

Dave Middleton: Artist Statement

A representation of the life around us is really all about light.

The shape of an object as seen and identified by our brain is just another object..... until it is lit. Then, for me, it comes alive with a lit side and a shadow side and what is in-between.

It speaks, saying -- "draw me, draw me".

The object comes alive in light,

the tonal complexity,

the mood,

the essence.

My drawings have found their place in observations

of light

in life

as life