

custom portrait illustrations

by Mindy Waters of tales of butterflies



I draw digitally, but with techniques that more closely match traditional media. My illustrations feature sketchy line art, layers of texture, and fine details. If you are interested in commissioning a portrait from me, it means that you appreciate my style and trust my artistic interpretation. If you are seeking a wildly different style of art for your portrait, finding a different artist who practices that style might be best.

info:

This information is for custom portrait illustrations, which are intended for personal use only. Please contact me for information on commercial illustration work.

There are three styles available for custom portraiture, each at different price levels:

line art/monochrome: solid background color and coordinating line art

basic color: line art with filled in solid colors and textures

full detail: line art, filled in color and shading, textures, etc.

Examples and pricing for each are available on the next few pages.

If you are interested in a custom portrait illustration, please email mwaters@talesofbutterflies.com or message through contact form on the blog.

process:

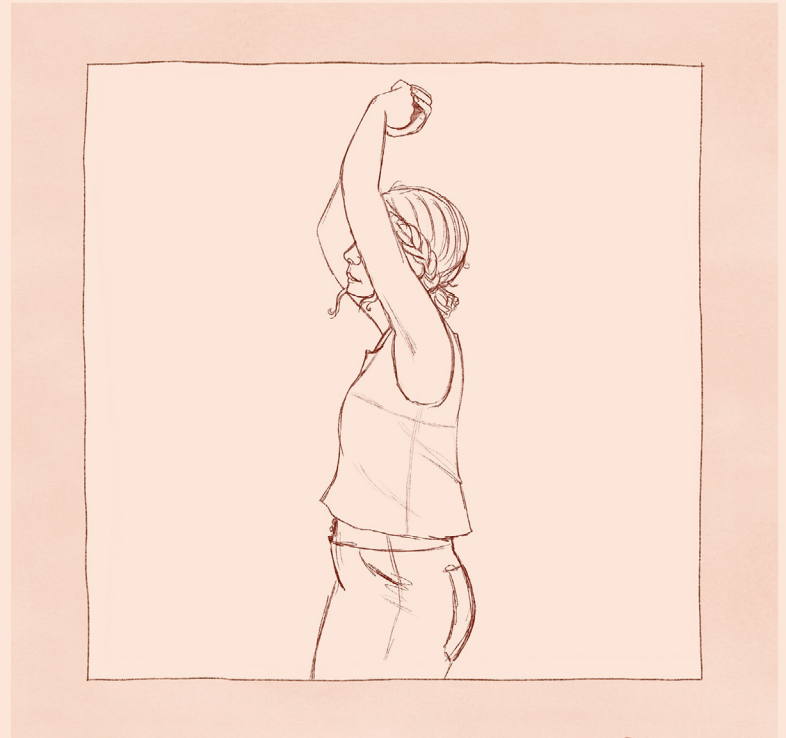
- **once project and price are agreed upon, customer must pay half before work begins.**
 - after references and needed info are received, I will create a sketch or several (if illustration is composited) for customer to approve.
- from there, work on the final illustration will begin. There will be one more review where customer can request minor changes (bigger changes or additional review periods are subject to additional charge).
- I typically send digital files so you can do your own printing, but if you would like me to send you a physical print or prints along with digital files, that can be included for the additional cost of prints + shipping.
- deliverables will include a solid background option, transparent background option (if applicable), These will be JPG and PNG. For specific project needs, other file types can be created.



line art/monochrome

This style features a solid background color with coordinating line art. Color choice can be discussed, or I will choose. A simple frame, like the one shown here, can be included at no additional cost.

Other elements, such as a line art background scene or line art patterns (grid, Swiss dots, flowers, stars, etc) are available at an added cost.



single bust	\$65
two figures bust	\$85
single full body	\$85
two figures full body	\$105
+ each additional figure	+ \$20
+ each additional background element	+ \$20



basic color

This style features a solid background color with coordinating line art and “flat” color fill for figures (“flat” doesn’t mean no texture). Color palette can be discussed, or I will choose.

