



PABLO ANTONIO MILAN

Pablo Milan is a recognized contemporary artist known for his powerful, brightly colored paintings. The images of his southwest heritage explode onto the canvas with loose brushstrokes revealing expressionistic versions of dancers, warriors and horsemen riding across the landscape.

The artist is renowned for his variety of painting techniques utilizing acrylic blends with broad brush strokes, heavy textures, bold splatters and delicate washes all in union to produce his own unique style of contemporary art.

Milan primarily is a self taught artist who grew up as a fifth generation New Mexican. The subject matter of his art came from spending his early years observing the rich culture of the Four corners area of New Mexico. His great aunt married a Laguna Pueblo man, and Pablo often attended pueblo dances and ceremonials inspiring some of the subject matter for his art.

Milan is less interested in showing literal images as painting the expressionistic eminence of Native Americans. His paintings have been selected to adorn the covers of books such as "Rebuilding Native Nations", produced by the University of Arizona and Harvard University Project on American Indian Development as well as the cover of music CD's by SilverWave Records, which produces contemporary Native American Music. His paintings also hang in the Foxwood Resort Casino in Connecticut, owned by the Mashan Pequot Tribal Nation.

Milan studied art at a community college in Dallas before joining the U.S. Air Force. In the Air Force, Pablo was stationed in Tokyo, and in his off time studied under master artists where he learned a spontaneous approach to painting. A recognized southwest contemporary artist, he owns his own gallery in Santa Fe and has exhibited in galleries throughout the Southwest, from New Mexico, Colorado and Arizona to Texas and Utah.

Pablo Milan, named Spanish Artist of 1997, currently resides in New Mexico. His art is in corporate collections such as Hyatt, Marriott Corp. and PacifiCare as well as private collections throughout the United States and the world, including Shakira, Columbian rock star; Ron Howard, producer and actor; and Tommy Lee Jones, actor.

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