# Big Blue BY ROLAND ST JOHN



**ART** 

**JEWELRY** 

HOME DECOR

**CONSERVATION** 

2019

" It's an Ocean Thing"

#### Sterling Pendants





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Pendants Shown with optional Chains

### "Seaplicity" Collection





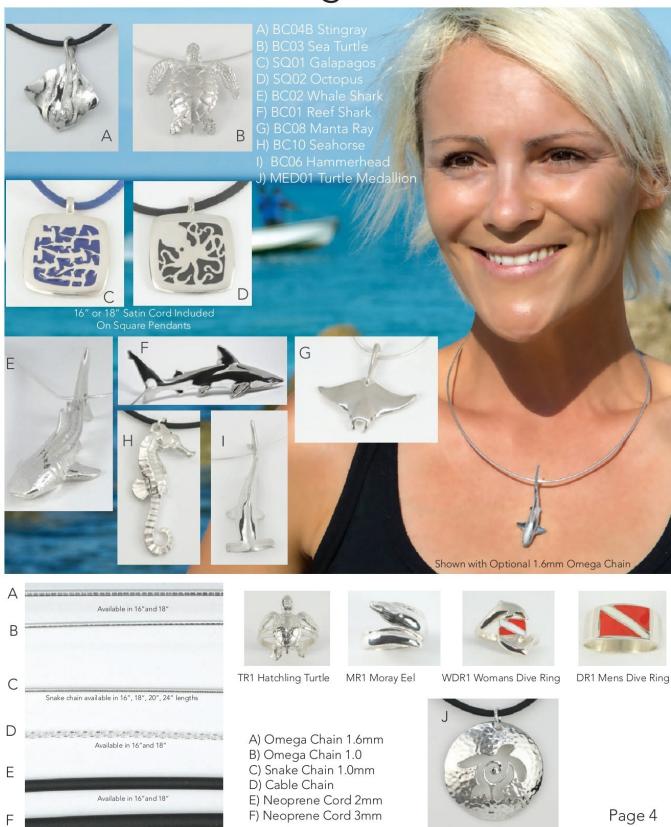
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# Sterling Silver Ocean In Motion Collection



