

Twitter Thread by Natalie Buske Thomas



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■■■■ 2020 New Year's Time Capsule in oil paintings -

Thread ■■20 highlights of (approx 50) projects from 2020.

No particular order, but some have greater impact than others.

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1) "Turning Angel"

A tribute to...

1b) "Turning Angel monument, built over the graves of five children killed in a factory explosion in the early 1900's:

(2020)She was recently vandalized, toppled, had a broken wing. She is made whole here.

This was my first time painting in only black & white, no color at all."

1c) "When I first heard about this statue being toppled and damaged, something about it tugged at my heart. When I found out that it was a memorial over the graves of five children, I couldn't stop thinking about it. I looked up the statue to see what it looked like....decided to

1d) "paint it. I understand how it feels to create something to honor the deaths of people, & to have someone destroy it in a hateful action. That beautiful angel statue, installed as a memorial for children who died so tragically young- toppled to the ground with a broken wing"

2) ■■ Even in 2020, we are welcome at His table, multitudes.

Come as you are.