

# The Faith and Work Page

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## Working in the arts

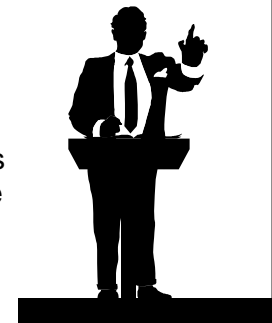
Many of the greatest works of art in our world have had as their subject some aspect of religious faith. Art has inspired people of faith in every generation, as well as providing the vehicles through which that faith is often expressed. The latest edition of ICF's newsletter recognises the ministry of those whose working lives engage this world of creativity.

**Creator God who made us in your image,  
Help us to release our creativity  
And to appreciate that gift in others.  
And as we fashion and form  
Help us to discover in that which we create,  
And in the process by which it is crafted  
Your true likeness within each of us.  
AMEN**

## A Faith at Work Moment . . . .

“Many years ago when I was first applying for management jobs, I was asked at an interview “What makes a good team?” I didn't know anything about Belbin or any of the other management wisdom on team-working but I knew what Paul had written in 1 Corinthians 12 about the church as the body of Christ. The fact that we all have different roles, the importance of each member playing their role, and the effect on the body if any of the parts don't play their part so I talked about the principles that Paul had written about. I don't know if the interviewers were impressed by my answer but I got the job so it obviously didn't do too much harm.”

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