

# CAROL MAESTAS

I am a native New Mexican who grew up in the most beautiful place on earth, The Land of Enchantment. I find inspiration everywhere, every day in this beautiful land.

I fell in love with art in kindergarten when I created a 4-foot alligator. Or at least it felt 4-feet long in the eyes of a small child. Today, art still holds the same magic in that every work I create seems larger than life. Every time I complete a work of art, I step back and say to myself..."Did I really create that? Wow! Lucky me." I am grateful every day, not only to have this gift, but to have the opportunity to use it.

As in kindergarten, I am having a blast. My goal is to always have fun with art, and in doing so, create beautiful works that bring joy to myself and others.