

Holiday Catalog

Welcome, my friend! Come with me into the magical world of fiber art, where you'll find color, joy, sustainability, warmth, and comfort—yarns and fibers transformed into clothing and art through weaving. There are so many metaphors for how our lives are like a tapestry—and it's true—but there's nothing like having a *real* tapestry to help remind us of the beauty within and around us.

Each piece brings a story, a message and a gift. Just for you!



But first, a few important things.

Small Business Saturday & Open Studio Discounts

For these 2 special days please enjoy: FREE SHIPPING*

November 29 and December 6

***Shipping to contiguous US only.**

If you bought from me in the past calendar year there is also a special discount OF 15% OFF any one item. That code will already have been sent to you. Please use that code when you check out.

I hope to see you at the open studio! It will be a festive time with a *few special surprises*. Thank you so much for your support of my work!



8.5X11 Tapestry

Sunrise in the Garden

It is a feeling to savor. Isn't it?

I'm beginning with this tapestry because I love it so much, the purple clouds, the rainbow rays of light, the playful flowers across the bottom. The colors are animate, inviting, joyful. Rich in fibers and detail, it captures the sunrise and that total sense of expectation. Where I live I'm more apt to see a sunset than a sunrise (because of the way the house faces), but when I do see the sunrise, it's pure possibility. The sense of a fresh new day, the beauty of nature's palette, the hope of a rising energy. It's all in here. \$153

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/sunrise-in-the-garden/>



8 X10.5 Tapestry

Moonrise in the Garden

An enchantment...

Do you see the twinkle lights shining? Nearly every day I sing “Twinkle Twinkle Little Star,” to at least one of my little ones. And why? Because the magic of stars and moon never grows old. The companion piece to “Sunrise in the Garden,” this tapestry is an ode to that feeling that arises under the light of the full moon. How can we describe it? There’s a way, if we pause and breathe and notice, that it can transport us, totally out of the ordinary and into that an enchanting place.

\$153

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9X11 Tapestry

Isadora

You were wild once. Don't let them tame you. —Isadora Duncan

Can you imagine a better call to your fullest expression? We all want to be ourselves, our authentic selves, to move and dance through life from that place. This tapestry affirms your wild nature; but not the wild of chaos and unpredictability. This is the wild of freedom, clarity, purposefulness, action and integrity. This is the great leap of faith into the true you. *Isadora* has a crown of real flower petals. She's holding real dried flowers in her hand. The full two sentences are on the back side of the tapestry. A little life changing tapestry. \$195

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/isadora/>



7.5X12

Mary

There was a new voice. —Mary Oliver

There are times in our lives when we are reaching, truly reaching, for something higher. A higher peace, a higher understanding, a higher way of living. We sometimes think it will have to come from outside of us, but this new way forward comes from the “new voice.” Our voice. From one of her most powerful, beloved poems, “the stars began to burn/through the sheets of clouds,/and there was a new voice/which you slowly recognized as your own.” (From *The Journey*.) These words are on the back of the tapestry. It is such a powerful—and necessary reminder. \$185

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8.5X11 tapestry

Ellen

Yes, I will take you. —Ellen Bass

She walks close to the moon, the song of the hawk guiding her. She is filling her basket with flowers. She is pregnant with possibility. But she has known loss. She has known despair. She has known pain. She is the one who is hurting and still says to life, as poet Ellen Bass writes in *The Thing Is*, “Then you hold life like a face/between your palms, a plain face/no charming smile, no violet eyes/and you say, yes, I will take you/I will love you, again.” I have long loved that poem—for decades and the determination and willingness of the heart, though broken, that is willing to love again. This is a tapestry of such resilient love. \$185

