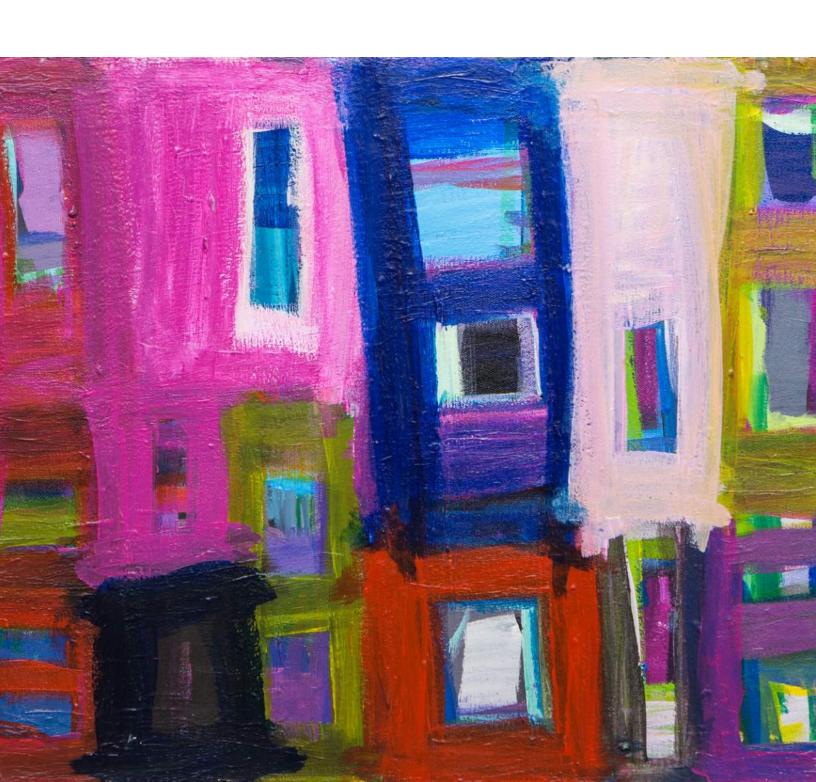
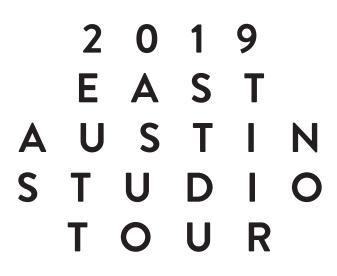
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2019 EAST AUSTIN STUDIO TOUR



