

MANIFESTATIONS of LOVE

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COMICS
WORKSHOP



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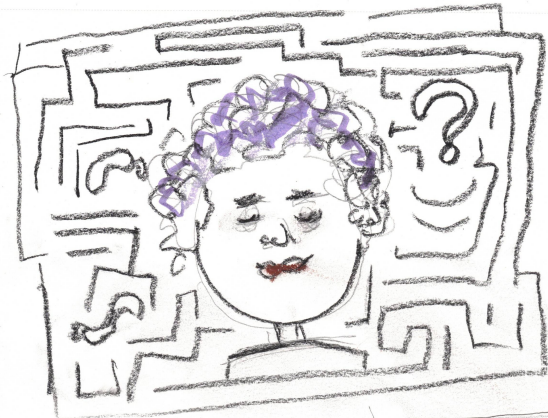
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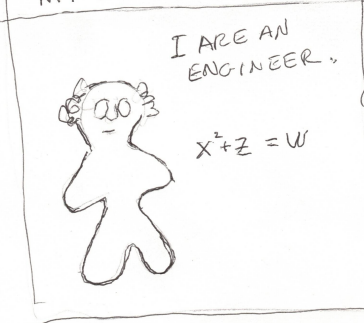
MYSTERY
ROBERTA
IS LIKE
A MAZE



MY WIFE HAS PURPLE HAIR.



AND SHE PLAYS THE HARP.



I AM AN
ENGINEER.

$$X^2 + Z = W$$



CAN A HARPIST
& AN ENGINEER
COMMUNICATE
?

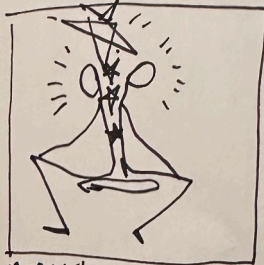
WITH LOVE



It always lights me up to
see you my daughter



When we embrace
stars form

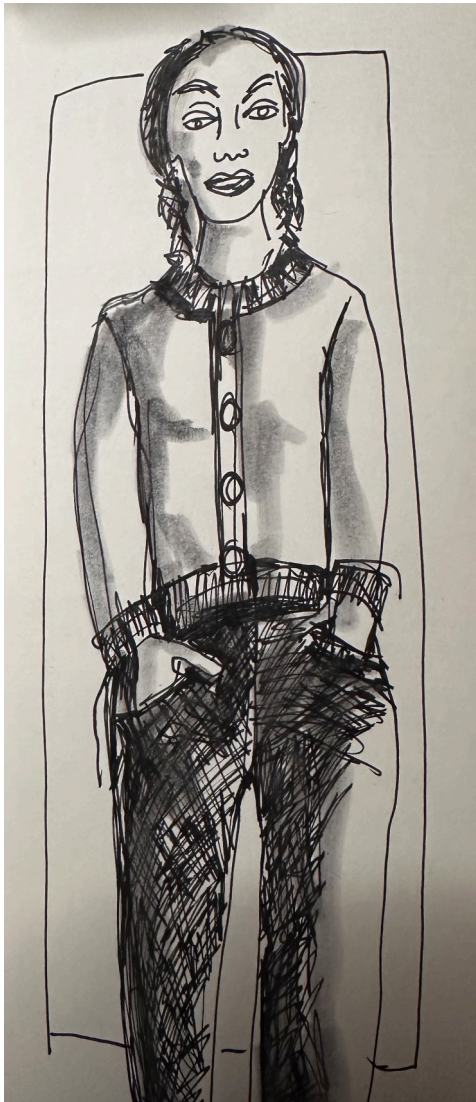


even when we are apart
or don't agree the stars
and the light is still there



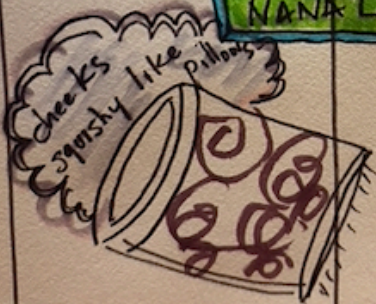
We embrace the light
and keep it close







NANA LOVE



hugs
Yummy like
cupcakes.

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I got you
babe.