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/ellen/>



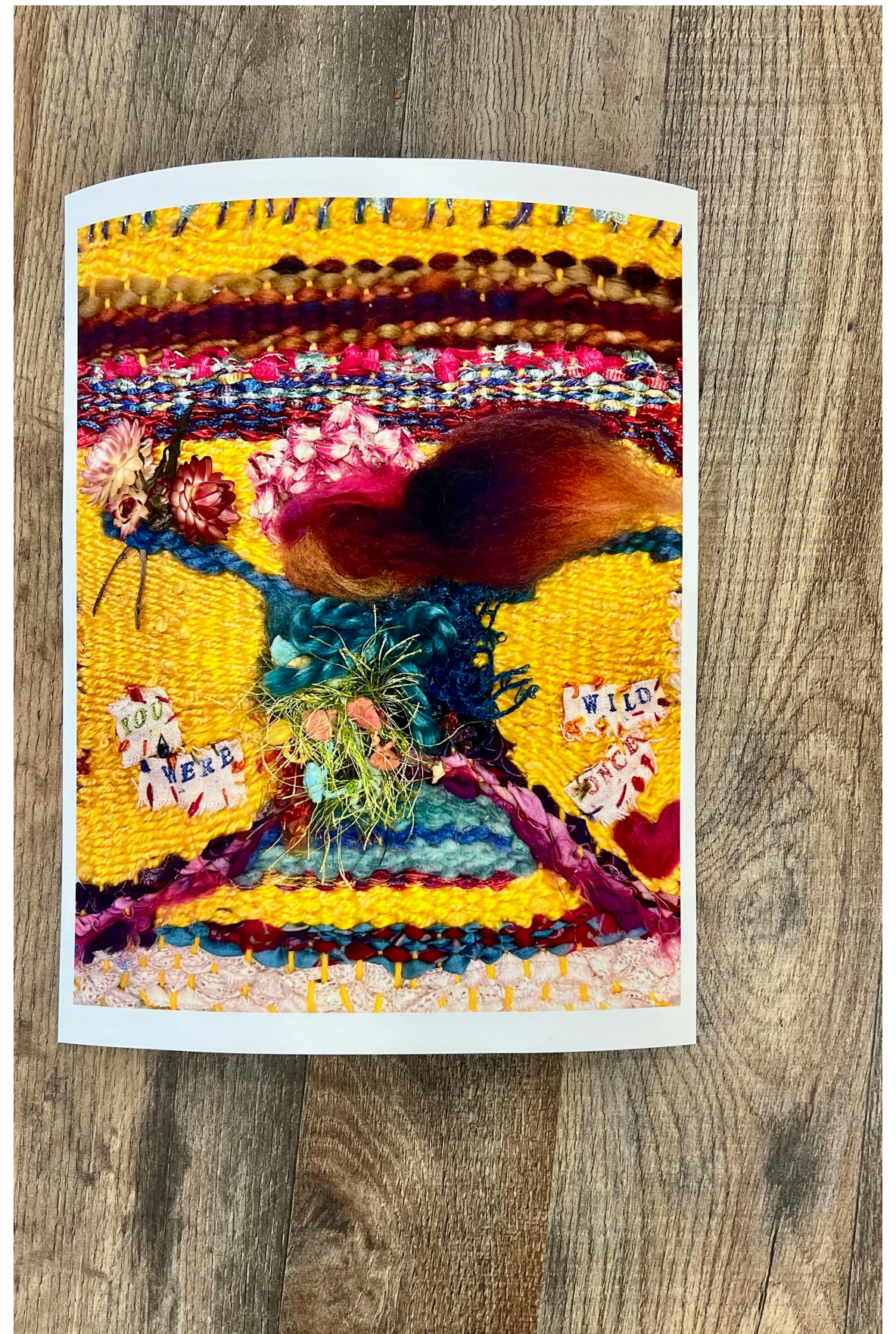
8X10 print

Isadora, Mary & Ellen Prints

Also available in different sizes

Do you have a friend who needs the wisdom and wonderfulness of these women's messages? I haven't made prints of my weaving before, yet these pieces called to come into a different form. Your art quality print can be matted and framed or used in any way that works for you. If an 8X10 doesn't seem right, perhaps a 5X7 would work. At any size, the message is big and powerful, essential words of guidance as we navigate our lives. **\$20 for each print.** If not an 8X10, write size requested in notes.

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/isadora-mary-or-ellen-print/>





Shanti, The Peace Goat

I loved our little Shanti goat so very, very much. You know how it is when some animals simply climb into your heart, nestle in, and never leave? Shanti was extremely unique. I named him Shanti (Sanskrit for *peace*) before I knew him or the depth of his gentle spirit. He had many health struggles and lived with us a few short months, but he had a wonderful life and made an impression on every person who met him. He truly was a messenger of peace.

