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Self Care

12 x 16 inches
photography



The Twinkie Man

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Bio

It was in the suburbs of Kansas City, Missouri, at her 6th birthday party when Mo Strother won the coloring contest judged by her grandma's neighbor, Peggy, marking the heroic beginning of a prolific career in the arts. On the path to great success, Mo became a three-time recipient of the "Sense of Humor Character Trait Award" from her middle school. A decade later, Mo is pursuing two BFA degrees, one in Photography and one in Experimental Media, leaning on her one and only personality trait, humor, as a driving force in her work. Her photographic style is playful, colorful, and flashy, just like the Crayola markers that lead to her first big win.

Artist Statement

In my photography, humor serves as a lens through which I explore being a woman and the diverse challenges myself and other women face because of it. My work captures somewhat planned candid moments with a blend of comedy and personal insight, attempting to turn everyday scenes into reflections on both personal and collective experiences.

By embracing the spontaneity of every day life and capturing random images of people and moments around me it allows me to portray the essence of my subjects while making them feel seen. By approaching my work with a light-hearted perspective, I aim to connect with a wider audience and evoke laughter among them, bridging the gap between my personal experiences and the universal ones.