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meet Dorit Schwartz RESIDENT ARTIST/SCULPTOR

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Dorit Schwartz, a resident of Eagle Hills, has been a unique facet of our community for 22 years! Born and raised in Tel Aviv, Israel, she moved to Los Angeles at 17 years old. Along with her husband Ronnie (a local real estate developer), they have raised three adult children (all raised and educated locally in Las Vegas), Yoni, Shannie, and Neiv.

A renowned, local sculptor, Dorit shares "Art has always been a part of my life, even before I attended Wizo Art School in Tel Aviv. I believe we are all born artists; it just takes a little bit of life to show us what medium is best for us to work in. For some people, it is oil and canvas, for others, the medium is words, and for others still, it may be behind a lens. I try to constantly evolve. I began my artistic journey with clay, moved onto marble carving, and now I work with wood and crystal. My discovery and appreciation of the smoothness of acacia wood: the cool feel of marble; the roughness of discarded mortars; the vibrancy of colorful crystals and their healing properties magnified my admiration of both the old and the new.

I began incorporating reclaim wood into my work, recovering its history and presenting it anew. For me, it is a magnificent way to celebrate the beauty of Mother Nature. This metamorphosis and development are the driving force behind my new contemporary collection, The Light Within."

Dorit is an artist specializing in sculpture. She is a co-founder and former art director of the Las Vegas Chapter of the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. She started her business because she is passionate about creating art that speaks universal truths while bringing the raw, aesthetic power of nature to each unique space. Her work reflects her belief in the holistic healing power of nature and the balance that is found in the materials she uses. These materials magnify the vibrancy of that power.

All art is expression. While others might work with similar materials, no two artists express the same emotion or sentiment exactly alike. Dorit says "... this by nature allows me to stand apart. Every piece I create captures a beautiful piece of the world seen through

the prism of my soul. My sculptures reflect this path I am on - the journey to accomplish balance in life. Through my artwork, I find myself revealing my experiences, present beliefs and future aspirations."

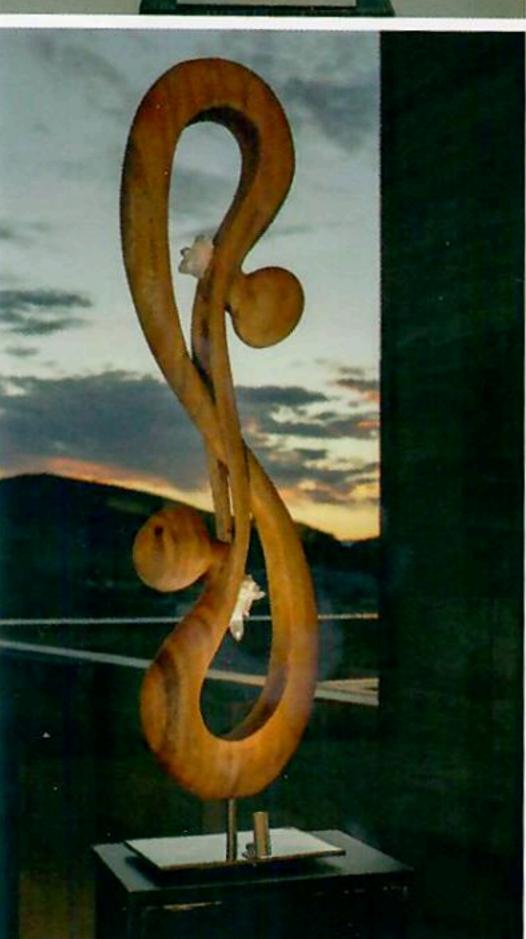
When asked what advice Dorit can offer to other residents, she says "Each individual should find his or her medium. Art is subjective and I believe that any passion done well can be elevated into a masterpiece. Find passionate people who believe in your vision and support you. Most importantly, never stop learning and evolving...you never know who or where you will learn a valuable lesson."

In conclusion, Dorit exclaims "Personally, my family and I have always endeavored to give back to our community through various charitable works and efforts with organizations like St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital and The Adelson Educational Campus and more. My work is currently featured across the United States (including locally) and internationally in both private and public collections."

Please enjoy the pictures of Dorit and her wonderful art included in this article. For more information, visit www.doritschwartzsculptor.com, 702-768-4998, ds@doritfineart.com.











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