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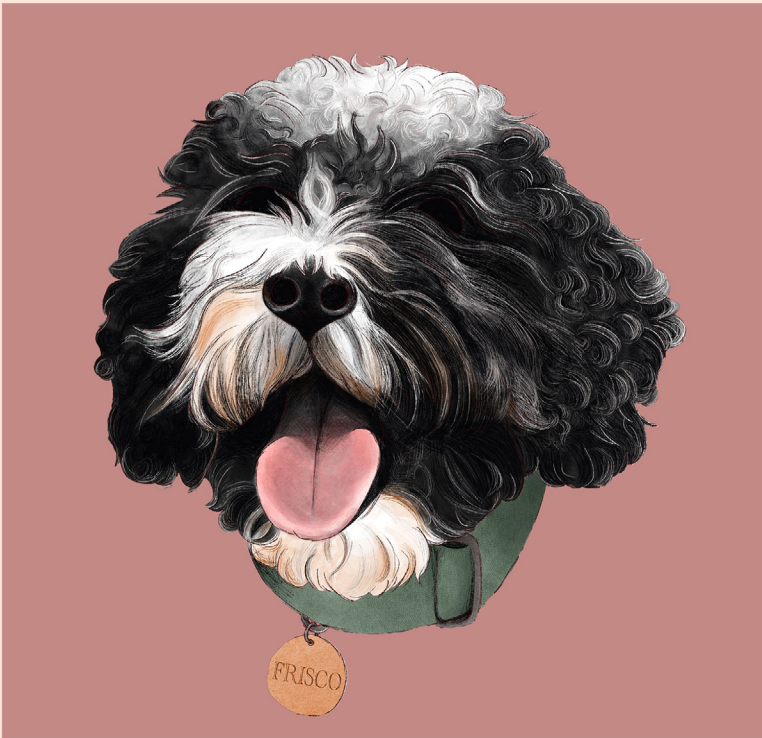
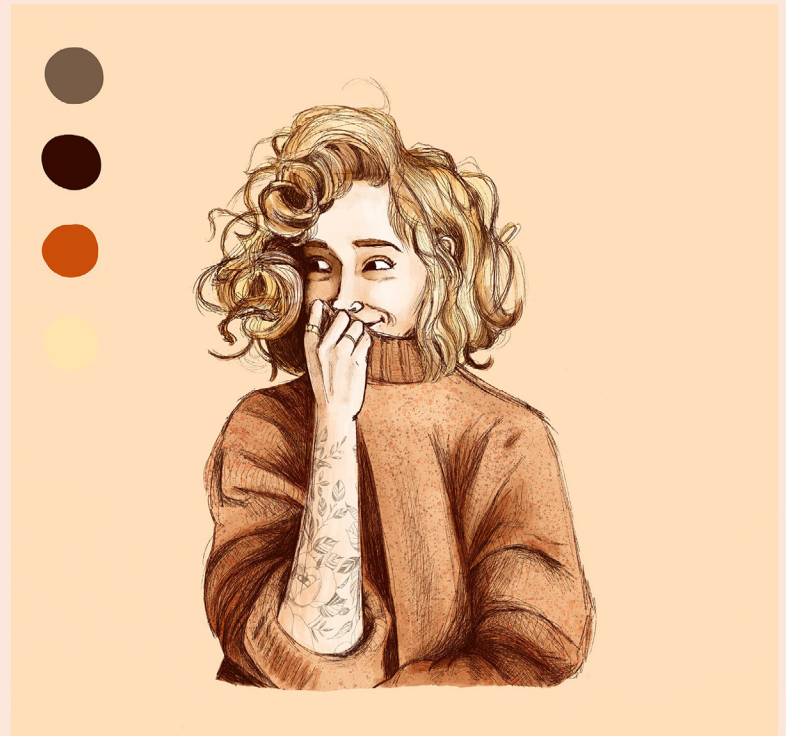
single bust	\$130
two figures bust	\$155
single full body	\$160
two figures full body	\$185
+ each additional figure	+ \$25
+ each additional background element	+ \$25



full detail

This style features a solid background color with coordinating line art and filled in color, hand-drawn shading, textures, and details. Color palette can be discussed, or I will choose.

A simple frame can be included at no additional cost. Other elements, such as a background scene or patterns (grid, Swiss dots, flowers, stars, etc) are available at an added cost.



single bust	\$255
two figures bust	\$285
single full body	\$320
two figures full body	\$350
+ each additional figure	+ \$30
+ each additional background element	+ \$30



other:

- note that I, as the artist, have the right to turn down any projects, whether it be for subject matter (such as, but not limited to, no NSFW, depictions of violence, hate symbols, etc), time constraints/scope of work, or just not being the right fit for your project
- timeframe is dependant upon scope of work for project and my current schedule. Keep in mind I am one person creating one-of-a-kind art, just for you!



**thank you for your
patronage and support!**

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