

THE LION AND THE LAMB



Medium : Acrylic on Paper. Print

Dimension : W54.5 x H42.5 cm, framed

Base Price: \$400



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The Inspiration

This painting is the description of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ from two bible verses. Jesus is described in Revelation 5:5 as “ ... **the Lion of the tribe of Judah the Root of David (who) has conquered ...**” and in John 1:29 as “ ... **the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.**”

The Artist - Benjamin Koh Chong Jin

Ben is a friend of Charis from Wesley Methodist Church.

Ben was born in 1986. When he was about 9 months, he had infantile spasms and was diagnosed with Tuberous Sclerosis Complex (TSC). Ben has, since, been taking anti-seizure drugs daily. When Ben was 5 years old, he was diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder. Though he had a happy childhood, his social skills and interactions were lacking. His interests changed as he grew in age, from spinning objects, picking up metal screws and batteries to watching and playing on YouTube.

From young, Ben has been fascinated by colours, music and the freedom the great outdoors offers. He is musically talented, swims and enjoys his daily walks (time to de-stress). Weekdays are spent at St. Andrew's Autism Centre (Day Activity Centre) while Saturdays are for enjoying art-craft.

Sundays are the Lord's day and Ben enjoys worshipping God in church. A wall mural project at church a few years ago re-kindled Ben's passion in art and since then he has been creating and adapting artwork from the images he sees and likes. Ben may not be very vocal but his love for life speaks volumes.

