

CARON ORY

CONTEMPORARY TEXTURED ABSTRACT ART



Broken Flower

ARTWORK DETAILS

ARTIST

Caron Ory

YEAR

2025

DIMENSIONS

13 x 13 x 1.5 inches, framed

MEDIA

Media: Plaster · Joint Compound · Marble Dust · Acrylic Paint ·
Acrylic Ink · Coffee · Varnish

PRICE

\$300.00

ABOUT THE WORK

Description: Explores the fragile boundary between beauty and rupture. Emerging from a textured, weathered surface, the fractured bloom appears both wounded and resilient, its cracked petals holding traces of warmth, memory, and survival. Earth-like tones evoke erosion and the passage of time, while subtle blushes of color suggest that even in brokenness, something living remains.

Inspiration: *Broken Flower* was inspired by an unexpected discovery during a rainy walk with my dog. Lying on the blacktop, surrounded by scattered brown grass, was a single orange poppy, its delicate petals slightly torn. I had never seen poppies growing in the park before, and after searching for others along my walk, I found none. There was something striking about this lone flower—its vivid color against the weathered pavement, its fragile beauty despite its damaged state. That fleeting encounter stayed with me and became the inspiration for this piece. Through layered textures, fractured forms, and earthy tones, I sought to capture the contrast between beauty and brokenness, and the quiet resilience of something that continues to hold its presence even when it has been damaged.