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Item	Description / Inspiration	Song	Artist
2	Samba Pa Ti is an instrumental written by Carlos Santana and performed by the band, Santana. It was originally released in 1970 on the album Abraxas.	"Samba Pa Ti" by Carlos Santana	Lynn Baker
3	Our cat Jack (otherwise known as Fang) is ever curious, busy and adventuresome.	"What's Up Pussycat?"	Liza Boyajian
4	Inspired by the song "Blackbird" by the Beatles and sung by many other artists. It is one of the most covered songs in music history. I personally connect it to guitar playing and singing around the campfire in the 1970's at my summer camp in Maine.	"Blackbird" by the Beatles	Liza Boyajian

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5	<p>This image was created to honor the memory of Jimmy Buffett. The tropical sunset was captured on Pass-A Grille beach, Florida. The image in the foreground is intended to remind us of Jimmy Buffett with his guitar ...entertaining us as always, RIP Mr. Buffett.</p>	<p>"Changes in Latitudes, Changes in Attitudes" by Jimmy Buffett</p>	<p>Harold Burnley</p>
6	<p>Inspired by the song "Africa" by Toto "As sure as Kilimanjaro rises like Olympus above the Serengti"</p>	<p>"Africa" by Toto</p>	<p>Anne Clements</p>
7	<p>Inspired by "Blue Bayou", written and sung by Roy Orbison (1963)</p>	<p>"Blue Bayou" by Roy Orbison</p>	<p>Anne Clements</p>
8	<p>Vincent by Don McLean</p>	<p>"Vincent" by Don McLean</p>	<p>Christine Devine</p>

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9	I was born and raised in Chicago and I love my hometown. As the lyrics say, “my kind of people, too. People who smile at you”. Not only is it a spectacularly beautiful city, with Lake Michigan serving as a backdrop, but you’ll find the native Chicogians to be warm and friendly people.	"My Kind of Town" by Frank Sinatra	Marie Doyon
10	The lyrics to this James Taylor hit inspired me: “Well the sun’s not so hot in the sky today and you know I see summertime slipping away”	"September Grass" by James Taylor	Marie Doyon
11	This was a song I sang to my son and this grandson when they were infants!	"A Bushel and a Peck" by Frank Loesser	Susan Emons
12	Mixed (gouache, Gelli print papers, oil & charcoal pencil)) Dolly Parton's song always reminded me of my mother who could sew anything from nothing.	"Coat of Many Colors" by Dolly Parton	Jennifer Ethier

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13	Love the cows	"Home on the Range" by Dr. Brewster M. Higley	Nancy Fox
14	Night marsh	"Stormy" by the Classics IV	Patricia Gardner
15	Sunny morning in the Islands.	"Tequila Sunrise" by the Eagles	Patricia Gardner
16	When out photographing flowers, I ran into this little fellow and he didn't run away when I got close. And he fits perfectly in the white space among all the green shapes.	"It's Not Easy Being Green" by Jim Henson	Dick Golobic

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17	<p>When we arrived in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park it was so dry that the rivers, streams and creeks were hardly running with any water. Then suddenly there was 48 hours of solid rain making steam rise out of the hot, dry ground. Smoky blue and the mist were quite a combination.</p>	<p>"Smoke Gets in Your Eyes" by Jerome Kern and Otto Harbach, sung by the Platters</p>	<p>Dick Golobic</p>
18	<p>The poetic imagery of the title and the wistfulness of lost love inspired me to illustrate the song. Many artists have covered the song, including Glenn Frey and Marvin Gaye, but the classic is by Tony Bennett.</p>	<p>"The Shadow of Your Smile" by Tony Bennett</p>	<p>Ginny Hall-Apicella</p>
19	<p>My collage is a slightly comic version of a beautiful song of regret and second guessing. Michael Bubl�, Elvis, Chris Stapleton, and even Fantasia, have recorded it, but Willie Nelson reigns supreme with You Were Always on My Mind.</p>	<p>"You Were Always on My Mind" by Willie Nelson</p>	<p>Ginny Hall-Apicella</p>
20	<p>Blue batik fabrics with a sailboat motif in the fabric and in the quilting pattern</p>	<p>"Sailing" by Christopher Cross</p>	<p>Ann Holden</p>

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21	[none provided]	?	Jacqueline Jones
22	My kitten named Ollie has the most marvelous whiskers	"My Favorite Things" by Rodgers & Hammerstein - The Sound of Music	Emily Mahoney
23	My kitten Ollie has the most adorable whiskers that I was moved to reproduce him multiple times	"My Favorite Things" by Rodgers & Hammerstein - The Sound of Music	Emily Mahoney
24	During a winter storm, I captured our beautiful Belgium horse Twilight- her eye drew me in and mesmerized me.	"My Favorite Things" by Rodgers & Hammerstein - The Sound of Music	Emily Mahoney

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25	I came across this serene melting scene while on an early morning walk throughout my pastures.	"My Favorite Things" by Rodgers & Hammerstein - The Sound of Music	Emily Mahoney
26	Mama Mia free spirit	"Dancing Queen" by Abba	Dale Martin
27	Portrait of Paul McCarthy, who was the songwriter for the song "Yesterday". All my troubles seem so far away, I believe in yesterday.	"Yesterday" by Paul McCartney	Kathy McCall Head
28	Inspired by the song "Country Roads" by John Denver	"Country Roads" by John Denver	Kathy McCall Head

