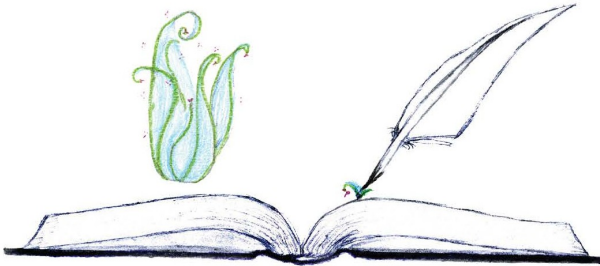


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## Laura Schmidt ('03)

Laura Schmidt is the Wade Center Archivist and Staff Adviser for the Wheaton College Tolkien Society. She did art at one time in the distant past (otherwise known as high school), and now and again dusts off her art supplies for another go. This piece in *Sub-Creation* has a fantasy theme with light imagery, along with a hint of mystery, and is done in colored pencil.

## Claire Reck ('18)

Claire is a junior English major with a strong interest in art as well as writing. She sees her art as a way to tell a story, whether that is something about herself or a story that the art itself creates. Her practice of writing poetry has especially shaped the way in which she approaches creating art, as she thinks about art pieces as narratives and poems as pieces of art.

## Carolyn Greco ('18)

Carolyn Greco is a junior, originally from Massachusetts, and currently a citizen of many different fantasy worlds. She loves drawing and writing, and is a big fan of cake.

## Elizabeth Williams ('20)

Elizabeth is a freshman studying English with a minor in Studio Art. She painted her piece in acrylic paint on canvas. She wanted to portray wonder, curiosity, and imagination about new worlds and discoveries through the piece.

## Editor's Note

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Sometimes your artistic inspiration comes in a flash, the song of a muse springing fully-formed from your head (to mix myths). Sometimes your mind wanders and you find yourself asking “What if...?”

Personally, what makes me come alive creatively is when I can interact with other writers to gain inspiration. I might read someone’s story and think of another way the plot might have gone, or a bit of character background. I might share the germ of an idea with another writer and swap ideas back and forth: “You could do this...” “Oooh yeah, and then...”

This year, we hope *Sub-Creation* brings you inspiration. Not from stories this time, but with art. Although artists sometimes mean to tell a specific story with their images, often only a feeling or idea is meant to be evoked. That was just the purpose of these pieces. Each artist painted, drew, or colored her work with an author in mind—you. We hope these images will inspire your next story. We’ve even given you space to jot down your ideas right here. Perhaps you’ll go for surreal or high fantasy. Maybe it will be based on relationships or the lack thereof. Dreaming up questions or questing for their answers. Happy writing, happy sharing!