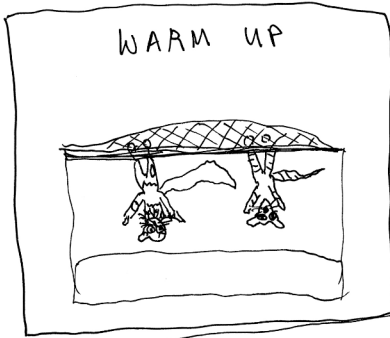


Suzie-Q 8-6-26 WARM UP

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LOVE WITH CONKLIN

KITTENS Come Home



OLDER...

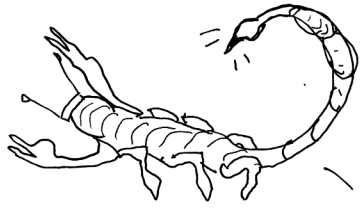
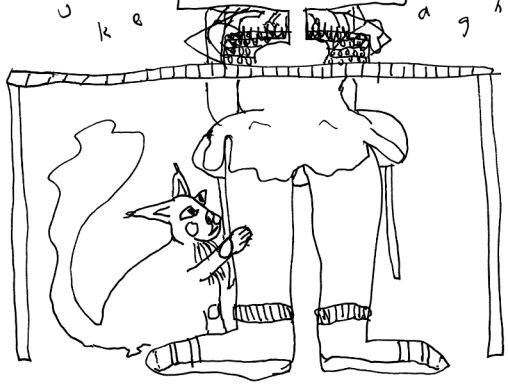
NO!
NO,
NO,
BITING!



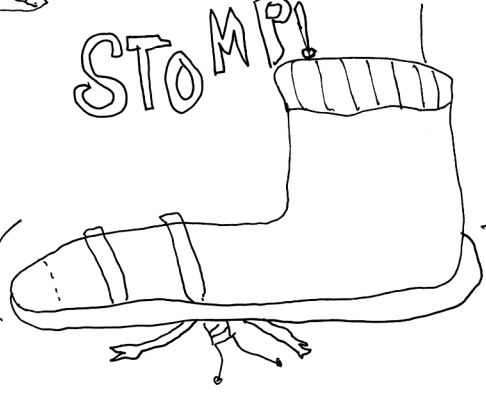
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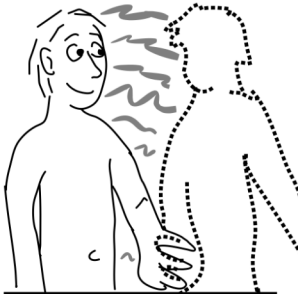
3-6-26 SUZIEQ
LOVE PG 2



STOMP!



SOMETIMES IN STORIES AND COMICS I MAKE I PUT IN A CHARACTER THAT I THINK OF AS SORT OF A SELF-INSERT...



...AND SOMETIMES I GIVE THOSE CHARACTERS ROMANTIC PARTNERS.

I'VE NEVER HAD A ROMANTIC PARTNER IN REAL LIFE.



I'VE NEVER EVEN GONE ON A DATE.

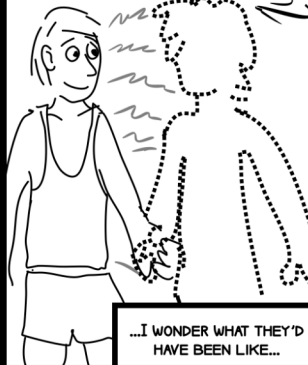
I'VE SOMETIMES WONDERED IF I'M ASEXUAL...

MAYBE, BUT I DON'T THINK SO.

I THINK IT'S MORE BECAUSE I'M GAY AND I WAS BROUGHT UP IN A VERY CONSERVATIVE RELIGION WHERE THAT WAS VILIFIED...

...AND EVEN IF I NO LONGER BELIEVE IN THAT RELIGION, MAYBE THERE ARE SOME EFFECTS I HAVEN'T FULLY GOTTEN OVER...

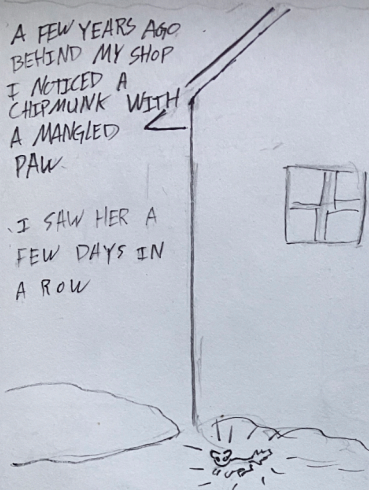
MAYBE IF I'D BEEN RAISED DIFFERENTLY, MAYBE I WOULD HAVE HAD ROMANTIC PARTNERS.



