

The Green We Left Behind

A collection of photographs and visual arts representation of Climate Change effects in Nigeria

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Artist: Ojonugwa John Attah Title: Erosion Location: Abuja, Nigeria

Description: gradual but deadly erosion of the surface of the earth, leading to many climate issues.



Artist: Ayomide Ogechi Title: Greener Pastures Location: Nigeria

Description: Deforestation causes climate change. There's a saying that "the grass is greener on the other side." The truth is that the grass only gets greener when we water it.



Artist: Chukwuma Eke Pacella Titlle: Post-harvest crisis Location: Uli, Anambra Description: Climate change is not for the future, impacts are here now.



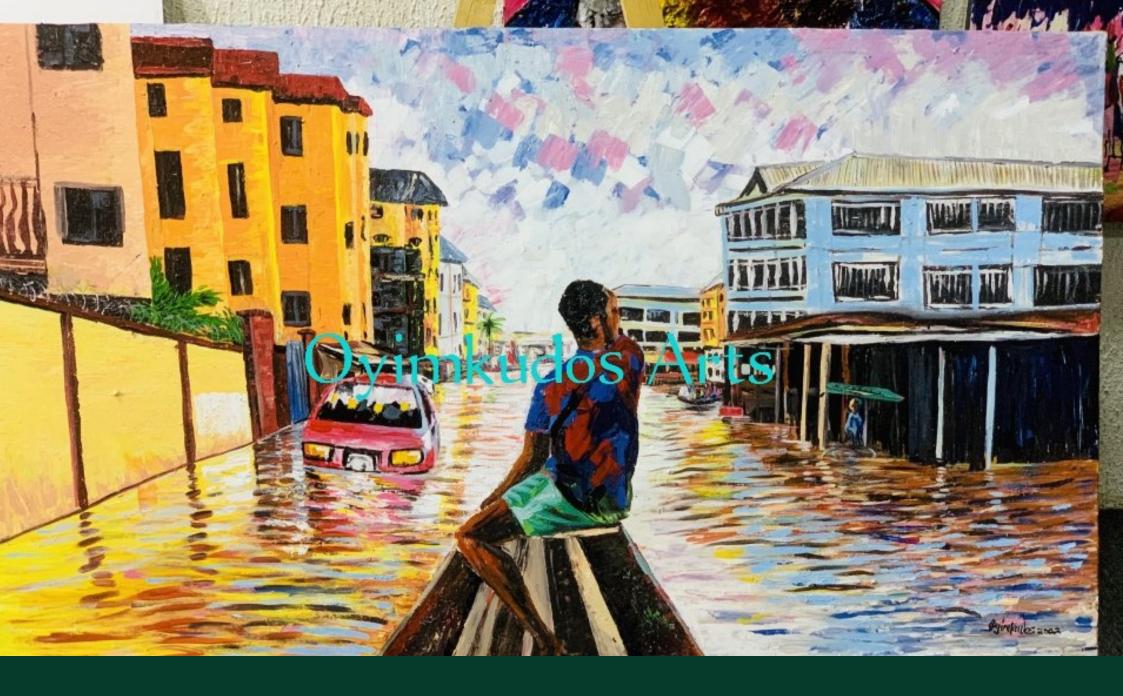
Artist: Chukwuebuka David Title: Plastic Pollution Location: Abuja

Description: Children should be one with nature: trees, beautiful sky and landscape, not trash and plastics. Let us put an end to plastic pollution.



Artist: Darlington Chibueze Anuonye Title: Erosion Location: Nekede, Owerri.

Description: This is Old Nekede Road, Owerri. It hosts the Nekede Zoo, leads to the Federal University of Technology, (FUTO) Owerri, and Federal Polytechnic, Nekede. Thousands of inhabitants have been displaced due to erosion. Inside, we're broken.







Artist: Adaobi Chiemelu

Title: Erosion

Location: Enugu

Description: Erosion,

Earth

degradation,

Plastic

pollution.

Climate change

is

as real as ever.

