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Monsters

Monsters are my favorite things to draw. There are no rules to creating a monster. My monsters have the heart of a big slobbery dog and the curiosity of a child.





As a kid I always wanted to stay up and watch the late night talk shows. I guess monsters would enjoy the same thing.



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Animals

When drawing animals I can't help but to add human personality to them. It's easy to see a bit of ourselves in animals.



These are some sketches of my dogs sleeping. Much easier to draw them when they are asleep.

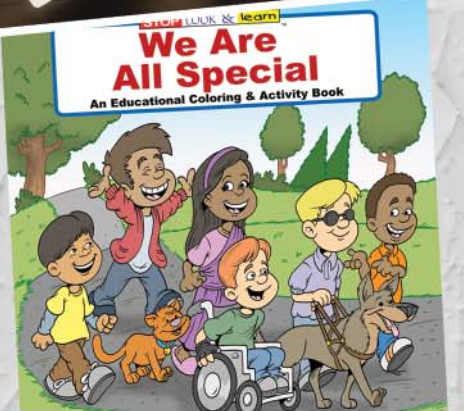


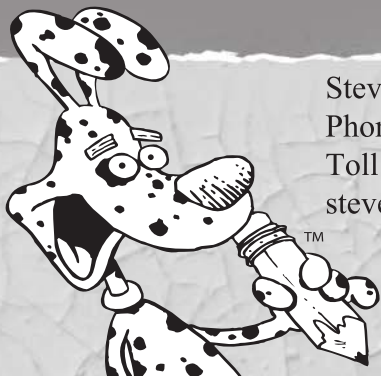
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As a kid I would draw pictures of Godzilla eating airplanes and think how great it would be to do this for a living. Now as an adult I actually do draw for a living. I have illustrated joke books, puzzle books, graphic novels, and picture books, but still no books on Godzilla eating airplanes. As I draw I think back to the time when I was a kid lying on my stomach in front of the television drawing in a sketch pad. I try to draw for that kid, the things he would have loved, the illustrations he would have looked at for days on end. It is my pleasure to present these illustrations to you and your inner child. I hope you both enjoy.

Sincerely,

A stylized, handwritten signature of Steve Harpster in black ink.

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