

Daydreaming, Niki Butcher's Hand-Painted Photography

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67 Framed Artwork Pieces with Interpretive Labels

10 Interpretive and Portrait Panels

8 Vintage Postcards

1 Painting in Progress

1 Paint Palette with Q-tips, Cotton Balls, Paint

1 Selfie Station (background mural, props, 3-D foreground with flamingos)

1 USB Drive (video of Niki's technique)

Case Mounts (Plexiglas and metal postcard mounts, tabletop easel)

Museum to supply:

2-3 cases

Production of murals and vinyl lettering as needed








WHO IS NIKI BUTCHER?

Niki Butcher is an artist whose mediums include oil paint and photographic film, but she is much more than the supplies she uses. She is a mother, loyal partner and wife, historian, documentarian, conservationist, and passionate protector of the environment. She is an engaged community activist with an overwhelmingly positive outlook on life. A creative spirit who loves all things Bohemian and quirky, Niki revels in the enjoyment of revealing a hidden story through her artwork. She sees the world in vivid colors and expresses herself through art and dialogue with those she meets.




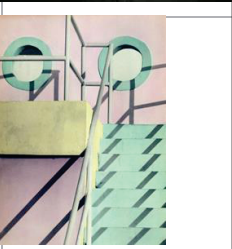




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Niki's BACKGROUND

Growing up in Palo Alto, California, Niki thrived and was inspired by the intellectual and culturally diverse community that formed around Stanford University. Her interest in the arts began when she was in high school, and by the age of sixteen, she had sold her first painting. She married fellow artist Clyde Butcher in 1963, and they had two children, Jackie and Ted. In the 1980s, the family moved to Florida, and the couple sold art at local art fairs. Niki was inspired by her love of vintage postcards, architecture and nature, although she often painted more commercially-viable subjects to help support the family. After the tragic death of her 17-year-old son, it was a stop at a roadside attraction, Orchid Isles, in the middle of Big Cypress National Preserve, Florida, that opened a new chapter in her life. During a solitary walk on the property, Niki began to visualize what could be. She looked beyond the tourist signs and eccentric owner to see the possibility of creating a gallery and home where the rundown orchid farm stood. In the early 1990s, Niki and Clyde built their home and gallery in the Big Cypress National Preserve, this unique place where she could capture and document the endangered ecosystems of the Everglades and the slowly vanishing funky, quirky Florida she so loved. Today, Niki has moved from hand-painting with oils to digital painting, but her artwork still embodies the inspiration she receives from the community she has built around herself.

DAYDREAMING: Niki Butcher Exhibit List 7/16/22							
Object #	Title	Copyright Date	Location	Digital Work?	Original or Print	FINAL SIZE	Image
	TECHNIQUE						
1	Pepe's Cafe	1989	Key West, FL		P	image 10x14, matted 18x22 (there was talk of matting the pair together, 19 3/8w x 37 3/8 high framed	
2	Pepe's Cafe	1989	Key West, FL		O	matted with image above	
3	Fakahatchee Trail	2003	Fakahatchee Strand State Preserve, FL	Yes	P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 19 3/8 x 23 3/8	
	WHAT IF						
4	Shower with a Friend	1988	Cabbage Key, FL		P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 19 3/8 x 23 3/8	
5	Fishing Shack 2	1989	Pine Island Sound, FL		O	image 11 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 19 3/8 x 23 3/8	
6	Sippin' fresh coconuts in Key West	1989	Key West, FL		O	image 11 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
7	Waldorf Hotel - Original	1990	Miami Beach, FL		O	image 9 x 13, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	







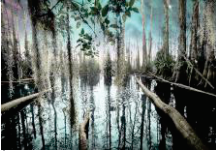



8	Tamiami Trail #16 - Original	1999	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL		O	image 12 x 9.5, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
The Human Spirit							
9	Bahama Fishermen	1987	Nassau, Bahamas		P	image 32 x 48, matted 40 x 56, framed 57 3/8 x 41 3/8	
10	Flamingo Lady of Miami Beach	1987	Miami Beach, FL		P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
11	Caribbean Soul	1989	Key West, FL		P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 23 3/8 x 29 3/8	
12	Iguana Man	1983	Key West, FL		P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 23 3/8 x 29 3/8	
13	Wishman of New Orleans	1985	New Orleans, LA		P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 23 3/8 x 29 3/8	
14	Bahama Boat Builder, original says Porter's Cay	1987	Nassau, Bahamas		O	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 23 3/8 x 29 3/8	
15	101 Unknown Artists	ca. 1985	Art Festivals in FL		O	framed 61 3/8 w x 29 3/4	
ART DECO							

