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Artist Statement

Nature and animal totems are my guide and inspiration, and long rides on horseback for 50 years, now living on my ranch in southern Oregon. The lizard was one of the first animals to engage my attention. I'm particularly fond of the "detachable" tail--live to fight another day. Another interesting fact is that much as a "school" is a "school of fish," a "lizard lounge" refers to a gathering of lizards. A client Googled that for me at a show. We didn't know it til then.