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Wedding Wishes



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Artist: Maria Ryan

Here's a cheer for the bride and groom,
From everyone around the room.
Let's celebrate your special day,
And happiness that's here to stay!

Wishing you the joy, prosperity, togetherness
and happy trails that only a marriage filled with
love can bring!

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War Paint



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Artists: Karlynn Keyes and Valor Lee

Powerful magic was passed on to a warrior during the application of war paint to a horse in preparation for a forthcoming battle, and the handprint symbol was believed to channel strength and energy to the wearer, as well as to intimidate enemies. Also, a woman who saw hand symbols on the horse of her warrior would be filled with pride because it meant that he had shown courage and dominance in battle, and feel safe knowing that she would be able to look to such a man for protection. "War Paint" was inspired by an archival photograph of a decorated war pony.

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Children's Prayers for the World

Artists: Karlynn Keyes and Valor Lee

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There could be no more important messengers of peace than children of many faiths, from all around the world. Their heartfelt prayers for compassion and caring remind us that sometimes, the biggest gifts come in the smallest packages. Prayers for the World is a tribute to those small voices that can be heard in the darkness, all around the world. They quietly remind us how important it is to love and respect each other.



Godspeed

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Artist: Tesha Hammonds

Created by an artist who is intimately familiar with racehorses because she owns one, *Godspeed* is more than a brilliant rendition of a jockey on a Thoroughbred whose tail and mane flag in the wind as they speed towards the winner's circle. Wearing checkered blinkers (symbolic of the checkered flag associated with a winner) and colorful silks (that identify the owner and carry a shamrock for good fortune), it is a lucky piece in its own right. The title comes from a term used when trainers send their riders out for a race, and wish them a safe journey and safe return. For those who believe in luck, it is a gift of hope for a prosperous journey through life.

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