16	View of the Cardozo, 1983, Miami Beach	1983	Miami Beach, FL		O	image 4x8, matted vertically with Miami Beach on bottom, framed 17 3/8 x 23 3/8	
17	Miami Beach - Original	1983	Miami Beach, FL		O	framed with above image	
18	Carlyle Hotel - Original	1983	Miami Beach, FL		O	image 9x13, matted 18x22 framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
19	Senator Hotel Pool Steps	1983	Miami Beach, FL		P	image 10x14, matted 18x22, framed 19 3/8 x 23 3/8	
20	Moon Shadow	1990	Miami Beach, FL		O	image 14x20, matted 22x28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
HISTORICAL GEMS/ DISAPPEARING STRUCTURES							
21	Everglades City Church	1987	Everglades City, FL		P	image 6x9, matted 11x14, framed 12 3/8 x 15 3/8	
22	Alligator Fritters	1999	Ochopee, FL		P	image 6x9, matted 11x14, framed 12 3/8 x 15 3/8	
23	Miami Fruit Stand	1990	Miami, FL		O	image 11 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	







24	Monroe Station	1991	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL		P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
25	Joanie's Cafe	1999	Big Cypress National Preserve, Ochopee, FL		P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
26	Whidden's Marina 2	2019	Gasparilla Island, FL	Yes	P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
27	Ochopee Post Office	1993	Ochopee, FL		P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
28	Pelican Diner - Original	1985	St Pete Beach, FL		O	image 11 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
29	Love Stanks	1985	Central FL		O	image 11 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
30	Key West Holiday	1983	Key West FL		O	image 18.5 x 12.5, matted 28 x 22, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
31	Fishing Shack 1	1985	Pine Island Sound, FL		P	image 14x20, matted 22x28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
32	Last Drug Run	1989	Bahamas		P	image 14x20, matted 22x28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
33	Card Sound	1983	Florida Keys		P	image 22x32, matted 30x40, framed 41 3/8 x 31 3/8	

34	Dixie Fishing Company	1983	Estero Island, FL		P	image 32x48, matted 40x56, framed 57 3/8 x 41 3/8	
Roadside Attractions and Nostalgia							
35	Skip Dot	1988	Florida Keys		O	image 11 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
36	Pinkus Pelicanus	1986	Everglades City, FL		O	image approx 10x13, matted 18 x 22, framed 19 3/8 x 23 3/8	
37	Islander Trading Post Antiques	2020	Sanibel Island, FL	Yes	P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
38	Skunkape Headquarters 2	2018	Ochopee, FL	Yes	P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
39	Bo's	2019	Key West, FL	Yes	P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
40	Jose Gaspar's Treasure Company	1996	Flagler, FL		P	image 10 x 14, matted 18 x 22, framed 23 3/8 x 19 3/8	
41	Florida Graffiti	1983	Gasparilla Island, FL		P	image 14x20, matted 22x28, framed 23 3/8 x 29 3/8	
42	Tom Gaskin Cypress Knee Museum	1984	Hwy 27, South FL Palmdale, FL?		P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
43	Tacky Tourist	1987	Kissimmee, FL		P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	

44	Lobster	1987	Bahamas		P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
	FANTASY						
45	Nocatee	2005	Jigg's Landing, Bradenton, FL	yes	P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
46	Daydreaming in Myakka	2020	Myakka River State Park, Sarasota, FL	Yes	P	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
47	Evening Glow Along Tamiami Trail	2008	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL	yes	P	image 22x32, matted 30x40, framed 31 3/8 x 41 3/8	
	The Natural Environment						
48	Lake Istokpoga	??? Date	Central FL	Yes	P	image 6x9, matted 11x14, framed 15 3/8 x 12 3/8	
49	Southern Dreams - Original	1993	Miami Beach, FL	NO	O	4x8 image, matted 11 x 14, framed 15 3/8 x 12 3/8	
50	Rainbow Springs 1N	1999	Central FL	Yes	P	image 10x14, matted 18x22, framed 22 3/8 x 19 3/8	
51	Salt Cay (there are 2 originals of this image in 2 sizes); I'd pick salt cay over tiger tail 2, they're both so similar	1987	Bahamas		O	image 11x14, matted 18 x22, framed 22 3/8 x 19 3/8	
52	Gifts from the Sea - Original	1983	Sanibel Island, FL		O	image 13x9.5, matted 18x22, framed 22 3/8 x 19 3/8	
53	Lazy Days in the Tropics, originals say: Salt Cay - Bahamas (also known as Lazy Days in the Tropics) there are 2 originals of this print, one is titled Salt Cay. the other is Salt Cay Bahamas	1987	Bahamas		O	image 11x14, matted 18 x 22, framed 22 3/8 x 19 3/8	
54	Island Dreams (3 original prints of this image)	1985	Estero Island, FL		O	image 14x20, matted 22x28, framed 29 3/8 x 19 3/8	

