

"Primitives" by brian swanson

dragon

Mixed media on panel 24" x 48"

\$1250

the bout

Mixed media on panel 22" x 32"

\$950

gilas

Mixed media on panel 24" x 29"

\$950

mermaid

Mixed media on panel 18" x 24"

\$750

centipede

Mixed media on panel 47" x 15"

\$750

mantis prayer (green)

Mixed media on panel 47" x 15"

\$750

dragonfly

Mixed media on panel 47" x 15"

\$750

scorpion

Mixed media on panel 46" x 14"

\$750

coral snake

Mixed media on panel 47" x 9"

\$500

blow fish

Mixed media on panel 9" x 12"

\$200

*Note: Prices are for starting bid, and retail price.

My *'Primitives'* series is created in the spirit of depicting creatures with a primitive artistic style. Hard organic lines with bold colors, and detailed dots to create skeletons.

Some details of the creatures are made up while still following the correct anatomy of the animal. This is much like the way that the Australian Aboriginals and Aztec people depicted the deities or monsters in their world, and what really makes these pieces a joy to create. My day to day work is creating highly technical pieces of 21st century life. Maps, machinery, scientific renderings, etc...

But my *'Primitives'* series is a passion, as it gets me away from current civilization and expresses my vision of what I would like the world and its creatures to be.

-brian