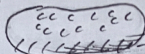
...I WONDER WHAT THEY'D HAVE BEEN LIKE...

A FEW YEARS AGO
BEHIND MY SHOP
I NOTICED A
CHIPMUNK WITH
A MANGLED
PAW

I SAW HER A
FEW DAYS IN
A ROW



I STARTED LEAVING SNACKS
OUT FOR HER...



ONE DAY SHE CAME INTO THE SHOP!



BEFORE
LONG SHE
WAS EATING
OUT OF MY HAND!



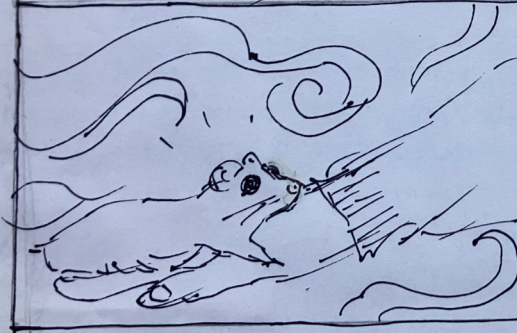
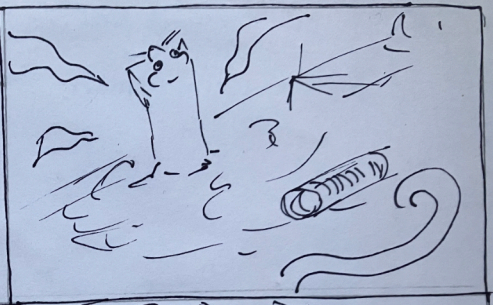
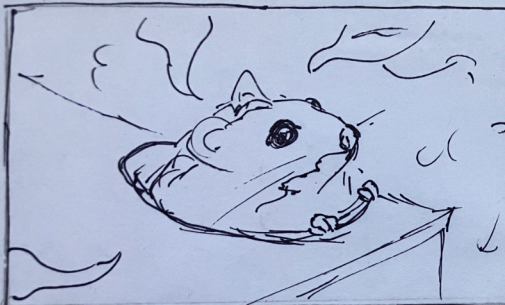
SHE DISAPPEARED FOR 20 MONTHS.
I ASSUMED SHE'D DIED...
... BUT SHE CAME BACK LAST MAY!!



I FED HER
ALL SUMMER
IT'S WINTER
NOW, SO
SHE'S PROBABLY
IN TORPER

I
KEEP A
JAR OF
PEANUTS ON
HAND AT ALL
TIMES FOR
WHENEVER SHE COMES
BACK.





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SLO...♡♡♡ BURNING BURNS

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I OBSESSIVELY REWATCH ROMANTIC SCENES FEATURING RELUCTANT COUPLES.

TO LOOK AT HER & FEEL INSPIRATION?
TO DELIGHT IN HER BEAUTY SO MUCH
THAT ALL YOUR DEFENSES CRUMBLE,
THAT YOU WOULD WILLINGLY TAKE ON
ANY PAIN, ANY BURDEN FOR HER.

TO HONOR HER WITH
YOUR DEEDS & WORDS —
THAT IS WHAT THE
TRUE POET DESCRIBES.

WHEN YOU REALIZE YOU WANT
TO SPEND THE REST OF YOUR LIFE
WITH SOMEBODY, YOU WANT THE REST
OF YOUR LIFE TO START
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

IT'S ALWAYS
HIS BEST
AND ALWAYS
WILL BE YOU.

I CAN'T GET ENOUGH OF THE YEARNING — THAT HOLLOW FEELING IN MY TUMMY AS THEY WORDLESSLY COMMUNICATE THEIR OBVIOUS ADORATION FOR ONE ANOTHER THROUGH

YOU'VE LIVED YOUR LIFE
& I'VE LIVED MINE,
AND NOW IT'S TIME WE
LIVED THEM TOGETHER.

SURELY, YOU MUST KNOW
IT WAS ALL FOR YOU.

AS YOU WISH

also:
DEATH CANNOT STOP TRUE LOVE.
ALL IT CAN DO IS DELAY IT FOR A WHILE.

