Dear Orphan Works,

As a professional artist, I am reliant on the current copyright laws to protect my livelihood. How can I possibly sustain my career when I am not allowed the undeniable right to own what I make. Having to register all of the art I produce with a private copyright office is insane and unreasonable to ask. No one has the right to steal my property! Posting a picture of my artwork online is not an invitation for anyone to use it freely, and the law should not be changed to pander to thieves and private organization which would like to benefit from work not their own.

It is hard enough for an artist to make a living, don’t make it even harder on us.

Sincerely Unhappy,

Molly Prawel