

“Got Milk”

This piece is a tribute to all those that enjoy a good glass of milk. Got Milk depicts actor William Boyd, who played the fictional cowboy, Hopalong Cassidy, saluting with a glass of milk. Boyd has ties to Oklahoma, having lived in Tulsa from 1909 to 1913.

In 1995, Boyd was inducted into the Western Performers Hall of Fame at the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

During the early 1950's, the Hopalong Cassidy persona helped promote milk sales much like the Got Milk? Advertisement, which started in 1993.

The Townley's Dairy logo in the background is a tie-in to Oklahoma City based Townley Milk. The abandoned dairy later became a local graffiti spot, which is why I chose a street art look for the piece.

Got Milk (Original: 36" x 24" Acrylic on Brick Panel)