And now, in the form of a little felted form, he carries that peace to you. Shanti is 100% felted; ages 5 and up please (for safety). He is a tiny treasure and he shares his greatest gift of present calm with each of you. About 3X2". \$48

Link to purchase (made to order): <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/shanti-the-peace-goat/>

12X19 Tapestry

The Mermaids

They come swimming together

I've never seen a mermaid and likely neither have you, and yet their presence continues on through generations. My five year old daughter certainly believes in them. There are so many stories and myths about mermaids. And you know what? They weren't on the original tapestry that I wove. Many, many moons later they swam into it. It was amazing because I *did not expect them*. It is just this kind of unexpected magic that they want to bring into your life and home. That is their special message—of unexpected good coming your way. \$165

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/the-mermaids/>





The Gray Lady, tapestry

I have been drawn to and weaving the ocean over and over again. It is simply the perfect marriage of flow of form and concept. This original tapestry did not have the Gray Lady form—though it was called “The Gray Lady.” That’s one of Nantucket Island’s nicknames. Then one day, the figure began to emerge as I picked up some felt and a felting needle. Now she rises out of the waters, spiraling from the waves, holding a spiral in her hands, a mystical reminder of the beauty and power of the ocean and its timeless healing presence. 21X20. \$175

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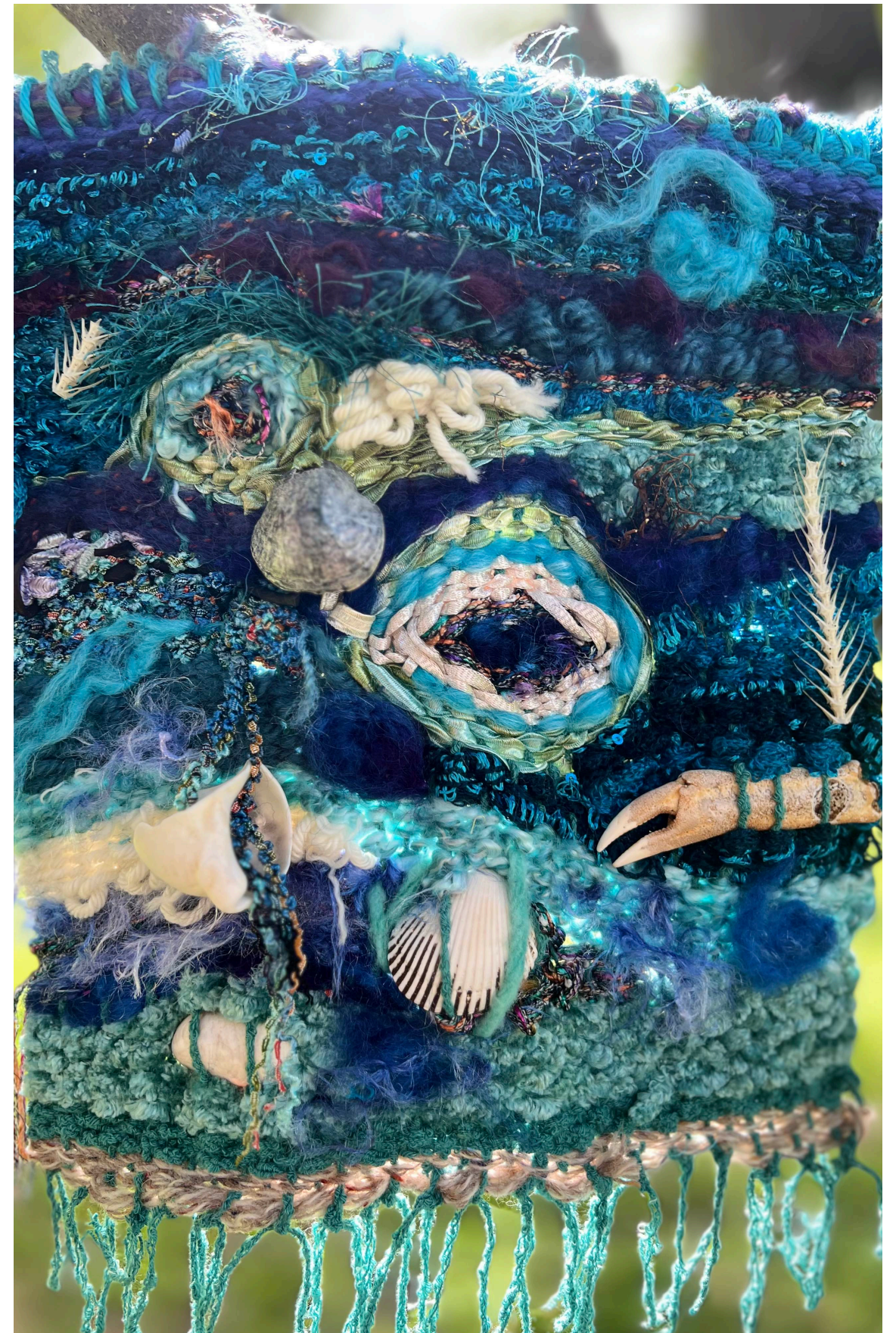
9X12.5 Tapestry

