

## BEHIND THE ACRYLIC

Different topics that inspire  
Fearing when painting

1. Culture
2. Humanity
3. Landforms
4. History
5. Diversity

# MAX FEARING

SM East sub Max Fearing owns a side business painting after he discovered his talent for it years ago

### How did you start painting?

“ I had an older aunt who started [painting] when she was older. I said, well she can start, I can start. And she gave me some brushes and some paint and so I just started painting. It was therapy. I felt like I was good at it, I knew I could do it and it made me feel like I was doing what I was supposed to be doing.

### Why do you paint?

“ I just felt like it was something I was meant to do. Although I don't necessarily believe in that, it seemed right at the time. It made me feel good. It made me happy. If I was worried about other stuff, painting made me happy.

### What do you want people to take away from viewing your paintings?

“ I want people to create. I want humanity to make some progress and I just want people to be aware. I hope they think about diversity. I hope they think about the people who are not the weak necessarily but the people who weren't in a position [to be remembered.]