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The Artists' Guild & Friends

Quarterly Newsletter

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Welcome to *Inner Court Creative!*

We are so pleased to be able to announce the formation of something we have dreamed of for a long time--***Inner Court Creative!*** and our NEW ***Artists' Guild.***

We are a group of like-minded Believers who are serious about our calling as artists: to impact our sphere of influence for Jesus Christ. We're banding together so that we can help each other grow in our abilities and giftings. Together we want to be faithful to our Master's Great Commission to reach...*"Souls From Every Nation--One at a Time."*

Our Vision

Our vision is to impact our city Longmont, Northern Colorado, and the world for Jesus through the Creative Arts. Our vision is to create a vital community of like-minded artists who engage and evangelize the world through projects, classes, events, and innovative collaborations.

Our Identity

As Believers, our identity is found in our personal relationship with Jesus--He is alive! And from that relationship flows the limitless possibilities of the creative arts!

We Want You!

Would you come and join us? The cost to join the Artists' Guild is ONLY \$35.00 per year. But for a short time this cost is being reduced to **\$20.00** to celebrate our inaugural year (offer expires June 30th). Membership must be renewed on an annual basis and will be good for 1 year from the date it was purchased.

What does an annual membership in the Artists' Guild for 2014 include?

- The opportunity to help initiate and propose official *Inner Court Creative!* projects and events.
- 10% off all classes
- Participation in our art shows
- Inclusion in our exclusive Artist Critique
- Professional attention in helping you succeed (sessions are available with degreed art professionals to help you further develop your talent and artistic voice).
- Quarterly e-Newsletter
- And more...

Our growth and future success will depend on YOU -- the members. We want artists who are excited by this vision and who want to commit to it. We are looking for artists who will say, "I want to **personally** make sure that *Inner Court Creative!* is an overwhelming success."

Do you want to help promote and market, engage in social media campaigns, network at regional artist socials, secure venues, help us secure funding, take on big challenging projects, propose and produce "live storytelling events", produce video series for YouTube, innovate, learn how to take a project from pre-production to marketing and distribution, or simply rise to a high level of artistic excellence?

Northern Colorado and Longmont NEEDS YOU!

The potential that *Inner Court Creative!* has to impact our communities and spheres of influence for Jesus is very high.

Let's make this a success together!

Living for the Dream of Jesus!

- The Creative Board (Mark, Patty, Matthew, and Duane)

2014 Creative Theme

Last year's creative theme was "2013: The Life & Legacy of C.S. Lewis." This year, our creative theme is "The Creation Week". We have split the year into quarters, and during each quarter we are challenging artist to produce original work inspired by our "Creative Challenge of the Quarter."

Creative Challenge #1: "Something From Nothing". This is inspired by the first 2 days of Creation found in Genesis 1:1-8.

Upcoming:

1. Drawing Class 1 & 2 (currently running)
2. Artists Thaw (March 26th)
3. Go Fly A Kite! (community kite day, May 9th)
4. Adventure Week!
5. The Inaugural Northern Colorado Christian Artists' Summit
6. Flying Things Live Storytelling Event/Concert
7. End of the Year Artists' Guild Gala & Art Opening