Plastics have

done us

more harm

than good.



Artist: Regina Achie Nege
Title: Charred

Location: Benue

Description: The green that loved us, nourished us, clothed us, but we turned our backs on her, set fire on her to scorch and char her. We char the earth for money, money we may not live long enough to spend.



Artist: Anuna Tobechukwu Title: Displaced Location: Kogi State Description: Climate change effect. Variation in rainfall pattern causes disasters to humanity like flooding, loss of lives, property and livelihood. This is the recent story of the indigenes of Lokoja in Kogi State.

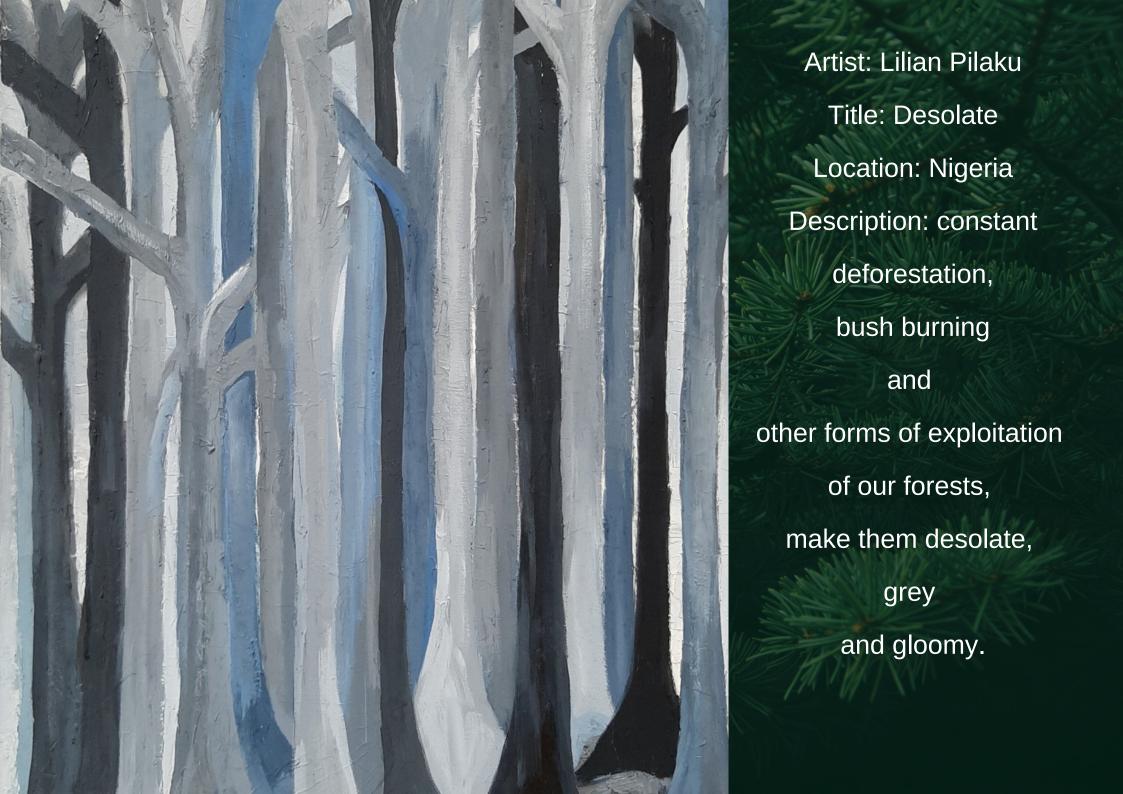


Artist: Ahmed Title: Ruin Location: New Nyanya, Nasarawa State

Description: Poor waste management and plastics have ruined this piece of land. Let's take climate change seriously. Let's protect the earth.



Description: In recent times, the shorelines have continuously moved closer to the shanties where some families live. The captivating beauty of the ocean and the fear of what might be.





Artist: Uche Mbah Title: Flood Location: Lagos

Description: Climate change flooding is not only found along the banks of Niger/Benue. This is Mainland Lagos.



