

My work for this show is a visual expression of hidden fantasies or desires that are impossible to fulfill, and I present these impulses in a plausible manner.

These realistic oil paintings present popular cartoon divas in a manner never seen by the public. I am showing these ladies the way men, as well as some women, wish to see these attractive divas, but can't.

I created these luscious realistic oil paintings from direct observation of clay models of the women that I constructed from clay myself.

The finely rendered paintings are the results of intensely capturing the models' presence and lighting with paint—for the maximum effect of believability. I want you to feel as though these nude women really exist.

My ultimate goal is to recognize the complexities that reside in all of us, our lives, and our relationships.

Billy Reynolds