

# ART re- INTERP RETED

**W**ith most works of art, the artist portrays a human subject, not the way he/she is but the way painter views that person, based on personal or societal perception. With the **ART: REiN-TERPRETED** portrait series, Tiffany Israel takes famous, easily recognizable works of art with a strong central figure that have a clear identity, and replaced the figures with subjects that reflect a more modern representation of that identity.



# We Can Do It!



OCTOBER IS NATIONAL BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH



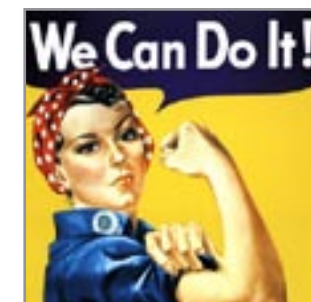
## She Did Do it!

**Breast Cancer Survivor, Candie Keller fought the good fight and won**

**C**andie Keller was diagnosed with Breast Cancer on August 7, 2003. The next two years she spent frequently visit her various doctors, 6 months of chemotherapy treatment and multiple reconstructive surgeries. Candie is the daughter of a 24-year Breast Cancer survivor and is now herself, a 5-year survivor. Candie works as a first aid nurse at Disneyland, in Anaheim, Calif., where she works with many semi-retired nurses, most of which are women. Among her co-workers, Candie has been an inspiration, as many of them have been diagnosed with Breast Cancer. “Candie is an understated person, unassuming and shy; while at the same time she is one of the strongest people I have ever met,” says Vivianne Israel, a co-worker and fellow survivor of 2 years. Even though cancer is a terrible thing, many women like Candie Keller are empowered and enlightened by their victorious battle. “I have learned to appreciate each precious moment of every single day and I consider each one of those days a priceless gift... I try not to rush through life.”

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# Anti-Bushism

**Iraq Veteran, Dennis Provost portrays a common aversion toward George Bush**

**D**ennis Provost, 24, has seen and experienced what many young people his age only read about online. At Brooks Institute in Ventura, Calif., where Dennis is studying to obtain his degree in photojournalism, some students aspire to be war photographers. Many young photographers want to see combat up close through a lens, while Dennis has already seen war through the sight of a gun.

“I was in the Army prior to Brooks and served in Iraq so I have first hand been effected by his (George Bush’s) poor decisions.” Growing up in Colleyville, Texas, Dennis has had many years to shape his opinion of former Governor, George Bush. “(I’m) From Texas and did not support his decisions as governor nor president.” Many Americans, especially those that are Dennis’ age disagree with the policies and action/inaction of the Bush Administration.

“Bush’s approval rating, which has hovered around 30 percent for more than a year makes him the least popular president since Richard Nixon at the height of Watergate....” says columnist Angus Loten.

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# Modern Artist

Graphic Designers like, Lauren Lidstrom are redefining the modern artist

**L**auren Lidstrom, 22, began painting and drawing at a young age but never considered a career in design until seeing her friends work from design school, “when I was exposed to her work and projects it made complete sense.”

Lauren is now in her 2nd year of attendance at Brooks Institute in Ventura, Calif., where she is working towards her Bachelors Degree in Graphic Design. “What I love most about the graphic design program is the diversity of our projects. There is really a wide range of training for different directions you could go. I like that the process of completion for these projects are very fast paced, just like the real world of visual communications.”

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For some, the concept of using computer software as a medium to create art is a less valid form of art. “The computer is just another tool to execute and produce your creativity... It’s your weapon of choice, and I think anyone who believes graphic art isn’t art is a bit outdated.”

“...I would like to have a career in advertising or work for a magazine,” says Lauren Lidstrom of her plans after graduating from Brooks.

