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My World of Selfies – Part 6

Modes of Transportation

After a couple of years, gift shop and department stores across the US and Canada that sold my figurines built up a following of collectors of my work and they would invite me to come to their shops or stores to meet their collectors and autograph their figurines. At first I started flying all around the country to their shops but after about two years of that, I just couldn't take being on planes, in airports, taxis and sterile hotel rooms. Not even first class appealed to me any longer.

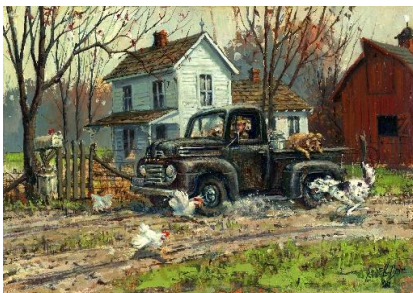
So I purchased and restored an old medicine man's motor home, put it on a new chassis with a big Ford engine. The "Leapin' Lizard" as I called it, had a shingle roof and when I was driving it down the road at 65-70 M.P.H., some shingles would occasionally fly off when passing a convoy of trucks.



"Leapin' Lizard"

Original Oil Painting / Post Card

I did a number of selfies, "Home from Market", with me in Emery, my ole 1950 Ford pickup, that I have been driving for the last 40 years.



"Home from Market"

Original Oil Painting / Giclée Prints, Porcelain Figurine (Ltd Ed of 1,200) and Collectors Plate (Ltd Ed of 7,500)

I love old cars. Rust is my favorite color. "Backseat Memories" shows me reminiscing about the fond memories that I had in the backseats of cars that I owned over the years.



"Backseat Memories"

Original Oil Painting / Giclée Prints

I have a cabin on an Ozark Mountain stream in SW Missouri. There was nothing that I liked better on a Saturday Morning than to load up ole Emery, my pickup, with my canoe and my dog Hooker and head for a weekend floating the beautiful Elk River.



"Saturday Morning"

ERTL Toys die cast truck with cold cast porcelain figurines and hand-made canoe