

CORONA (2014)

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For a small 5 x 7 painting this one really pops! The colors are vibrant and warm, which gives the viewer a real sense of the tropics. The flapping of the wings are depicted by the blurred feathers but the face is steady enough during flight to offer some nice details. I love to capture what a camera can't. A sudden moment like this wouldn't allow time to grab your camera much less time to focus.

Nothing says tropical like a colorful crimson macaw. As it flies overhead the sun burst a bright corona over its wing. This should be enough to make you want to kick back in a lounge chair by the pool and open a nice cold beverage, perhaps a bottle of Corona. I would add a slice of lime to mine.