55	Bahia Honda Palms	2017	Bahia Honda State Park, FL	Yes	P	image 14x20, matted 22x28, framed 29 3/8 x 19 3/8	
56	Florida Keys (wax resist signaffito)	1988	Florida Keys		O	image 14x20, matted 22x28, framed 19 3/8 x 29 3/8	
57	Highlands Hammock	2020	Highlands Hammock State Park	Yes	P	image 14x20, matted 22x28	
58	Gannet Strand #6 - Original	1996	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL		O	image 20x24, matted -, framed 27 3/8 x 31 3/8	
59	Tiger Tail Beach 1, originals say: Capri Pass (also known as Tiger Tail Beach 1) there are 2 originals of this image in 2 different sizes, both are framed	1986	Marco Island, FL		O	image 14 x 20, matted 22 x 28, framed 29 3/8 x 23 3/8	
60	Loop Road 1N	2019	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL	Yes	P	image 22x32, matted 30x40, framed 31 3/8 x 41 3/8	
61	Early Morning Light	2006	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL	Yes	P	image 22x32, matted 30x40, framed 31 3/8 x 41 3/8	
62	Blues Along Tamiami Trail	1990	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL		P	image 22x32, matted 30x40, framed 31 3/8 x 41 3/8	
63	Alligator Alley	1986	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL I-75	NO	P	image 22x32, matted 30x40, framed 31 3/8 x 41 3/8	
64	Wildflowers in Myakka	2021	Myakka River State Park, Sarasota, FL	Yes	P	image 22x32, matted 30x40, framed 31 3/8 x 41 3/8	

65	Dennis Creek	2017	Cedar Key, FL	Yes	P	image 32 x 48, matted 40 x 56, framed 57 3/8 x 41 3/8	
66	Rock Springs 1	2016	Central FL	Yes	P	image 32 x 48, matted 40 x 56, framed 57 3/8 x 41 3/8	
67	Loggerhead Key	2021	Dry Tortugas	Yes	P	image 32 x 48, matted 40 x 56, framed 57 3/8 x 41 3/8	
68	Money Key Mangrove	2016	Florida Keys	Yes	P	image 32 x 48, matted 40 x 56, framed 57 3/8 x 41 3/8	
69	New River Strand - Original	1999	Big Cypress National Preserve, FL		O	images 32x52, matted 56 x 36, framed 57 3/8 x 37 3/8	
CASE--POSTCARDS/HAND TINT							
70	Iguana Man (orange shirt)	1983	Key West, FL		O	Postcard approx 4 x 6	
71	Summer Dawn	1986	Estero Island, FL		O	Postcard approx 4 x 6	
72	Key West - Original in back room and original in new batch	1983	Key West, FL		O	Postcard approx 4 x 6	
73	Southern Comfort (not the same image as Southern Comfort on the website)	1984	Key West, FL		O	Postcard approx 4 x 6	
74	Don CeSar	1985	St Petersburg, FL		O	Postcard approx 4 x 6	
75	postcard--Bok Tower/Cypress Gardens	ca 1930			O	vintage postcard approx 3 x 5	

76	postcard--Seabord Station, West Palm Beach	ca. 1930			O	vintage postcard approx 3 x 5	
77	Postcard--Beautiful Palm Lined Drive In Sunny Florida	1930-1954			O	vintage postcard approx 3 x 5	
78	Image of Niki with her mother, est 1 year	ca 1946			P	Print at 8.5 x 11	
79	Image of Niki as a child, est 5 years	ca. 1950			P	Print approx 5 x 7	
CASE--NIKI'S PAINTS							
80	Palette with oil paints, q tips, cotton balls, paint tubes, etc				O	fits in approx 24 x 24 x 24 case	
81	Small Original painting done in sections to show technique				O		
Other Misc							
82	tabletop easel--prop				prop		
83	plex and metal postcard mounts				props		
	selfie station mural				props		
	selfie station foreground "sand" and flamingos				props		
	selfie station props				props		
	mural files, liquid space modified				files		
	mural files, tiger tail one black to color				files		
	mural files, tiger tail one				files		
	mural files, progression				files		