

Matthew Elston, Elizabeth, Colorado

Pottery



Matthew Elston was born in Leon, Iowa. His childhood was spent in the Pottery studio of his parents, Pahponee and Gregory Elston. His mother Pahponee, a member of the Kickapoo and Potawatomi Nations in Kansas and his father Gregory, a College trained Ceramist, were both influential from the very beginning.

Matthew and his family moved to Elizabeth, Colorado when he was 14 years old. His pottery knowledge continued to grow as he worked for and traveled with his family, as they operated their Pottery business.

Computer Science was also one of his majors in High School and College. He has worked for the past 16 years in the Computer Science related field throughout the Denver area. Presently, Matthew works full-time with a large Healthcare Company and is married with three young sons of his own.

Matthew has recently begun to re-focus his creative talent and skills toward new Pottery forms, both traditional and contemporary. His Pottery Studio is located in Centennial Colorado, where he continues to create his own unique style of Ceramics. He is dedicated to testing his mind and body in this age-old medium of art. Eventually, Matthew will teach and pass on his knowledge to his own sons, just as it was taught and passed on to him from his parents.