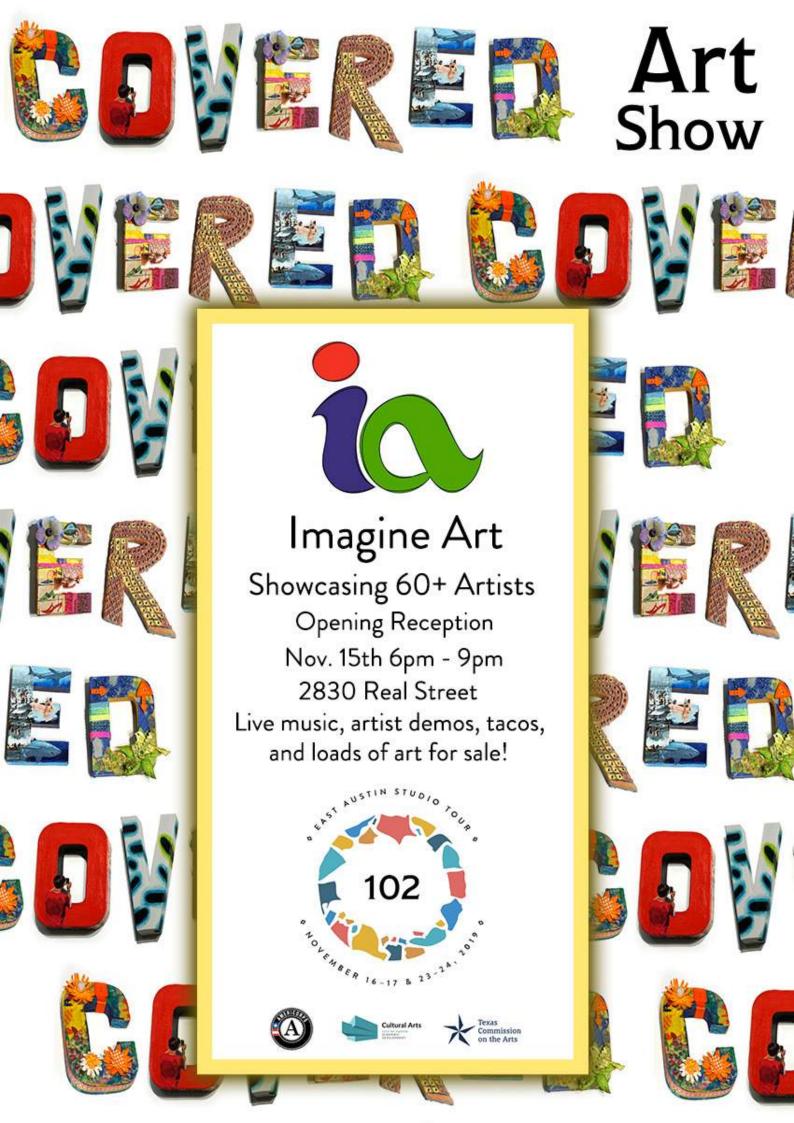


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Exhibition Curated by Jules Johnston, Leah Danze, & Taylor Heagler

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Is a word that means different things.

Imagine Art celebrates its 10th year as a featured studio in the EAST Austin Studio Tour. Our community recognizes that this 10th year may also be our last year in EAST, or at least in this place that has become "Real" (i.e. street) to us. Months ago, a handful of us were sitting on the porch when Kati Hammond, one of our Art Directors, simply said, "I've been thinking about COVERED, as a show theme for EAST. I see art in a salon style covering the walls".

Vision. That was all we needed to move forward.

This exhibition is a culmination of many labors. AmeriCorps Members joined us – as laborers - in September of 2019. Their entry into our community was a submersion - into our culture, our beauty, our mess, our tasks and our daily life. We happily integrated their 'being with us'. In return, we COVERED them with our acceptance and our gratitude, as well as our challenges and our duties. Much of the work that covers the walls this EAST is new work. Many of the artists that are featured are also new artists in our community and EAST is their debut exhibition. The presence of our AmeriCorps Members has made our labor lighter and has extended our capacity to pull off this 10th year of EAST.

The walls are COVERED with the stories of our artists. For some, this story-telling style is their only method of communication. The colors, textures and shapes represent words, feelings, memories and experiences. Our community is rich with personal story. Woven together, these individual expressions tell a greater story – a story of a community place where a people are being transformed for the Glory of God.



A story where we are indeed COVERED by a presence that is greater than ourselves. This community has, perhaps, been COVERED to the point of being hidden in the world. Our formation, as a community, has benefited from that hidden state. That hiddenness has given us the time and space that we needed to discover our own identity. We, as a people of Imagine Art, are more than a free, public art studio. We are more than a makers community that offers a public gallery, affordable space rental and a hot lunch. We are called to be change agents. We are called to prepare for something new that is coming. We are Catalyst in a system that begs for change. Despite being the least likely to succeed we have become leaders – place makers and change agents. Knowledge of our identity gives us the strength to walk in the vision of our calling.

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This statement is not complete without acknowledging the connections between place, presence and people. We are a people who are COVERED. We are COVERED under a special anointing. We are wearing a collective Mantle for such a time as this. As a people, we are invited into a greater story, one that happens beyond the walls of Real Street. It is a story that grafts others in to our community to be COVERED with us. We prepare to move forward from this hidden and COVERED place into an unknown, new path. We are a people who are preparing to pioneer into a new chapter. We have not read the last pages of this story. We have just enough light to see the path that is straight under our feet. We are COVERED in grace as we proceed in faith.







LIST OF ARTISTS

Amanda Lee

Ana Maxwell

Arnica Grace

Baldemar Dominguez

Billy Buss

Blookat

Cameron Erb

Carmel Avila-Green

Carol Gonzales

Christina Green-Martinez

Christopher Schroeder

Chrystal Erie

David Carrales

Debbie Kizer

Dennis Williams

Derrick Morris

Diondre Holland

Ebony Young

Elana Connor

Eli Davis

Erin Rosales

Evan Horn

Gabby Duran

Hannah Lemerise

Janelle Culpepper

Janelle Culpepper & Justin Carr













LIST OF ARTISTS

Jesus Polanco

John Molina

Jonna Jackson

Juliana Johnston

Junior Dominguez

Kat Cunningham

Kathi Herrin

Kelly Reider

Kelsey Haase

Larry Yanez

Leah Danze

Mark Lit

Meredith Hemphill

Molly Coleen Hale

Nancy Doyle

Nancy West

Owen Moon

Ramin Mandavi

Richmond Freeman

Rodney Morgan

Ryan Nunn

Shon Parker

Steven Fischer

Taylor Heagler

Tony Hyden

Yoab Cabrera







CARMEL AVILA-GREEN



BLOOKAT



BILLY BUSS



Frankenstein Sock Monkey by Billy Buss Acrylic on Canvas, 16 in x 20 in (\$160)