HEARTFELT STARES, SIDELONG GLANCES, AND MEANINGFUL BLINKS. WHEN THE WORDS — THE CONFESSIONS OF LOVE — FINALLY DO COME, THEY'RE TOO PERFECT, AND

A YOUNG WOMAN HAS A RIGHT TO
CHOOSE HER OWN DESTINY. I WOULD
RESPECT WHATEVER CHOICE SHE MADE,
EVEN IF IT TALKED ME... JUST
AS I MUST RESPECT YOURS.

SOMETHING THERE
THAT WASN'T
THEIR BEFORE...

I LET HER GO...
I HAD TO...
BECAUSE I LOVE HER.

I KNOW I AM IMPERFECT, BUT I WILL
HUMBLE MYSELF BEFORE YOU, BECAUSE
I CANNOT IMAGINE MY LIFE WITHOUT YOU.

YOU BEWITCHED ME FROM THE
VERY FIRST MOMENT WE MET,
AND EVER SINCE, MY AFFECTIONS
HAVE NOT UNWOUND. I CANNOT
IMAGINE HOW RATIONALNESS THEY
WOULD BE ONCE WE'VE SHARED
A LIFETIME TOGETHER.

I FIND MYSELF SWEPT AWAY WITH THE HEROINES, OR MELTING WITH THEM INTO THAT PASSIONATE EMBRACE, OR SIMMERING IN THEIR KISSES WITH THEM.

MY FRIEND JULIA
KEEPS ME FROM
SINKING TOO FAR
INTO MY PIT OF
UNREQUITED
LOVE STORIES.

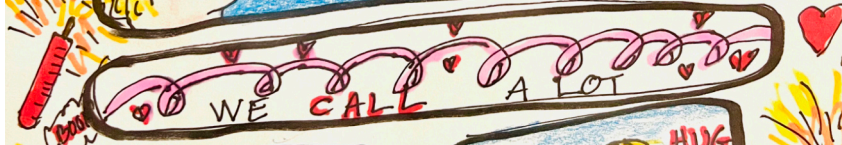
WE CALL
OUR TIME
FOR TV
MELANCHOLIC
WATCH

BUT THEN I GO HOME
AND I DEVOUR CLIPS
OF THE SHOWS WE
WATCHED TOGETHER,
AND I READ ANALYSES
OF THOSE SCENES. I CAN'T
STOP WATCHING & READING.

I KNOW THERE
ARE MUCH BETTER
WAYS TO SPEND
MY TIME BUT ALL
THESE NICE MEN
THESE SHOWS
FEEL LIKE A WET
WARM BLANKET
ON A VERY
COLD TIME.

DO I NEED TO BE
OSAVED FROM THIS
endless loop
OR CAN I JUST STAY IN
this Fantasy Land
until WORLD SAVES ITSELF
until I'm
FREE
FROM BURNING?

LOVE ...





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MANY PEOPLE SPEAK ABOUT
"FALLING IN LOVE!"



ME AND "RHIANON" THE WITCHY
WOMAN AS FRESHMEN IN COLLEGE!

NOTE THE MARC CHAGALL
ARTISTIC INFLUENCE ABOVE

ONCE I KNEW I WAS FALLING
IN LOVE WHEN I LOOKED AT
THE PAPER FORTUNE TELLER
THAT "K" GAVE ME AT LUNCH...



SHE HAD CHANGED "SECRET
ADMIRER" TO SECRET FRIEND."
I WAS HEART BROKEN -- BUT
LOVE CANNOT BE PREVENTED
FROM BLOSSOMING LATER!!
SHE TOLD ME THAT SHE HAD NEVER
FELT SO LOVED! I WISH IT HAD LASTED!
BUT I'M GLAD IT HAPPENED.

BUT INSIGHTFUL PSYCHIC JOY TALLEY
IN VIRGINIA BEACH, VIRGINIA
ONCE TOLD ME THAT, INSTEAD, "WE
SHOULD RISE IN LOVE TOGETHER!"