Nantucket Treasures

The gifts of the sea

On a gorgeous early morning on Nantucket, I took my two youngest daughters to the great, wide side of the Island, to listen to the crashing waves and collect the treasures of the sea. With bags in hand we meandered along the wrack line, picking up and examining all the marvelous finds. Shells, rope, sticks, seaweed, fish heads, we found it all and we truly marveled. Only the best went into our bags. Later, while on the island, I began to weave, weaving the feeling of that morning, weaving the feeling of the ocean, weaving the feeling of that sacred time under the summer sun, salt in the air, sand in our toes. 9X12.5. \$188

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/nantucket-blues-treasures-tapestry/>





The Wave Tapestry

Can I tell you something amazing about this tapestry? That wave really looks like a dragon to me, or a sea creature...and I kept tweaking it and working on its shape, and it still looked like that to me no matter what I did! Do you see it? Maybe you don't. Maybe you see something else. I'd love to know how this tapestry speaks to you. A setting sun over the sea, a wild wave ready to crash. A moment of peace and energy. 22X26 \$325

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/the-wave/>



Over and Around Us

Earth, air, fire and water

Truly a gorgeous, interesting and rich statement, this tapestry is an ode to the beauty of the world we live in. You may recognize the words from the hymn, “For the Beauty of the Earth.” Or you may know the chant about “earth, air, fire and water.” You.” You’ll find dried flowers, shells from Nantucket, and fiber of all kinds. Looking like four separate pieces it was all woven on one loom and is a song to oneness and in gratitude for the ever present gifts around us. \$575

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/over-and-around-us/>





The Darkness Hides Nothing

More than a dozen fibers
of light and spirit

This tapestry is more of an experience than the image can share. It has an incredible story of being lost on the way to California for a juried art show...and then being found. But even before that happened, it had a story about the light that is always present, about the rich darkness that is the same as light. It greets you with the energy of sun and life, a guiding light that never fails. It will fill your space with its special gift of ever present light. \$975

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/the-darkness-hides-nothing/>

14.5X37 Tapestry

How the light gets in

Bring the light of color into your home

Woven entirely from different kinds of plastic bags on a fabric warp, this piece of modern stained glass looks stunning in a window, or you could hang it on your wall where the colors of white, red, purple, gold, green, are still vibrant and inviting. This tapestry has been in my studio since I wove it and I love to watch the light come through it at different times of the day. It feels like a living changing landscape scene to me and a cherished reminder that our “trash” truly can become treasure.

\$175

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/how-the-light-gets-in/>



If you have not had the chance

to wear a handwoven shawl or wrap, it really **is different**. What I hear over and over from those who wear mine is that it feels *different*. It feels like a queen putting on her robe. Only there is also something sacred and sacramental about it. You wrap yourself up in fibers that have been lovingly, prayerfully, **magically** woven together. Maybe there is one for you....





Boho Patchwork Scarf

Yes! Everything about this scarf is a yes. A yes to life, a yes to joy, a yes to color, a yes to playfulness, a yes to elegance, and it was born from a yes.... I work with so many fabulous fabrics and these fabrics called to me to come together. The scarf is mostly silk with some cotton as well, in reds and blues, turquoise and a little touch of orange. It is a statement piece, perfect over any neutral color. You will not be able to wear this scarf without feeling the joy and the joy of *yes*.

7.5X84 inches long. \$87

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/boho-patchwork-scarf/>





10.5X77 Wrap

Natural Fiber Wrap

Delicious, lushly soft

I began with a bamboo warp on my Saori loom. Then I spent many days spinning a variety of gorgeous soft wools on my spinning wheel. My handspun yarn, including the luscious Angora, was woven onto the bamboo to make this completely natural fiber scarf. The feeling of this scarf and the weight of it are exquisite. I know I should not have favorites! But I really think I might. The cream, gray and browns are all naturally occurring (undyed) which contributes to the overall softness and suppleness of the wrap. Long enough and wide enough to be wrap, shawl or scarf. More photos on the website. \$225

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/natural-fiber-wrap/>

13X82 shawl

Autumn Blessings

Some pieces are just different...

