**OPEN CALL TO ARTISTS  
Postcard Art Show in support of the Children of Aleppo**

In response to the overwhelming sentiments toward the horrific news and video surfacing around the atrocities in Aleppo, particularly in regard to the children affected, I would like to initialize an open call for artists from around the world to respond.

The intention of this call is to allow visual artists an outlet to express themselves around the Syrian crisis and to raise awareness and funds to aid in the effort to provide Syrian children emergency care, food and water..

As an artist myself and considering the reactions by other artists to this tragedy, I felt that this call to action might be a way to give voice to the community in order to raise awareness and hopefully have the potential to heal in some way. Additionally any sales or donations will go toward the Save the Children Syrian Children's Relief Fund.

[Donate to the Syrian Children's Relief Fund](https://secure.savethechildren.org/site/c.8rKLIXMGIpI4E/b.7998763/k.FEA/Donate_to_the_Syria_Children_in_Crisis_Fund/apps/ka/sd/donor.asp?msource=wexgpsyrs012&gclid=CKTLncGrhdECFdWPswodsF4H2w)

**WHAT YOU CAN DO!**

\*Create a piece of art on (A4 international size) post card size. It does not need to be on paper. Use your imagination in materials. If it’s the size of an A4 postcard and postage will stick to it and you can put an address on it, then we will accept it.( wood, metal, plexiglas etc…)

\*Write a short statement on the back. (optional) It can be about Aleppo or war or freedom or whatever moves you. Feel free to write a poem or a word etc... We leave it to your imagination.

\*Sign the back of the card and include your website and /or state or country  
\*Address the post card to ADD A P.O BOX or see if Catalyst wants them mailed to their address so it’s a perpetual advertisement for the buyer  
\*Place a stamp on the upper right corner on the back of the postcard

\*Do not place postcard in an envelope. We want the art itself to be mailed as a postcard with the postage stamp on it. That’s part of the fun of the show.   
\*Try to use a stamp that reflects your country or is interesting.

**WHAT YOU GET FOR YOUR POSTCARD DONATION**

\*Firstly you will feel good for helping the children of Aleppo.

\*Your work will be displayed at Catalyst Gallery in the Art City of Beacon, NY for our fundraiser event.

\*100% of funds will go to the fill in relief organization here

\*We will photograph your postcard and include it along with your name and website in a book we will put together on Blurb. The sale of the books will also directly benefit (place the relief fund name here).  
\*Unsold artwork will remain in a flat file at Catalyst Gallery for (fill in time here)

**DEADLINE FOR RECEIVING POSTCARDS and IMPORTANT DATES**

(Fill in dates for receiving work here)

(Fill in dates for event here)

(Fill in dates for panel discussion here)

For more information go to (Place websites here)  
For questions please contact (fill in your email and or mine here)

If you don’t want to participate as an artist but you still want to donate please go to (Fill in Donation site here)