

Just let go - and fall like a little waterfall. Pretend you're water. Just floating without any effort. Having a good day. We need a shadow side and a highlight side. If we're going to have animals around we all have to be concerned about them and take care of them.

By now you should be quite happy about what's happening here. We're not trying to teach you a thing to copy. We're just here to teach you a technique, then let you loose into the world. Play with the angles. At home you have unlimited time. And maybe a little bush lives there. This is your creation - and it's just as unique and special as you are.

You can't have light without dark. You can't know happiness unless you've known sorrow. This painting comes right out of your heart. This is unplanned it really just happens. It's important to me that you're happy.

I can't think of anything more rewarding than being able to express yourself to others through painting. The man who does the best job is the one who is happy at his job. Every highlight needs it's own personal shadow. All kinds of happy little splashes. We'll put some happy little leaves here and there. And I will hypnotize that just a little bit.

Just pretend you are a whisper floating across a mountain. Trees grow in all kinds of ways. They're not all perfectly straight. Not every limb is perfect. It is a lot of fun. It's all a game of angles. I started painting as a hobby when I was little. I didn't know I had any talent. I believe talent is just a pursued interest. Anybody can do what I do. Mountains are so simple, they're hard.

Now we don't want him to get lonely, so we'll give him a little friend. This is a happy place, little squirrels live here and play. Just beat the devil out of it. A big strong tree needs big strong roots.

The very fact that you're aware of suffering is enough reason to be overjoyed that you're alive and can experience it. Very easy to work these to death. As trees get older they lose their chlorophyll. We'll take a little bit of Van Dyke Brown.