

Descriptions of Everett Ellenwood's Carvings

Lady Face

Head is 11 ½ inches high carved in basswood. Her eyes are inlaid with mahogany iris and ebony pupil. The mount is walnut wood.

Dog in point

Carving is 8 inches long and 3 ½ inches high made from one piece of butternut wood.

Decorative appliqué – Carving on fireplace mantel

This is a pierced relief appliqué carving 24 inches long carved from cherry wood. It is attached to the front of the fireplace mantel.

Butternut cat with glass eyes

Carving is 7 1/2 inches tall carved from butternut wood.

Old man

Carving is basswood 7 ½ inches high wearing a derby style flat cap. His eyes are inlaid with mahogany pupil and ebony wood pupil.

Jesus with praying hands

Carved from one piece of basswood which is 12 inches high. Mounted on a walnut base.

One Feather

Carved from butternut wood with walnut wood base. The feather was carved separately from butternut wood and inserted in the carving.

Rocking Horse

Carving is made from large, laminated butternut pieces and is 24 inches high to the top of its head.

Saddle, saddle blanket, breast piece and bridle are stained with Aniline dyes, then trimmed with gold paint. Finished carving is coated with 3 coats of clear water-based varnish.

Low Relief carving of iris flower

Wood relieved from around flower is no more than 1/8 inch deep at any point. Micro tools were used to carve the iris flower, then finished using artist oil paints. When the paint was dry a light spray of clear lacquer was applied.