

Title: Treasure Flower

Artist: Shelley O'Connor

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One Sentence about the piece: I am delighted when I find a flower growing in an unexpected place.

Artist Biography: Shelley O'Connor is a retired nurse and Virginia Tech graduate (class of 2016). She recently fell in love with metal working and has taken MIG welding classes. This has added to her creative abilities. She has pieces for sale in Gallery 527 in Scottsville, VA. She also enjoys weaving with fabric, beads and wire. Her creations are whimsical.

Artist Statement: I live on a farm where nothing is discarded. Outbuildings contain old, broken treasures, that are waiting for my imagination to come alive.