## Sterling Silver



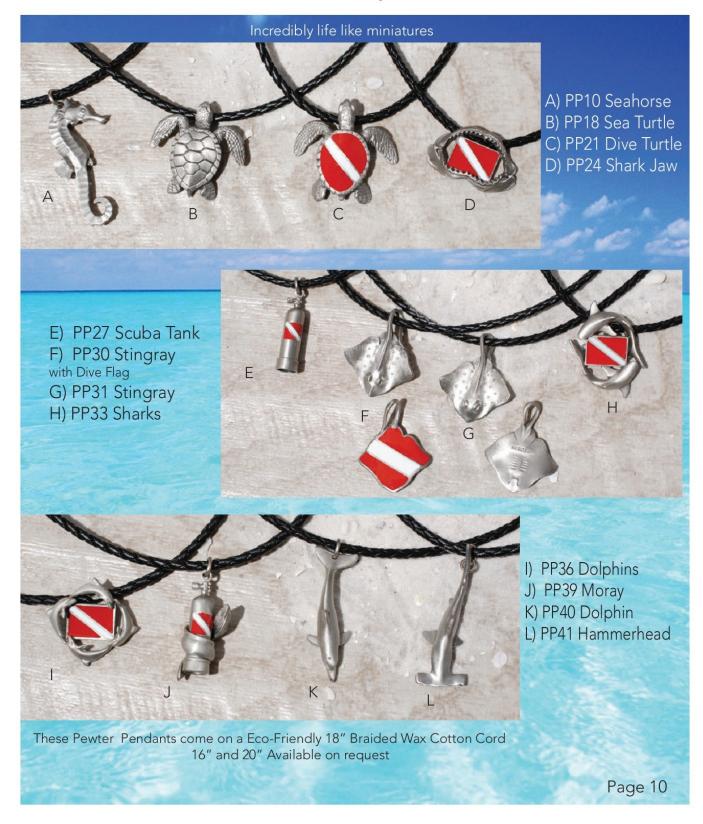
#### Pewter Pendants

Contemporary Styles

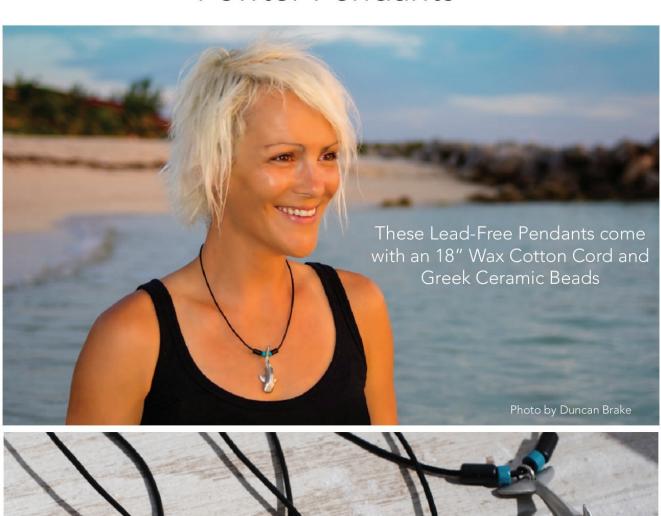


#### Pewter Pendants

Realistic Styles



#### **Pewter Pendants**





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### Pewter Key Chains

Realistic & Highly Detailed



#### Jillian Morris Brake



The goal of Sharks4Kids is to create the next generation of shark advocates through education, outreach and adventure. The team brings together scientists, educators, conservationists and professional videographers to create a unique opportunity for the next generation to learn why sharks need kids and kids need sharks.

Using a dynamic range of educational materials and experiences, Sharks4Kids is changing fear to fascination. Free curriculum, activities, videos and more are available to download from the website. From Nov 2013 to December 2017, Shark4Kids spoke to over 75, 000 students in classrooms from 44 different countries. They have run in person education programs in 11 countries including St. Maarten, The Bahamas, Guatemala and Singapore. They also offer hands on experiences for students including shark and ray field trips as well as participation in shark tagging expeditions.

Kids can make a difference and Sharks4Kids was founded to inspire and empower students from around the world to be ambassadors for sharks and the oceans. By supporting Sharks4Kids, you are providing students with access to educational materials as well as incredible opportunities to see sharks up close and to study them.

Best Fishes, Jillian

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Jillian Morris Founder & Preside Sharks4Kids

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#### THE ARTIST BEHIND

#### Big Blue ROLAND ST JOHN



Born in Massachusetts in 1965 Roland St. John has always had a passion for nature since childhood. With over twelve hundred dives and a experienced underwater videographer for over 30 years, Roland has filmed some of the most spectacular marine life around the world.

Using the footage for reference while sculpting enables him to create incredibly detailed and life-like work.

The footage also enables Roland to capture the animals in motion which helps him to sculpt realistic as well as his contemporary works of art. His passion for our Oceans has led him to use his art to help create awareness and become involved in protecting threatened species around the world.

Roland created Big Blue in 1997 and now offers over 250 different styles including Jewelry, Bronze Sculptures and Home Decor, Made in the USA.

Roland is on the Board of directors for Save Our Leatherback Operation (SOLO), Founded by Larry McKenna to help save the critically endangered Pacific Leatherback sea turtles.

In the past he has worked with The Sea Shepherds Conservation Society creating and donating art in the past to help Canadian seals, dolphins, whales, sharks, turtles and other marine life.



Roland with his wife Sandy Filming Blue and Mako Sharks

Roland has worked with Shark Angels Founder, Julie Andersen and Director of Operations, Jamie Pollack and their mission to educate worldwide and ban the sale and distribution of shark fin products.

In 2009 Roland St. John was inducted into the Ocean Artist Society Founded by Wyland, Guy Harvey and Bob Talbot. Uniting Artists to inspire people around the world to help preserve our natural world.



Recently, Roland is teaming up with our featured conservationist Jillian Morris Brake, Founder and President of Sharks4Kids promoting shark awareness through childrens classrooms globally

"We need to educate and connect people with nature so they can truly appreciate it. Only then will they begin to help protect it."

- Roland St. John

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