

Militiamen Series

For the past decade I have created many paintings and drawings depicting the militiamen that inhabit Alabama.

The work is very much 'over the top', full of symbolic content and various icons. Of course some of the militiamen are themselves 'over the top'. Many of them are relatively harmless, but some are very dangerous to everyone else and they are just waiting for the 'war' to begin. Some of them own many guns, from pistols to automatic weapons and some have even built small bombs/explosives. I have taught several of these militiamen in my drawing classes and in general some were corrupt and treated the entire world, even their friends, with total disrespect and a certain arrogance and disdain!