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29	<p>From love at first sight till now, we only have eyes for each other, from a song, 1934 "I Only Have Eyes for You" is a romantic love song by composer Harry Warren and lyricist Al Dubin, written for the film Dames (1934) when Dick Powell introduced it. Several successful recordings of the song were made in 1934; later, there were charted versions by The Flamingos (1959) and Art Garfunkel (1975) our favorite version.</p>	<p>"I Only Have Eyes for You" by Harry Warren & Al Dubin sung by Art Garfunkel</p>	<p>Sandra McManamon</p>
30	<p>As a sunset lover the song from my childhood often plays in my mind, “Now the Day is Over”. (I sang as a child in parochial school for end of worship.) Composer: Joseph Barnby (12th August, 1838- 28th January. 1896 Author: Sabine Baring-Gould (18th January, 1834-2nd January, 1924)“Now the Day is Over” was originally written for the children of Horbury Bridge when the author, Sabine Baring-Gould, was serving as the Curate for the parish</p>	<p>“Now the Day is Over” by Joseph Barnby & Sabine Baring-Gould, sung by the Hastings College Choir</p>	<p>Sandra McManamon</p>
31	<p>The Ukraine war inspires me as an artist and a citizen of the US.</p>	<p>"Star-Spangled Banner" by Francis Scott Key & John Stafford Smith, sung by Whitney Houston</p>	<p>Dian Moore</p>

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32	<p>Inspired by John Lennon's "Imagine". This photo, taken in 2001 during our years there, unexpectedly features an "Intentional Camera Movement" effect.</p>	<p>"Imagine" by John Lennon</p>	<p>Bill Riski</p>
33	<p>Inspired by John Lennon's "Imagine". This photo captures a sunrise over Jenkins Creek in 2018 using the "Intentional Camera Movement" technique.</p>	<p>"Imagine" by John Lennon</p>	<p>Bill Riski</p>
34	<p>[None provided]</p>	<p>"Where Have All the Flowers Gone?" by Pete Seeger</p>	<p>Sandy Shuster</p>
35	<p>Mixed Media - Wood, Artificial Food, Epoxy. The musical inspiration should be obvious from the title of the work. The overall concept was inspired by a small project request early in the year.</p>	<p>"Yellow Submarine" by the Beatles</p>	<p>William Sloan</p>

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36	Tombstones on the Texas / Mexican border. Inspired by the album By The Light of the Moon by East Los Angeles band Los Lobos	"By The Light of the Moon" by East Los Angeles band Los Lobos	Andy Smith
37	Peacefully quiet bone yard. A visual to the song Into Dust by 1990's Los Angeles band Mazzy Star.	"Into Dust" by Mazzy Star	Andy Smith
38	One of my favorite Jimmy Buffet songs - an ode to a modern day pirate, no longer with us!	"One Particular Harbour" by Jimmy Buffett & Bobby Holcomb, sung by Jimmy Buffett	Melinda Smyth
39	"Some Beach Somewhere" sung by Blake Shelton reminds us to use our imagination to find peace when experiencing extreme stress in our daily lives.	"Some Beach Somewhere" sung by Blake Shelton	Melinda Smyth

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40	"If you're fond of sand dunes and salty air, quaint little villages here and there, you're sure to fall in love with old Cape Cod."	"Old Cape Cod" by Claire Rothrock, Milton Yakus and Allan Jeffrey, sung by Patti Page	Bill Tremitiere
41	[None provided]	"Mood Indigo" by Duke Ellington, Barney Bigard, and Irving Mills, performed by Duke Ellington	Bill Tremitiere
42	[None provided]	"Autumn Leaves" by Johnny Mercer, performed by Nat King Cole	Bill Tremitiere
43	The song "The Summer Knows" lyrics: it's time to dress for fall	"The Summer Knows" by Michel Legrand, performed by Barbara Streisand	Bill Tremitiere

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44	The musical "The Fantasticks" is one of my favorites, and this picture make me think of the wonderful songs from that play.	Music from musical "The Fantasticks"	Patty VanSant
45	Purple is one of my favorite colors and this scene of the marsh is predominantly purple.	?	Patty VanSant
46	My daughter, Danielle, is my inspiration for this painting. She had her photo taken in a cotton field posing with her Baritone Saxophone whaling out a tune in the humid heat of summer a few years ago. It has always been one of my favorite photos. What a great opportunity to get busy and paint it! Heat Wave is a great song and identifies the scene of good ole Southern Georgia. Danielle is an accomplished musician and plays all of the many types of saxophones. She plays regularly at the Savannah Theatre (20 yrs) and is a favorite of the show. Music is her life, and I am so very proud of he her.	"Heat Wave" by Holland–Dozier–Holland, performed by Martha and the Vandellas	Donna Walker

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47	I enjoy seeing Great Blue Herons hunting in my backyard. This one had his eye on a snake.	?	Laurie Wells
48	I captured this photo of a Tri-Colored Heron in breeding plumage at Cypress Wetlands, Port Royal.	?	Laurie Wells
49	Practicing the piano inspired by my enjoying piano playing and Matisse's similar piece	"Für Elise" by Beethoven, performed by Lang Lang	Paula Wexler