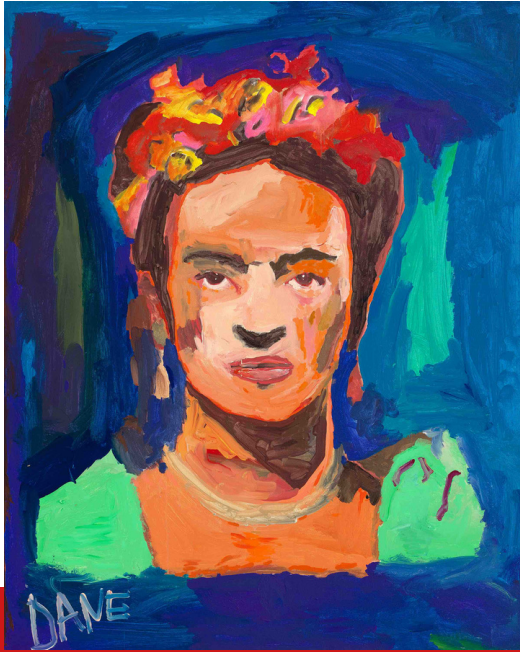


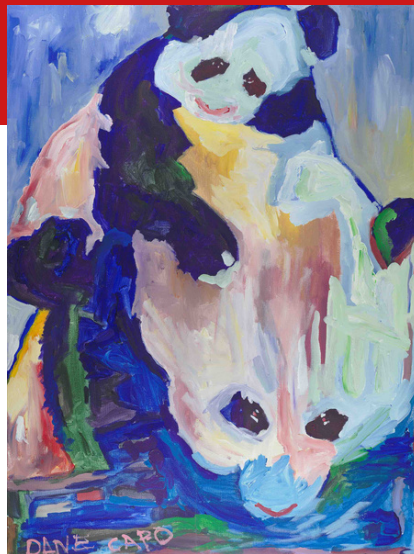
DANE CAPO



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- San Diego Community News Group



ABOUT DANE

Dane was diagnosed with epilepsy at 10 months and autism at age five. His journey since has been anything but expected. Good, bad, and everything in between.

His father's film career took the Capo family all over the world. Not only did Dane have exposure to different cultures, but he developed a yearning for travel, a love for all kinds of people, an uncensored sense of humor, and a relentless drive to be independent.

However, Dane's condition meant countless seizures, trips to the hospital, challenges with medication. Dane's mom, Krista, was relentless in her quest to give Dane as normal a life as possible. Giving him a chance to discover who he is, and where his passions are.

Dane's first painting happened at age 16, shortly after he lost his grandmother, who was also a talented painter. While studying the great masters and art history, Dane just decided to pick up a brush and paint his interpretation of Matisse's self portrait.

The results were extraordinary. With each stroke he thoughtfully, and without filter, chose bright colors and dark shadows; an unexplained talent that amazed even the toughest art critic.

"Dane Capo is the truest form of an artist. Unbridled by self-criticism. Uncensored by doubt. Grounded in pleasure. He paints what he feels, sees, likes."

Art and Autism

Where Autism created a disconnect from others, Dane's art broke open a new form of communication with the world. His art transformed into a natural expression of his desire to connect with people.

You can see it in every brilliant color, each bold brush stroke. His intention is evident. Create the essence of the individual through his own eyes.

At his core, Dane Capo loves making people happy through his art. Seeing the sparkle when people appreciate a figure they respect and love reflected back at them. Or a message of love. And even the simple movement of the colors on the canvas.

The Future

When not painting, Dane enjoys shopping, gardening and wandering, meeting new people and experiencing his own version of independence.

Dane continues to find inspiration in new places, evolving on his journey to create a self-sustained future as an artist.

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"YOUR WORK IS ABSOLUTELY AMAZING. INSPIRING! WOW!" -Fox 11 News

