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RAISING AWARENESS THROUGH THE ART OF NATURE
and the nature of art

A traveling environmental awareness exhibit featuring the carved birds and animals of award winning wildlife artist *Jim Ramsdell*



a captivating exhibit

The OUR SHARED PLANET exhibit contains highly detailed life-size wood sculptures, set against lighted interpretive backdrops, beautiful photographs and quotes along with nature sounds and music – all designed to raise the viewer's consciousness and awareness. Sections of the exhibit feature endangered species and the fragile ecosystems which they inhabit, stressing the importance of their preservation.

the journey of a lifetime

The inspirational slideshow presentation "*A Journey Through Nature To Creativity*" accompanies the exhibit. Jim Ramsdell shares his story of transformation while living in Alaska, close to nature, and how this allowed him to discover his artistic gift hidden within. Jim also demonstrates the creative process behind these stunning, lifelike sculptures.



we're all yours

This unique and striking exhibit is ready to travel to a nature center, museum, gallery, or exhibit hall in your community. For more information, contact Jim Ramsdell at OUR SHARED PLANET. The exhibit pieces in entirety can be viewed on our website.

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"In the creation



of this exhibit I have tried to capture not only the individual creatures in their habitat, but the essence of each creature, **inviting the viewer to go deeper.** I hope to encourage people to look beyond the artwork and try to feel the spirit of these magnificent beings. The combination of sculptures, breathtaking photographs, inspirational quotes, and soothing music makes this exhibit unique.

It reaches visitors on many levels of the senses, allowing them to slow down and reflect on the importance of the natural world around us."

- ARTIST JIM RAMSDELL



sustainable

OUR SHARED PLANET'S message of good stewardship is reflected in our choice to use solar power as well as alternatively gathered and recycled wood in the creation of exhibit pieces. The OUR SHARED PLANET trailer – designed to transport the exhibit – also contains a unique component of our message of sustainability. The trailer houses Jim's **innovative solar powered workshop.** This feature also provides an interesting mobile classroom for tours and demonstrations at hosting venues.



versatile

The OUR SHARED PLANET exhibit is designed for display in any number of space configurations. We can utilize our portable gallery walls or we can conform to the layout of your particular venue.

To learn about hosting the exhibit, contact Jim Ramsdell at: jim@oursharedplanet.org

EXHIBIT ON DISPLAY ▶
Rotary Botanical Gardens in Janesville, WI (top) and in the rotunda of the Wisconsin State Capitol, Madison WI (bottom)



timeless

The pieces in the OUR SHARED PLANET exhibit speak to young and mature audiences alike. The combination of fine art and nature are the perfect tools to stimulate interaction between adults and children. Stories and descriptions of each animal and their habitat accompany each carving. Additional educational programs are available. See website for details.



A complete gallery of exhibit pieces is available on our website.

Carvings shown on this page
Top: "The Kingfisher and the Fisher Kings"
"Killer Whale (Orca)" in progress
Middle: Great Gray Owl in progress
Bottom: "Soaring Spirit" & "Reefers"

Carvings on reverse side
Top: "Two Can Save the Forest"
Middle Left: "Wolf Moon" & "Of the Ice"
Middle Right: "Phantom of the Northwoods"
Bottom: "Metamorphoses"



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