

The Altered Artist Archetypes

Which one are you? Be honest.

1. The Perfectionist (The "High-Strung")

Symptoms: Using a single-hair brush for an hour. Hasn't blinked since the first pour. Catchphrase: "Wait, the symmetry is off by 0.5 millimeters. Nobody talk to me." Likely Outcome: A masterpiece that they will still hate tomorrow morning.

2. The Glitter Bomber (The "Chaos Agent")

Symptoms: There is more glitter on the floor, the dog, and their own forehead than on the actual ornament. Catchphrase: "It just needs a little more... sparkle." Likely Outcome: A blinding orb of light that can be seen from space.

3. The "Abstract" Philosopher (The "Too Toasted")

Symptoms: Has been staring at the color "Merlot-Induced Vision" for twenty minutes. Catchphrase: "But what is a leaf, really? Isn't it just, like, the earth's finger?" Likely Outcome: Three random green dots and a very deep conversation about snacks.

4. The Liquid Courageous (The "Tipsy Turner")

Symptoms: Painting speed increases exponentially with every refill. Catchphrase: "I'm basically the next Picasso. Watch this stroke." Likely Outcome: An ornament that looks like a beautiful sunset if you squint, or a crime scene if you don't.

5. The "I Tried" Specialist (The "Happy Accident")

Symptoms: Accidentally painted their thumb. Gave up on the leaf veins and just painted the whole thing solid gold. Catchphrase: "It's a vibe, okay? It's interpretive." Likely Outcome: A very heavy ornament with 14 layers of "corrective" paint.

The Altered Paints Promise

"No matter which artist you are, just remember: The paint dries, but the memories (and the hangover/munchies) are forever."