Artist: Dikachi Title: Mother Earth Location: Lokoja

Description: My work seeks to etch on the mind of my viewers how fragile and vulnerable our earth is. We should stop taking actions that bring nothing but tears to mother earth.



Artist: Title: Aquatic Bodies Location: Abuja

Description: We are quick to fold our hands when issues of climate change arise, but never quick to lift pet plastics littered carelessly.



Artist: Ebere Olugbuo Title: Flooded Location: lagos

Description: Amuwo Odofin, Lagos state express way taken over by flood as depicted in the photograph. The effect of this has resulted to increase in transportation fares and more traffic gridlock.



Artist: Ugochukwu Anadi Title: Penny wise, Pound foolish Location: Nsukka Description: Humans must end harming their environment else the consequences may end us.

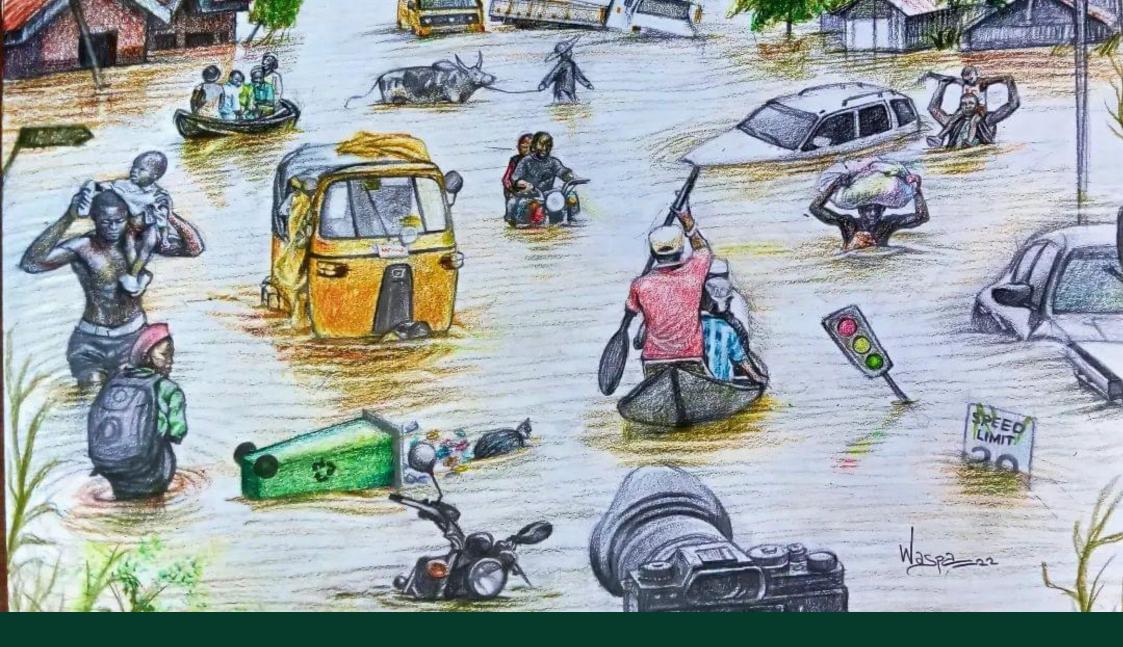


Artist: Ebere Okey Onyema Title: Flood Location: Ikeja, Lagos
Description: Obafemi Awolowo Way, Ikeja. Motorists and pedestrians at risk wading
through the flood on a typical rainy day.
This is the effect of climate change on us.



Artist: Emmanuella Ndunofit Title: Dumpsite Location: Abuja

Description: Unchecked dump sites grow due to near-zero recycling culture. Dumpsites of all sorts, human and animal waste gather together, release chemicals into the atmosphere, hence causing change to regular climate.



Artist: Opeyemi Olamide Title: The Camera Location: Lagos:

Description: The effects of man's damages to the earth. We have no where to run to. Let's save the earth.