Weaving for me is always a magical, alchemical process. But certain pieces are nearly otherworldly in the way they come into being, guiding me each step of the way. This shawl is one such piece. If you see the additional pictures online you'll be able to appreciate the rich and interesting variation in fiber and pattern that make it up. It's a wide, warm, and dense shawl, long enough to make a wonderful wrap, or to wrap yourself up inside. When you put it on, you *will* feel different. It's sort of like wearing a crown (I would guess!). It has nobility and the sacred woven into it.

\$225

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/autumn-blessings-shawl/>



8.5X76 scarf

Journey scarf

Elegant, sophisticated, with
subtle color

You know how they say life is a journey? Well, it especially is when we listen to the promptings of our intuition, when we let ourselves be guided by that still small voice within. I don't normally weave in grays and blacks! But a fiber farmer friend had spun the most delightful yarn from merino and silk and I wanted to weave with it! So the journey scarf was born. It's woven on a cotton warp with handspun yarn, including some of my own, and the every so playful subtle waves of color woven throughout. A long scarf, easy to wrap, it is soft, warm, and would look good with nearly any combination of colors and clothes. More photos on website. \$148

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/journey-scarf/>





Boho Purple "Life is Art" Scarf

An absolute invitation to come and live your life as art, to express your authentic self, to be both playful and beautiful, unique and original. I was very inspired by some fellow fiber artists in making this piece. I spun (plied) a number of different yarns together to make a the yarn for the weft. You'll see two silver threads coming amidst the black ones in the warp, a reminder to follow those sparkles in our lives, wherever they may lead.

9X77. \$148

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/boho-purple-life-is-art-scarf/>



10X109 wrap

A passion for purple wrap

Make the purple lover in your life happy!

Purple is my favorite color! And this piece really does it right. It's warm luxurious purple mohair fiber on a silky bamboo warp. This wrap is *light* and simultaneously, thanks to the mohair, warm as can be. It is also fabulously LONG. You can wrap it around many times, wear it long, wear it around your shoulders, use it as a scarf, or curl up inside it! You truly will feel like royalty wearing this piece (but you must like mohair! And be comfortable with wool.) \$235

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/a-passion-for-purple-scarf/>





The Grandmothers are here!

There is one just for you.

Sweet friends, wouldn't you like to sit down with that wonderful loving and wise grandmother? In so many traditions and cultures, dolls like these serve many different functions. Perhaps your own grandmother had one...a friend called them "magical beings," and I can't say I disagree. Call them sacred familiars, kitchen witches, magic dolls, little beings...I like to call them *the grandmothers* for they conjure for me that sense of wisdom, connection and nurturance of the wise-grandmother. You will see that each has a special message. (While they are 100% felt, 5 and older please to be safe.)



Grandmother Winter

Colorful and playful even on the darkest day

It is not too cold for her! This is the grandmother who will go out walking with you in any weather. She has on her little mittens and she's ready for adventure. She is bright in all seasons, warm with affection, round as an apple and full of love. She measures about 2.5X2". \$60

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Grandmother Spring

Full of earth and flower

Grandmother spring wears a crown of flowers. Her body is made of an earthy brown and green. Her lips, pink like her flowers, express a deep satisfaction. She rejoices in new beginnings, she watches over new growth, she plants new seeds and tends each flower with so much care. Have you been to her garden? 2.5X2" \$60 Link to purchase:

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Owl Grandmother

Wise and knowing

For years I've been visited by owls, each visit a kind of enchantment. I am fascinated with them and did not know I was making an owl grandmother when I began to felt her! She really came into being on her own, her wings beside her. She is both a grandmother and an owl being, possessing the wisdom and the clarity of sight. Perhaps she is guiding your way. 3.5X3". \$85

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/grandmother-owl/>

Grandmother Peace

A spirit of calm

Welcome to her little world. This Grandmother, maybe she lives in a little cottage in the woods. When you arrive, she serves you soup, a warm cup of tea. She sits in her rocker. The spirit of peace is everywhere around her. You sit together and listen to the gentle sounds of life in the woods. She doesn't even need to talk. Just being with her releases the worries you carry.