YOAB CABRERA



DAVID CARRALES









ELANA CONNOR

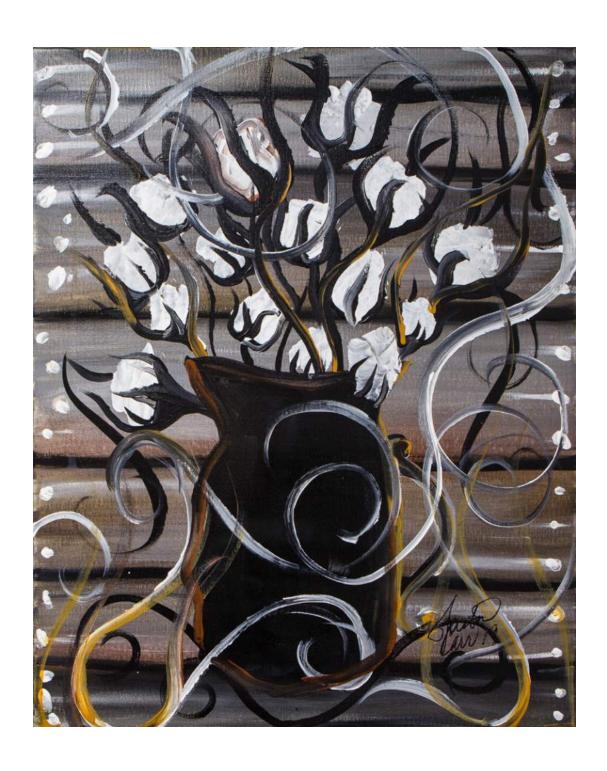




JANELLE CULPEPPER



JANELLE CULPEPPER & JUSTIN CARR

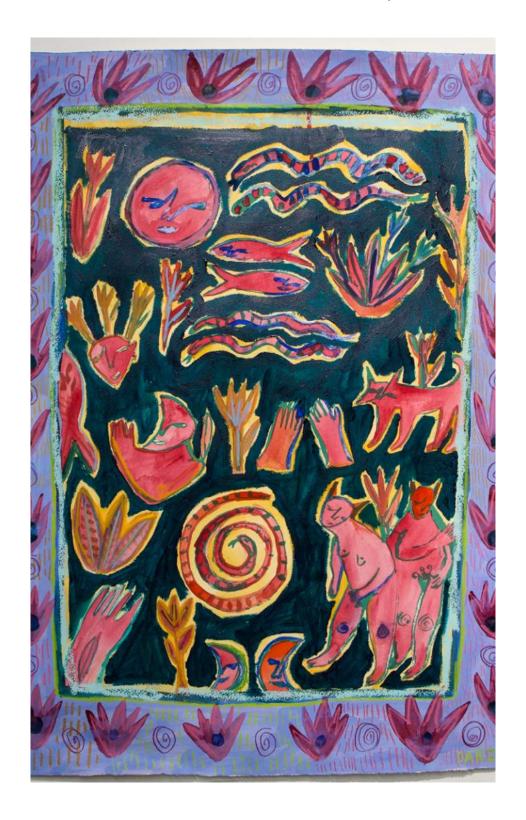


Untitled by Janelle Culpepper and Justin Carr Mixed Media on Canvas, 16 in x 20 in (\$250)

KAT CUNNINGHAM



LEAH DANZE



ELI DAVIS



Faith by Eli Davis Ceramic, 5 in x 8 in x 0.5 in (\$75)

