

“...celebration, perseverance  
and strength.”



GUITAR PLAYER, welded silicon bronze,  
approximately 8' high

# Jim Bass

## Topeka, Kansas

When left to my own devices abstract figurative forms float easily to the surface.

This imagery seems the best way to express my interest in celebration, perseverance and strength.

Form is important, poetic spirit is important and connecting through communication is important.

### Professional Vita

Professional artist, 1960-present

### Selected Public Installations

NURTURING SPIRIT, Brewster Place Retirement Community, Topeka, Kansas, 2002  
BANNER TO DEDICATION, Bryan/LGH Medical Center, Lincoln, Nebraska, 2002  
HOMAGE TO COURAGE, Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center, Grand Island, Nebraska, 2001  
PRAIRIE IMAGE, Mulvane Art Museum Sculpture Court, Washburn University, Topeka, Kansas, 2000  
WIND OVER THE PRAIRIE, First Congregational Church, Topeka, Kansas, 1994

### Selected Collections

Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln  
Renisch Rose Garden, Topeka, Kansas  
Northeast Missouri State College, Kirksville, Missouri  
Leavenworth Mutual Savings Association, Kansas  
3M Company, St. Paul, Minnesota

### Education

BFA, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas, 1956

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