3X1.5" \$60

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/the-grandmothers/>



The Mother

She rocks and soothes

This motherly grandmother has a little one in her arms. She is the grandmother who will take you in her arms—no matter your age! She is full of affection and gentleness. She can rock a baby all night long. She is tender and patient. Sometimes you simply want to curl up in her lap and hear her stories of time gone by. Don't worry; she has time for you. She is never in a hurry. She always makes you feel she has all the time in the world. About 3"x3". \$85 Link to purchase:

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Grandmother Art

Come with her!

This spirited little grandmother is full of joy and color. She will take your hand and pull you along on an adventure. She knows what you look best in; she loves to spend time with you. She has stories to go with every outfit she's ever worn. Other grandmothers may try, but there's truly no one else like her. She brings the magic of colorful life well lived to you. 2.5 X3. \$60

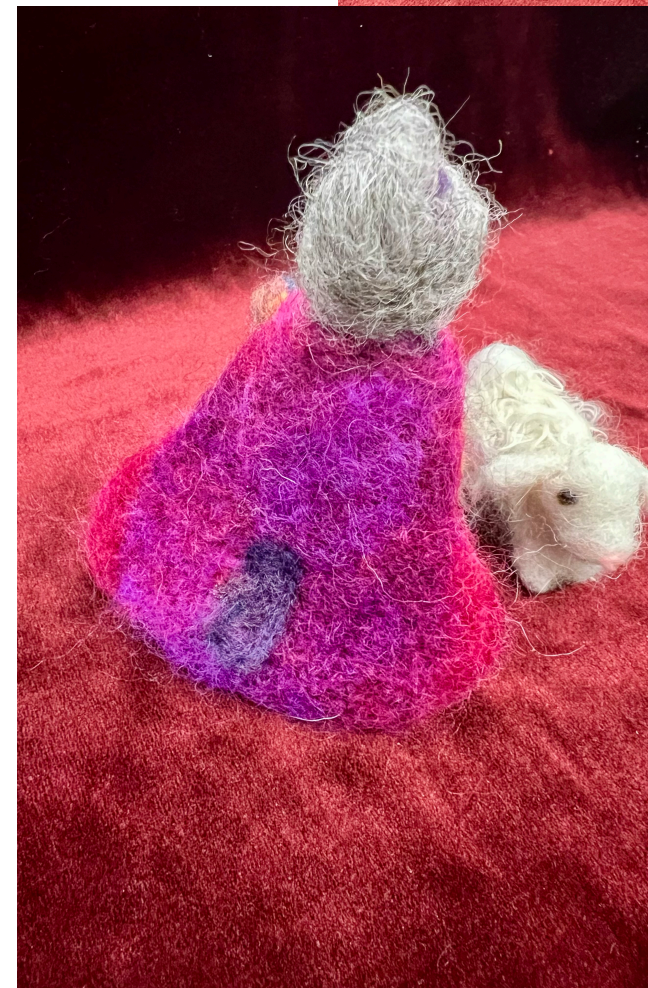
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The Shepherdess

She guides and protects

The Shepherdess guides and leads her flock. She watches over them, each one, with tender loving care. There are shepherdesses throughout times and cultures and many modern ones today who do the work and love of raising sheep so that we may continue to have and use and appreciate wool—in all its glory. This needle felted grandmother is about 4” by 3” and comes with a little Shanti sheep! \$95

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Little Grandma

Tiny and powerful!

She has a feather in her hat and a beat in her step. She is small but mighty. She always has a word of encouragement—and a voice that speaks her mind. Her wild hair flows out behind her and her spirit proceeds her. You may have had a grandmother just like this one, full of life and love. 2X1.5” \$52

