



Where You Are Right Now

6.5 x 13 x 8.5 inches

Ceramic, Polyester Resin, Acrylic Paint

Price available upon request

Natalia Franco

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Bio

Natalia Franco is a 21-year-old artist from Northwest Arkansas creating figurative artwork that stems from her imaginative land Goop World. She encompasses the feeling of what it's like to live in our bodies – the things we show to others, along with the things that we keep hidden deep within ourselves. Viewers are drawn to the unique concepts and emotions that Natalia creates in her work, paired with intriguing color schemes and organic forms. She has been studying art at Northwest Arkansas Community College, making it her mission to share her own world with others.

Artist Statement

When I sculpt, I create straight from my soul. I let my hands guide me through the process of uncovering and discovering a piece of artwork. I start out with an idea in mind, but often find myself leaving it behind as a new being emerges, showing me what it is that I need to share. I create my work to connect with the world around me, showing people that they're not alone, and that sometimes things really just don't need to be so serious. As we grow older, we stray away from the things that we once found joy in; colors, shapes, ideas, they're all so exciting! But as adults we sometimes hesitate, thinking we need to act a certain way to be accepted. My goal is to create a space for people of all ages and types to come together, and just exist with their true selves, enjoying what it means to be alive in this moment.