



Social Hieroglyphics

Daniel Worth

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By writing in stone in the digital age Daniel Worth is creating a physical record of how we communicate when most communication is electronic and ephemeral.

Most letter carving in stone is of a serious nature and it is the artist's intention to go against this tradition by focusing on ways we communicate via text using acronyms and emojis. This work specifically focuses on the less serious side of modern life. Additionally, stone is used to carry messages through time.

This exhibition shows how some of these works have been distributed and "installed" outdoors during the artist's time living in the UK so a record of our digital age may be rediscovered in the future by archaeologists, giving future generations a glimpse into our culture and way of life.





WTF

Marble and 24 carat gold leaf, wallpaper and artificial lawn
Dimensions variable, 2020



The Sign of Saint Wifi

Stone rubbing, crayon, and 24 carat gold leaf on paper
Edition of 6, 40 x 50 cm, 2019, \$80

The Sign of Saint Wifi, photo 'installed' in an undisclosed location
near York, UK





Peach Emoji (Pinnacle)

Carrara marble and 24 carat gold leaf
43 x 23.5 x 2 cm, 2020, \$600



Winking Emoji

Stone rubbing, crayon, and 24 carat gold leaf on paper
Edition of 4, 27 x 30 cm, 2019, \$40

Winking Emoji, photo, 'installed' in an undisclosed location near York, UK, 2019





Poo Emoji (Shit art)

Marble and 24 carat gold leaf
35.5 x 26 x 2 cm, 2020, \$600



Double Laugh Cry

Stone rubbing, crayon, and 24 carat gold leaf on paper
Edition of 5, 56 x 74 cm, 2019, \$120

Double Laugh Cry, photo, 'installed' in an undisclosed location
near York, UK, 2019





JOMO

Stone rubbing, crayon, and 24 carat gold leaf on paper
Edition of 5, 55 x 76 cm, 2019, \$120

JOMO, photo, 'installed' in an undisclosed location near York, UK,
2019





OMG

York stone
21 x 19 x 4.5 cm, 2018, NFS



Face Mask Emoji

Stone rubbing, crayon, and 24 carat gold leaf on paper
Edition of 4, 29.5 x 21 cm, 2020, \$140

Face Mask Emoji, photo, 'installed' in an undisclosed location in Melbourne CBD, 2020





Eggplant Emoji (contemporary phallic symbol)

Marble and 24 carat gold leaf
2020, \$600



LOL

Stone rubbing, crayon, and 24 carat gold leaf on paper
Edition of 4, 35.5 x 33 cm, 2019, \$60

LOL action photo from performance 'art installation' at an undisclosed location along the Thames in London, 2019





LOL Installation Performance

Video, duration 26 second loop



Stone Phone

Carrara marble
40 x 80 x 5 cm, 2020, \$3600



Stone rubbing table

Use the paper and the crayons provided to take a part of the show home with you