"X" AND ME IN PANAMA AFTER
OPERATION JUST CAUSE CON-
CLUDED. WE DANCED



"CUENTAME
by LUCERTO
AND

"LAMBADA
by KAOMA

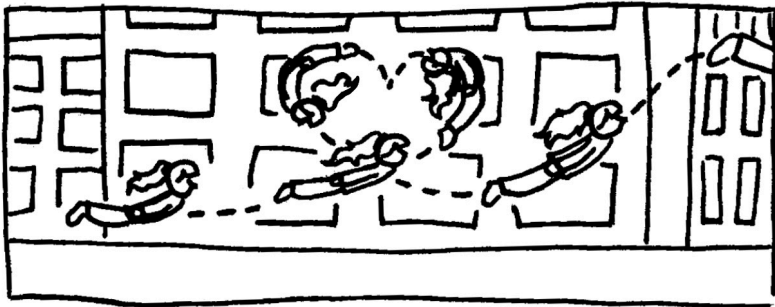
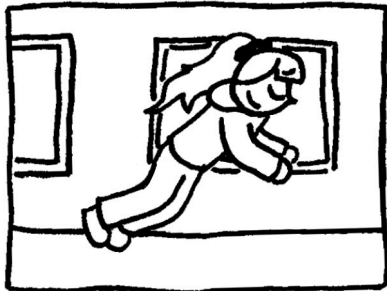
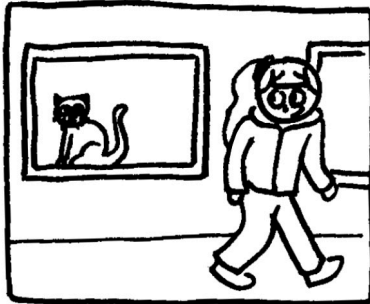
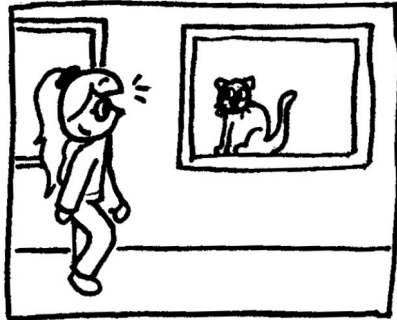
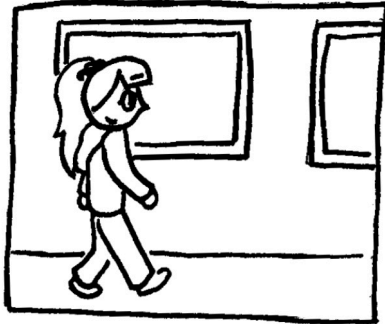
I FEEL AS LIGHT AS A FEATHER!
I LOVED HER SON AND DAUGHTER TOO!



PRESENT DAY:
TWO
BATHING
UNDER
THE MOONLIGHT

WE
RECHARGE
OUR
POWERS
THAT
WAY!

HOW WINDOW CATS MAKE ME FEEL



I've loved all my cats... asexually



I love drawing, usually nothing sexual, so I can share with others, which I also love



I love hanging out with friends, only occasionally thinking of sexual attraction, and then I forget and just have fun,



Xena is hardly ever a lap cat. She shows love by reaching up a paw, respecting my space, but being close, unhurried,



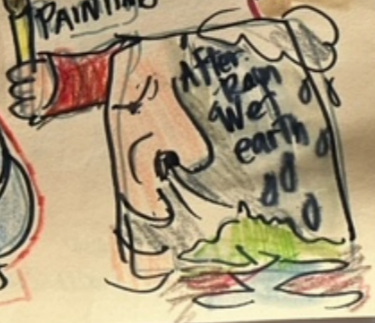
AKB
JTH



Grand son → only a few of my favorite Things



This session
Safe to be
Unabashed
Cat lover
Fan ♥ thanks
cc



Seals

SIX OUT OF 7!

