The Artist Statement — Fall Mallard

Ernie Scoles

It’s an image of a childhood memory when I would be sitting by the river in Northern Manitoba. I started hunting and trapping when I was 12 years old and continued until the age of 16, when I moved to Winnipeg from Thompson, Manitoba. I am part of the Sixties Scoop and was adopted at the age of 2 after being in six foster homes.