

# Young Warrior

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## **Tyler Kern**

### **About the artist:**

Tyler Kern is a third-year medical student at UCLA School of Medicine. "In my free time, I enjoy nature and wildlife photography."

### **About the artwork:**

"I took this photograph in Tanzania, East Africa, while volunteering at a medical clinic in a rural Maasai village. I would pass this young Maasai boy on my way to work each day. While his outward appearance was calm, cool and collected, I felt his eyes told a different story. I saw in them a battle between innocence, confidence, insecurity and curiosity—which is exactly how I felt as I began my third year of medical school, stepping onto the hospital wards."

### **Visuals editor:**

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