

Art-Meek (9th, 10th and 11th)

A Sense of Place

A Sense of Place: Light and Shadow in the Jemez

Due: April 14th

Students, I posted this a few days ago, yet not in the 'official' class assignment format. SO some of you might have missed it. Thus with Easter Break starting Thursday, I am extending the due date.

All of us are 'sheltering at home', due to this Virus. I want students to do several small quick drawings as a warm-up/practice to develop a final composition (artwork) that centers around the student's sense of 'community' Ask yourself: what is important to you right now? What brings you joy in your community? What do you identify with in your own environment? It could be your home, your church, a favorite animal, food, etc. I want you to sketch from your heart, a series of small quickly done drawings. Do several of one idea. from that then create a larger 'finished/ final' drawing which communicates what you are feeling. (color it in with the colored pencils (provided) 8 1/2" x 11" or larger, if you have the paper. This assignment is for you. I want you to create from a different place: meaning your 'heart' Put some feeling into it. Allow yourself to feel. express those feelings. note:* possibly you're angry, concerned, or scared. You can use this time to express that via drawings. Yet also consider what makes you happy? what is your "Sense of Place"?

Pay attention to light and shadow and use that to guide your drawing. I want you to work on this for several days. If you do several small exploratory drawings, you will come up with what you want to create as your final. All of the drawings are a part of this assignment. Your small quick sketches count also. Do them over several days, and it will feel easy! Happy Easter, Please forward to me, via a photo of your work or we can pick the drawings up (they'll be returned. email:meektroy@gmail.com