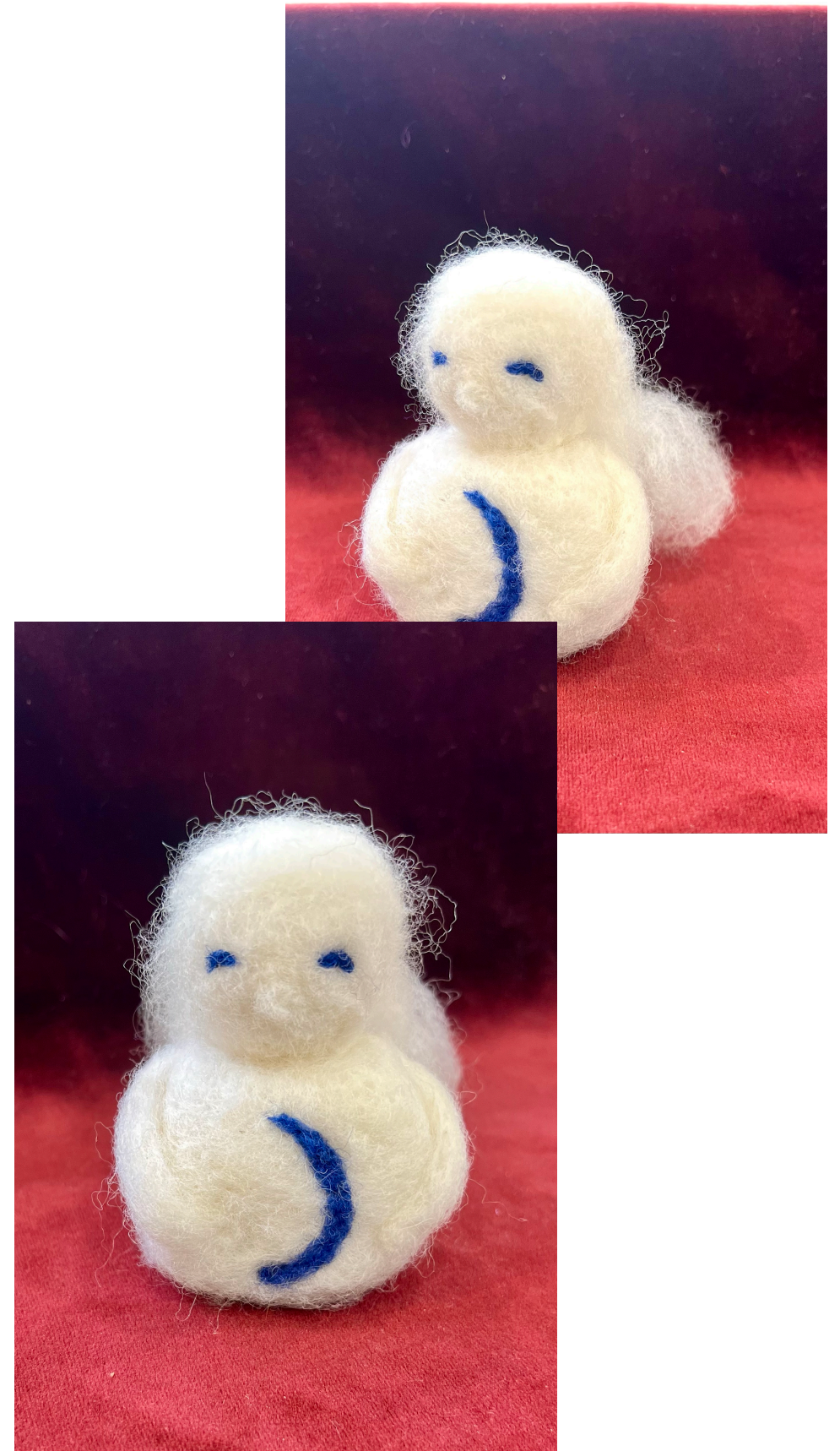
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The Moon

Shining down on you. Always.

Grandmother moon is as round as can be. Her body is the full moon and she wears the crescent moon on her belly. Her eyes are the half-moon. She is that “good round friend” always with us, always shining down on us. Content, peaceful, calm and centered, she expresses her gifts of fullness and change in everything she does. 3.5X3” \$85

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Angora Bunny Fiber

As soft as a cloud!

From our beautiful giant Angora, Honeydew, for spinners, felters and makers. The price is per ounce. Staples length varies somewhat, most is 2-3". Fiber is limited but fiber is also amazing! Clean and lovingly handsheared by me. \$10

Link to purchase: <https://thesamanthawilde.com/product/angora-bunny-fiber/>



Thank you!

Thank you for being here and supporting my fiber art work. It brings me joy to share with you! I am grateful for you and I know these pieces will bring you joy, comfort and a special message just for you because that's how they were made. With love, prayers, hope and joy.

