

This is a photograph of the City Market in Charleston, South Carolina.

Welcome to the Charleston City Market, one of the nation's oldest public markets and the cultural heart of Charleston. We are home to more than 300 vibrant entrepreneurs, and we are open every day of the year except December 25th. No matter what time of day or season you plan to visit, there is something to see, do, taste, and take home as a souvenir from the Charleston City Market!

<http://www.thecharlestoncitymarket.com/main/explore-the-market>

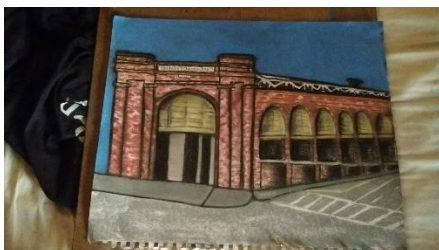


The [City Market](#) is what was called the “Slaves’ Market,” not the “Slaves Market.” That apostrophe makes all the difference in the world! While a shocking number of humans were sold into slavery in Charleston (a very dark period in the City’s history), they were *not* sold at what is now called the City Market. The Slaves’ Market (note the apostrophe) was actually where the slaves were allowed to go and sell things (items they made, cooked, created) for their own benefit.

The bad history of selling slaves took place at the [Slave Mart](#) and other locations.

<http://glimpsesofcharleston.com/whats-the-deal-with-the-city-market-were-slaves-sold-there-or-not/>

This is a picture Lennon took of his drawing of the city market. Occasionally, Lennon can raise the sixty to a hundred dollars to get a day-table in the city market to display and promote his work. Usually, that kind of money has already been spent on the kids.



This means that Lennon Broomfield of Charleston, South Carolina has actually gone backward in time: He can’t even afford to display his art in the very same building his slave-being ancestors displayed theirs.

Lennon Broomfield is an artist living with his wife and four children in Charleston, South Carolina.

Lennon and his family are homeless, a Motel 6 room for the night is luxury.

Sleep under the bridge, then get to school.

Your purchase of this beautifully framed photograph of Lennon's "City Market" will help fund his efforts to obtain for his family a home.

Please follow Lennon Broomfield's story at our website, www.carteblox.com