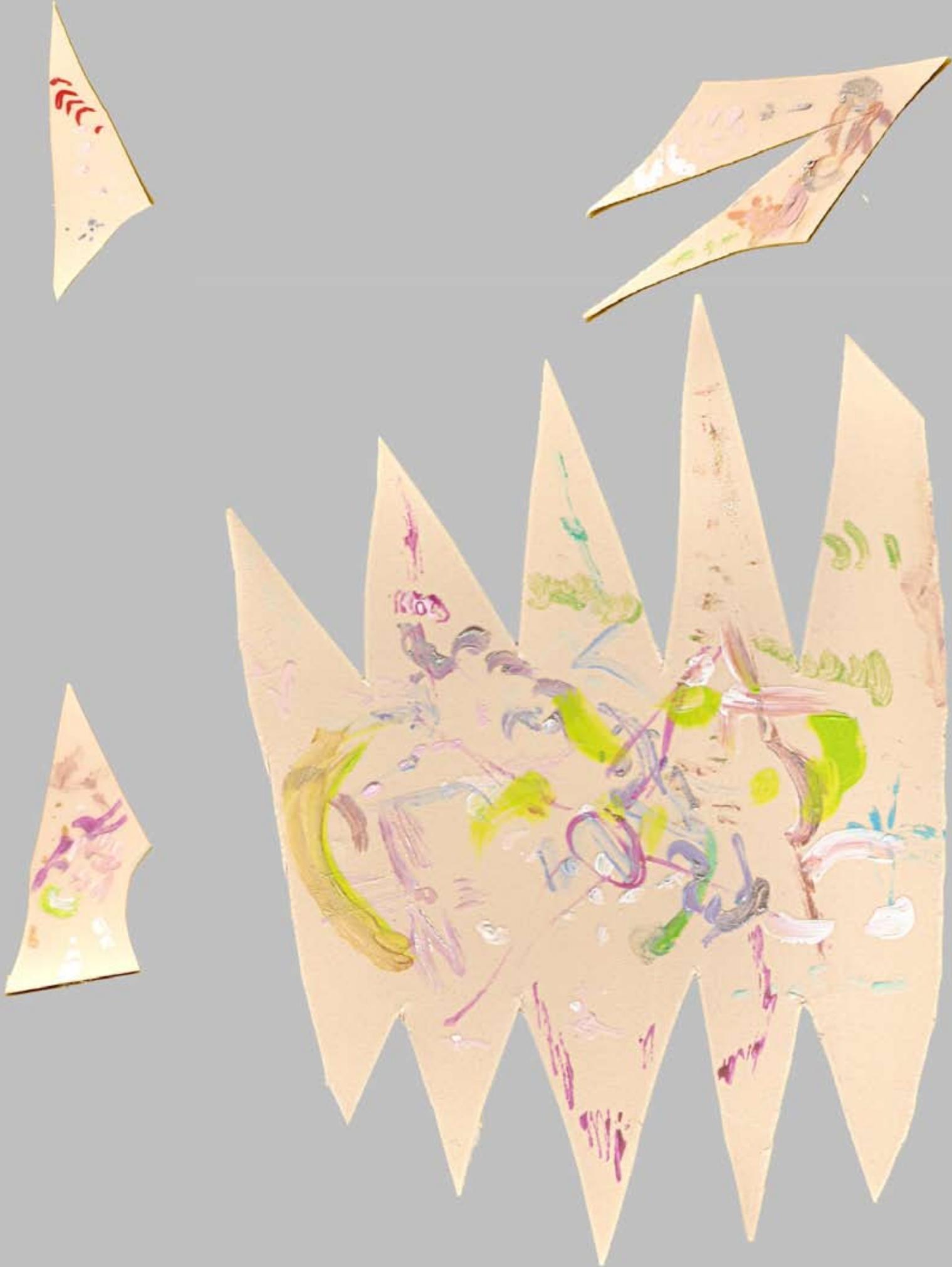


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