Sincerely,  
Beth Potterveld













Claire Reck





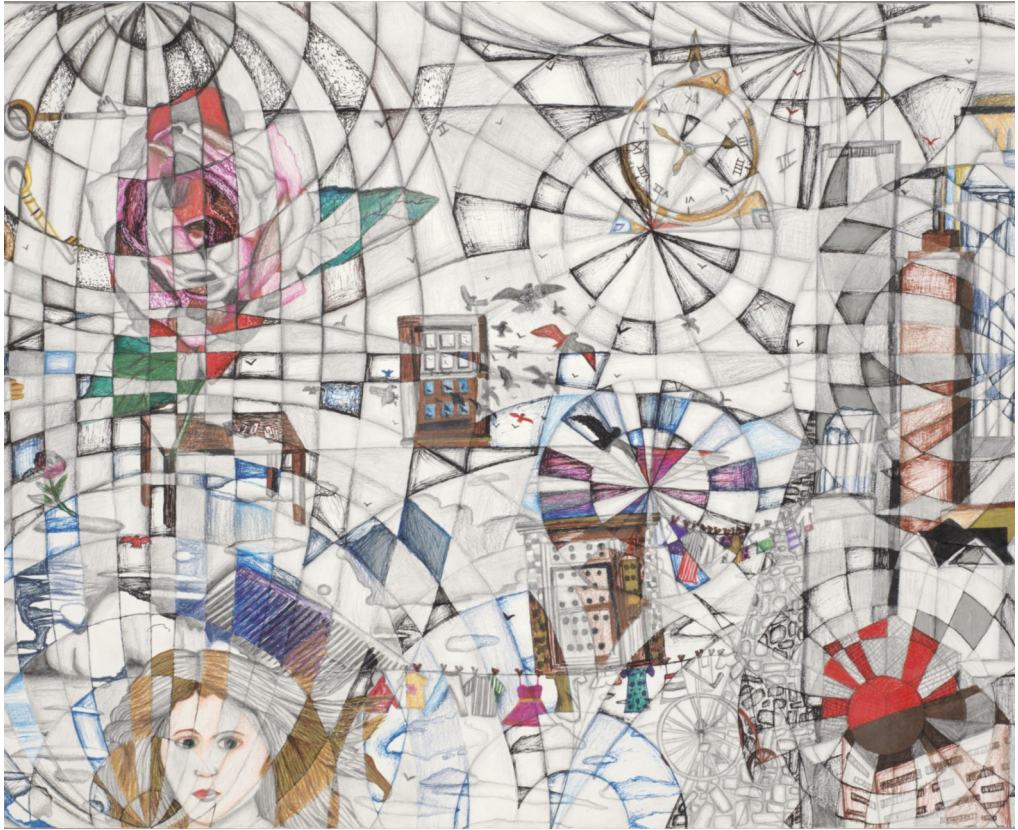
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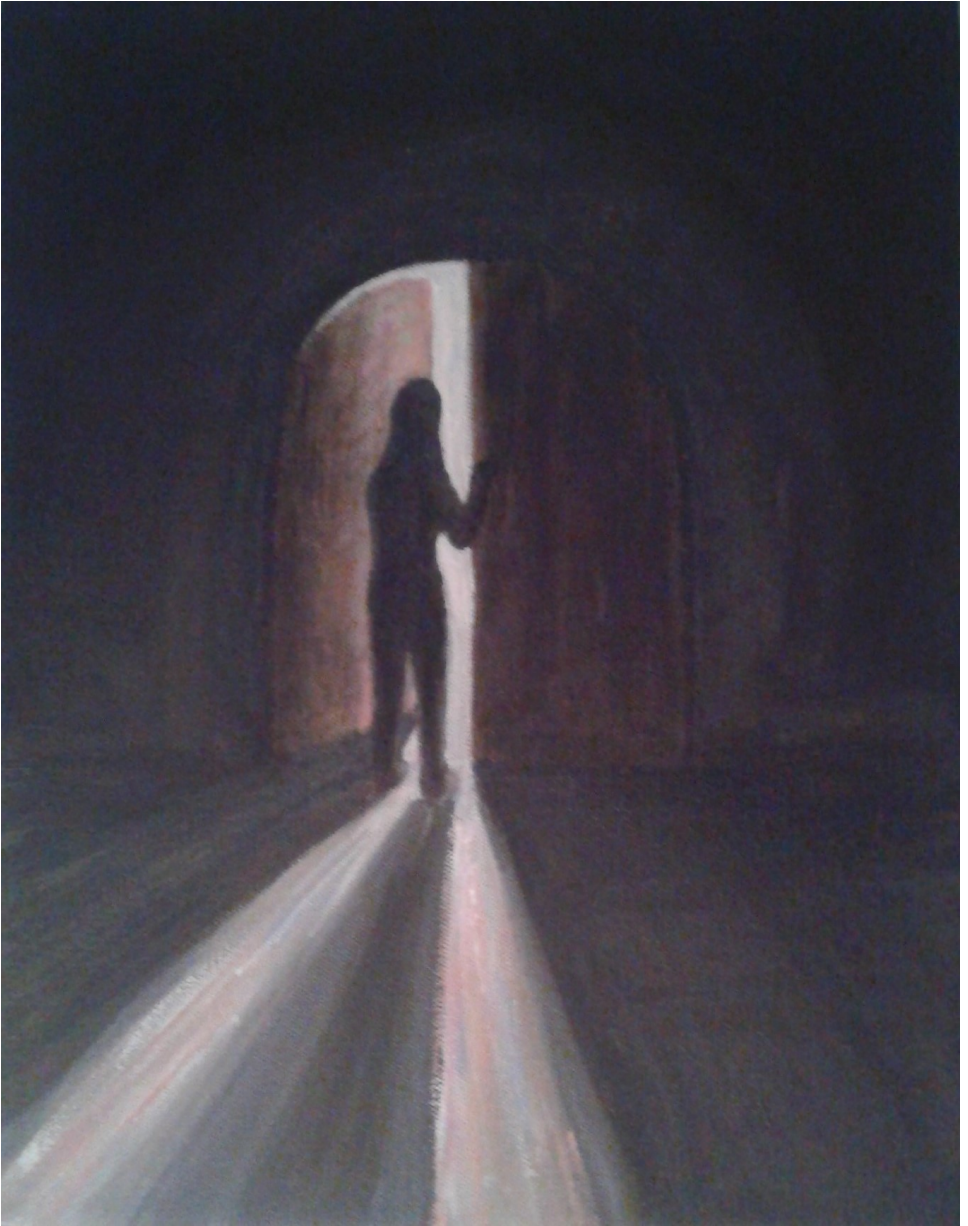






“The Fall of Justice” by Carolyn Greco





Elizabeth Williams



