

PAINTING OF THE MONTH

CONCEPT IDEA

The theme of this work is based on an old photo (1880's) showing four or five mature huge, stumpy Kauri trees. They were growing spaced along a fence line of cleared land. These prominent and majestic old Kauri looked like beacons with the bush behind them. A morning flock of noisy Tui circling to emphasis the massive width of the trunks. There is a hint the morning rays of light slicing through the hills and bush.



TITLE	"Mahuta & morning chorus"
SIZE	900 x 600 mm
MEDIUM	Acrylic on canvas
DISPLAYED	GALLERY27
PRICE	\$850
PRINT	Available in A4, A3 & A2+*

MONET COLOURS

I've added what I call Monet colours and toning to emphasis the Tui and bush swirling around the mighty trunk.

STYLE TECHNIQUE

This style of acrylic on canvas is called "dry brush" (wiping most of the paint from the brush) to brush strokes onto the canvas to build up layers of colourful tones.

ENJOY.....

This painting it's quickly becoming one my favourite works.


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