



MADONSELA ART HOUSE

OPEN STUDIO

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ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

Thokozani Madonsela, born on February 28, 1988, in Daggakraal, Mpumalanga, South Africa, is a versatile artist celebrated for his mastery in mural art, painting, and printmaking.

A graduate of the Artist Proof Studio with a focus on printmaking, Madonsela's diverse portfolio spans across mediums such as charcoal, painting, and mosaic art. His dynamic artistry has earned him recognition through participation in prestigious group exhibitions, including the SA Taxi Foundation Art Awards and Absa L'Atelier. In addition to exhibitions, Madonsela is frequently involved in special projects and commissions, showcasing his unique creative vision across multiple platforms.



ARTIST STATEMENT

This collection explores the profound connection between the arts and their essential role in helping society navigate its challenges. Music, in particular, transcends language, providing healing and unity through rhythm and melody.

Inspired by jazz legends Jonas Gwangwa and Mongezi Feza, my work aims to capture the emotional resonance that music evokes—joy, sorrow, and introspection. The figures in my pieces are depicted holding various symbolic objects, such as trumpets, sunflowers, and vintage radios, each representing different aspects of music and memory. Their hats, in bold colors like red, blue, green, and white, symbolize the rich emotional spectrum of music.

This collection is a tribute to the enduring power of music, celebrating its ability to uplift, heal, and connect us all. Through these works, I hope to convey how music, like visual art, can be a force for unity and reflection in times of struggle.

Trumpeter

Dimensions: 70cm x 100cm

Acrylics and Pastels on Fabriano Paper

\$1,500.00 Framed



Trust God Bro

Dimensions: 100cm x 106cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

SOLD



Connected

Dimensions: 101cm x 106cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

\$1,800.00



Reflection

Dimensions: 140cm x 91cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

SOLD



Ready to Share

Dimensions: 154cm x 110cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

\$2,000.00



While I Wait

Dimensions: 155cm x 108cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

\$2,000.00



Red Hat

Dimensions: 141cm x 98cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

\$2,000.00



Ibuzwa Kwabaphambili

Dimensions: 101cm x 101cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

\$2,500.00



Untitled

Dimensions: 110cm x 147cm

Fabric and Newspaper Collage

\$2,500.00



Untitled

Dimensions: 137cm x 113cm

Acrylics and Charcoal on Canvas

\$2,500.00



A Display of Happiniess

Dimensions: 116cm x 200cm

Acrylics and Pastels on Canvas

SOLD



Untold Stories

Dimensions: 116cm X 200cm

Mixed Media on Canvas

\$4,300.00



Source Of Life

Dimensions: 147cm X 215cm

Acrylics and Pastels on Canvas

SOLD



Forgotten Dreams

Dimensions: 213cm x 150cm

Acrylics and Pastels on Canvas

\$4,400.00



A State of Entertainment

Dimensions: 154cm x 225cm

Mixed Medium on Canvas

\$4,400.00



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