

Lisa M. Cliff



My Prayer and My Song

I have been creating all my life. I have been blessed with the ability to recognize the essence of beauty in all things as well as the ability to express my creativity in a tangible form. Painting truly is my passion and purpose for being. I honor the process of being able to visualize something in my head and then transform my thought into something profoundly unique; like Van Gogh, I paint what I dream. My work is a way of inviting you, the viewer, into my dreams to share in the journey, to participate and become engaged in it (even for a brief moment).

Art is really about communication and my art “Blind Faith Fine Art” is my way of having my voice heard. The blindfold symbolizes relying on the heart’s third eye to see. My intention is to present paintings of beautiful strong women that will hopefully inspire and empower other women and young girls to stretch, to dream and to achieve. “Blind Faith” is walking by faith not by sight or in my case “painting by faith”. I believe that painting is truly my purpose for being and the painting is a delivery system for spreading positive energy through the uplifting messages buried in my paintings. There are many obvious or secret symbols found throughout my work; symbols of faith hope and love. For instance I use strands of pearls to represent wisdom, white feathers to represent following one’s dream and ankhs that symbolize everlasting love and faith.

“Ashe’ Ashe’: Prayers in Colour” is a series of 7 paintings that were inspired by a poem “This is My Prayer, This is My Song” that I also wrote. The word “Ashe” pronounced (Ah Shay) is Yoruba for “so it is” and is another word for “Amen.” It means “power” and “I firmly believe.” I thought Ashe’ Ashe’ was perfectly apropos for presenting this body of work. Each of us prays or meditates in our own unique way and each painting is a unique interpretation featuring the poem interwoven through each of the 7 paintings. The show will also feature several other prayer paintings in vibrant and dramatic colors.

Lisa’s One Women Show will be on view from September 10 to January 15, 2012 at the Homeport Gallery. Ashe’, and so it is.

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779 E. Long St., Lincoln Theatre building, Columbus, OH | 614-719-6756 | homeportohio.org/gallery

Lisa M. Cliff Price List

My Prayer and Song- Series of Seven

1)	<i>Prayer in Colour: My Prayer and Song</i>	24" x 36"	acrylic on canvas	\$1100
2)	<i>Prayer in Colour: Seeing with Loves Pure Eyes</i>	24" x 36"	acrylic on canvas	\$1100
3)	<i>Prayer in Colour: Protect Me on My walk Of Faith</i>	24" x 36"	acrylic on canvas	\$1100
4)	<i>Prayer in Colour: Grant Me Wisdom Along the Way</i>	24" x 36"	acrylic on canvas	\$1100
5)	<i>Prayer in Colour: Keep My Loved Ones Safe and Secure</i>	24" x 36"	acrylic on canvas	\$1100
6)	<i>Prayer in Colour: A Humble Demonstration of God's Smile</i>	24" x 36"	acrylic on canvas	\$1100
7)	<i>Prayer in Colour: These Things I ask and Pray, Amen, Ashe'</i>	24" x 36"	acrylic on canvas	\$1300

With each purchase of an authentic painting in "My Prayer and Song" series comes with a fully matted and signed 16x20 print and poem.

8)	<i>Hope is Faith in Action</i>	18" x 24"	acrylic on canvas	\$950
9)	<i>You Need to Love Her</i>	22" x 28"	pastel	\$800
10)	<i>Platinum Prayers of Expectancy</i>	24" x 30"	acrylic on canvas	\$1000
11)	<i>The Turquoise Sun Hat</i>	24" x 24"	acrylic on canvas	\$800
12)	<i>Lost in Spirit, Crowned in Braids</i>	24" x 24"	acrylic on canvas	\$750
13)	<i>Blind Faith: Seeing with Eyes of Love</i>	24" x 24"	acrylic on canvas	\$600
14)	<i>Storing Tears in a Bottle</i>	16" x 20"	acrylic on canvas	\$550
15)	<i>Patchwork Beauty, Wonderfully Made</i>	22" x 28"	acrylic on canvas	\$1500
16)	<i>Precious Pearls of Wisdom</i>	16" x 20"	acrylic on canvas	\$550
17)	<i>An Umbrella in Case of Rain</i>	22" x 28"	acrylic on canvas	\$1800
18)	<i>Three in Prayer (When Two or More Agree by Faith, Let it be So)</i>	24" x 30"	acrylic on canvas	\$1000
19)	<i>Zebra Chair</i>	18" x 24"	acrylic on canvas	\$700
20)	<i>Blind Faith: Mother Earth</i>	16" x 20"	acrylic on canvas	\$650
21)	<i>Dwennimmen (Humility & Strength)</i>	18" x 24"	acrylic on canvas	\$750
22)	<i>Nyame Biribi Wo Soro (God is in Heaven)</i>	18" x 24"	acrylic on canvas	\$750
23)	<i>Blind Faith: Behold the White Feather</i>	11" x 14"	acrylic on canvas	\$250
24)	<i>Blind Faith: Sunflower</i>	12" x 12"	acrylic on canvas	\$250
25)	<i>Blind Faith: Serene in Pearls of Jade</i>	11" x 14"	acrylic on canvas	\$350
26)	<i>December's Communion</i>	22" x 28"	acrylic on canvas	\$750
27)	<i>Standing in Need of Prayer</i>	10" x 20"	acrylic on canvas	\$185
28)	<i>Finding True Bliss</i>	9" x 12"	acrylic on canvas	\$135

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