## MOHAMMAD BANISSI

b. January 3,1992, Iran

Early childhood years prior to primary school, made Mohammad's disabilities apparent. He began speech and behavior therapy under the supervision of specialists. At the age of 6 he was miraculously saved by doctors from sever meningitis. He was forced to enter the special children's program as experts did not deem him fit to study at the regular program. Middle school was his last educational year, after which he began his artistic activities with the support of his parents. He is currently practicing painting, sculpture, and piano at Gallery Outsider Inn with Morteza Zahedi, his agent. He has had many solo exhibitions in Iran and Europe in the past few years.

Exhibitions:

- 2023: Outsider Art Fair, represented by Cavin-Morris Gallery, New York, NY
- 2022: Mohammad Banish, HdM Gallery, Paris, France Parandeha, Charandeha, Khazandeha, Gallery Outsider Inn, Tehran, Iran
- 2021: 7th Annual Outsider Art, represented by Phase Gallery, Tehran, Iran 8th Annual Outsider Art, represented by Mohsen Gallery, Tehran, Iran Solo Exhibition, Gallery Outsider Inn, Tehran, Iran
- 2020: Group Exhibition, Gallery Outsider Inn, Tehran, Iran Outsider Art Online Art Fair, represented by Gallery Outsider Inn, Paris, France
- 2019: Solo Exhibition, Hamer Gallery, Amsterdam, Netherlands Solo Exhibition, Gallery Outsider Inn, Tehran, Iran Group Exhibition, Gallery Outsider Inn, Tehran, Iran Sixth Annual Outsider Art, Group Exhibition, Semsari Gallery, Tehran, Iran
- 2018: Group Exhibition, Gallery Outsider Inn, Tehran, Iran Colors Are Happier Than Us, Shamideh Art Gallery, Tehran, Iran
- 2016: Fourth Annual Outsider Art, Vi Gallery, Tehran, Iran Group Exhibition, Han Shiraz Gallery, Shiraz, Iran Art for Autism, Niavaran Art Cultural Foundation, Tehran, Iran