

# Rebecca Collins

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## Exhibitions

"El Corazon" Bath House Cultural Center • Dallas Texas	February 2012
"Tres Milagros" Oak Cliff Cultural Center • Dallas Texas	September 2011
"Art and The City" Creative Arts Center Members Show Third Space • Dallas Texas	September 2010
"Exquisite Creatures" Norwood Flynn Gallery • Dallas Texas	May 2010
"Flights Of Fancy" Ciel Gallery • North Carolina	May 2010
"Obsessions" Creative Arts Center Members Show Cedars Gallery • Dallas Texas	May 2010
"Exquisite Creatures" Bath House Cultural Center • Dallas Texas	May 2009
"Unleashed" Creative Arts Center Members Show Mary Tomás Studio Gallery • Dallas Texas Best Of Show	October 2009

## Education

University of North Texas Bachelor Of Fine Arts	1980-1985
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## Professional Experience

Digital pet portrait artist and owner of Artpaw.com	1998 to present
Mixed Media Mosaic artist	2007 to present
Hand made greeting card designer (independent publisher)	1994 to 1998

## Publications

Author: "Mixed Media Mosaics" Cloth Paper Scissors Magazine	September/October 2011
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Somerset Gallery Magazine "Dogs Rule"	Summer 2009
DFW Dog	December 2006
Washington Post Express	August 2006
Money Magazine	December 2004
Austin Home & Living	August 2004
D Magazine	June 2004
Dallas Morning News	May 2004
Digital Output: "The Dollars In Digital"	October 2003
Palm Beach Post	December 2002
Dallas Morning News	December 2002
Animal Fair Magazine	Winter 2002
Fido Friendly	Fall 2001
Wan (Japan)	December 1999

**Media**

Good Morning Texas	July 2010
Martha Stewart Radio: Interview with Dr. Shawn	December 2009
NBC Telemundo Network: Interview	October 2008
The Today Show	March 2008
Great Day Houston	October 2007
NBC News: Interview	April 2006
Q-Live: Interview	May 2005
KSDK NBC News	January 2005

**Web**

Empty Easel: Interview	May 2012
Mosaic Art Now: Interview	October 2011
Digital Image Magazine "A Marketing Success Story"	August 2011
The Dallas Daily Candy	July 2009
Kim Grant Mosaics: Artist Watch	July 2009
Mosaic Art Source	September 2008

**Organizations**

Society of American Mosaic Artists  
 Creative Arts Center Of Dallas  
 National Association of Photoshop Professionals

**Artist Statement**

My artwork always involves a back forth between traditional media and new technology. I have always been attracted to the process of working in layers whether they are the physical layers of paper on paper in collage, or digital layers I create designing in Photoshop. To me these layers often reflect the entangled complexity of perception that creates beauty in life and art. My mixed media mosaics combine glass, ink and paper, found text and objects. All of these elements seek to play upon one another to tell an elaborate story.