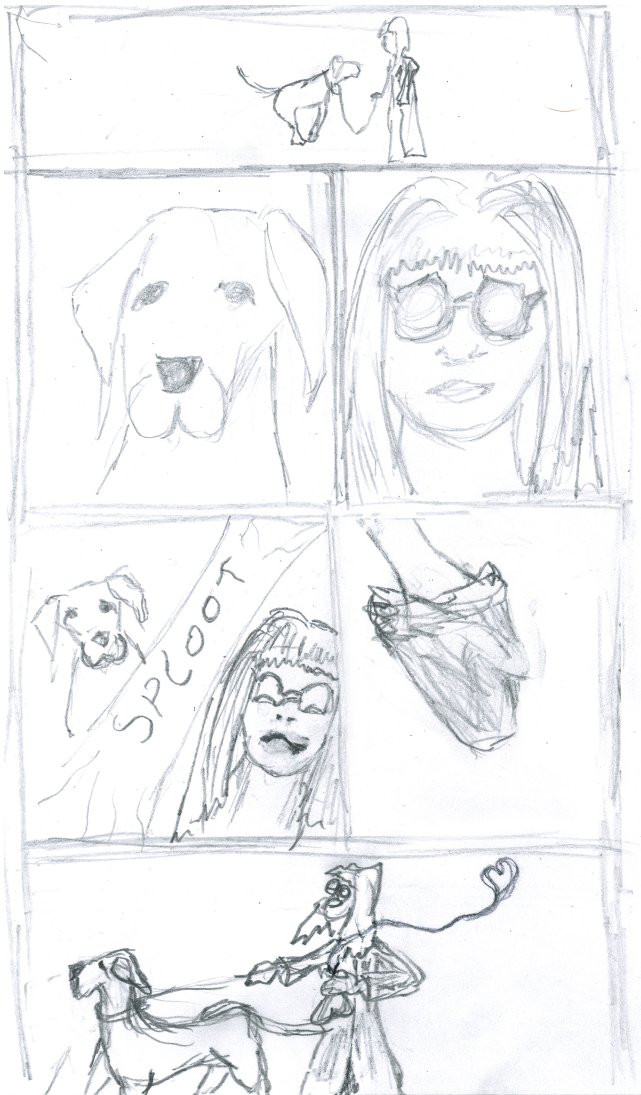


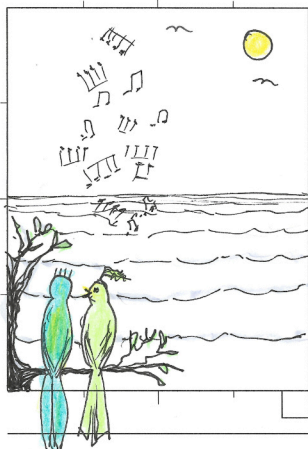
ARTHUR

* cats purr is Healing
AND Helps with Bone density



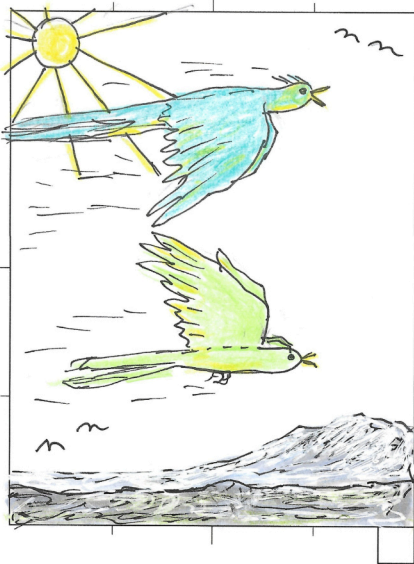
Hey Gramma.
Let's go for a
walk in the Rain





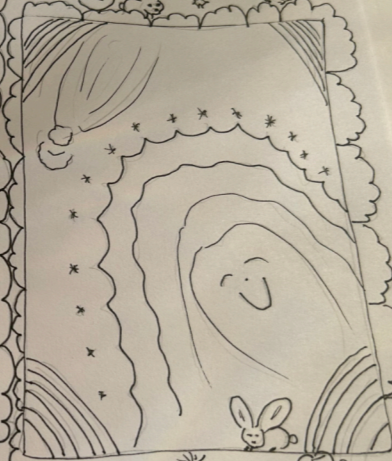
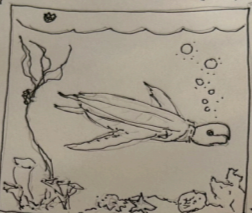
PROJECT BIRDS OF A FEATHER- 2

DATE _____



Birds of a feather
Remain together
after all these years.

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Sending this to the world

AIR MAIL

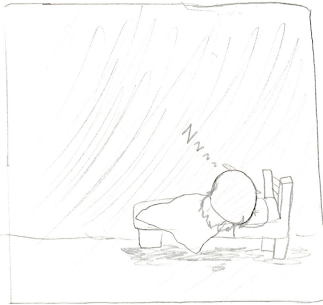
I Love...

I Love...

I Love...

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My new alarm clock





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