BALDEMAR DOMINGUEZ



JUNIOR DOMINGUEZ



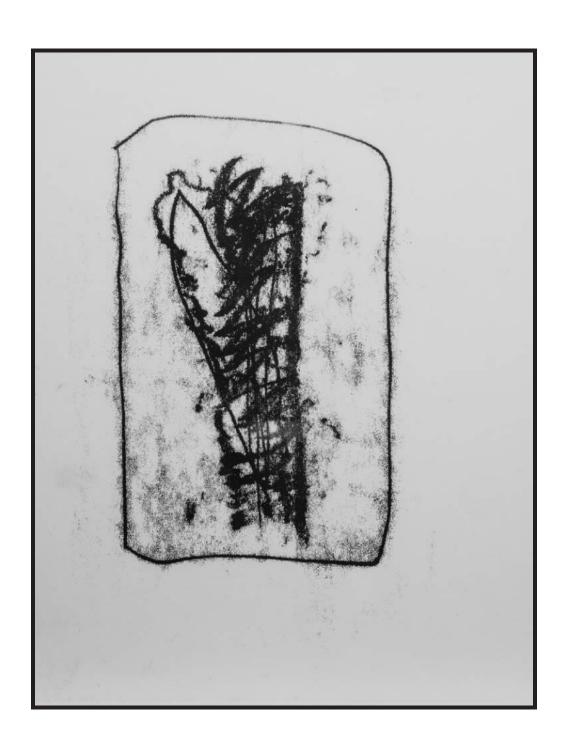
NANCY DOYLE



GABBY DURAN



CAMERON ERB



CHRYSTAL ERIE



STEVEN FISCHER



RICHMOND FREEMAN



CAROL GONZALES



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CHRISTINA GREEN-MARTINEZ



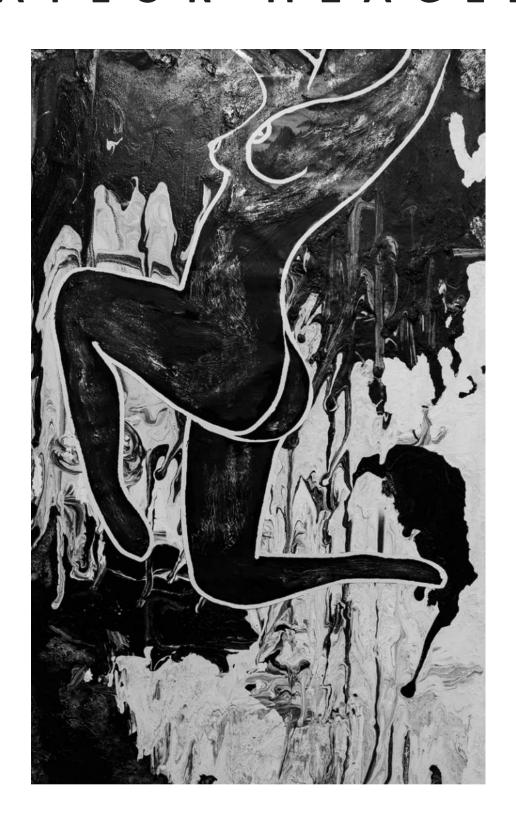
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MOLLY COLEEN HALE



TAYLOR HEAGLER



M E R E D I T H H E M P H I L L



KATHI HERRIN



DIONDRE HOLLAND



EVAN



HORN



TONY HYDEN



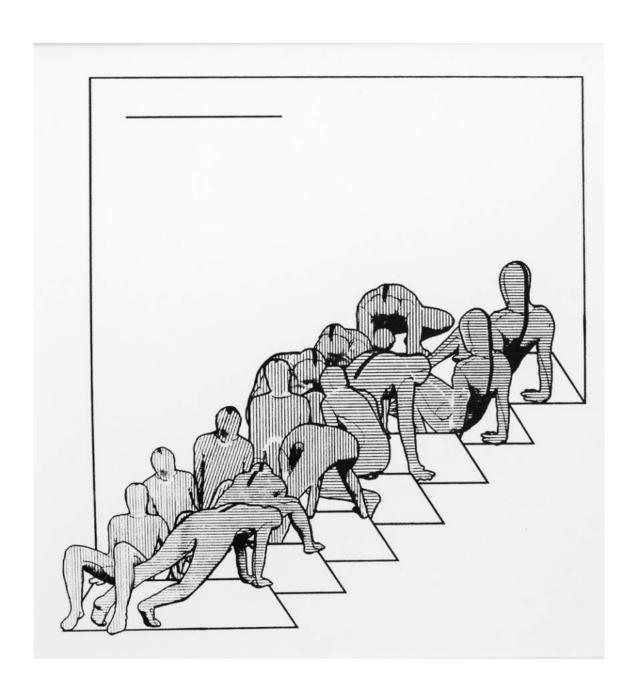
One Pear by Tony Hyden Acylic on Watercolor Paper, 8 in x 10 in, Framed (\$60)

JONNA JACKSON



Jubilee by Jonna Jackson Mixed Media on Canvas, 24 in x 36 in (\$1,125)

JULIANA JOHNSTON



D E B B I E K I Z E R



Living Water by Debbie Kizer Acrylic on Canvas, 36 in x 36 in (\$550)

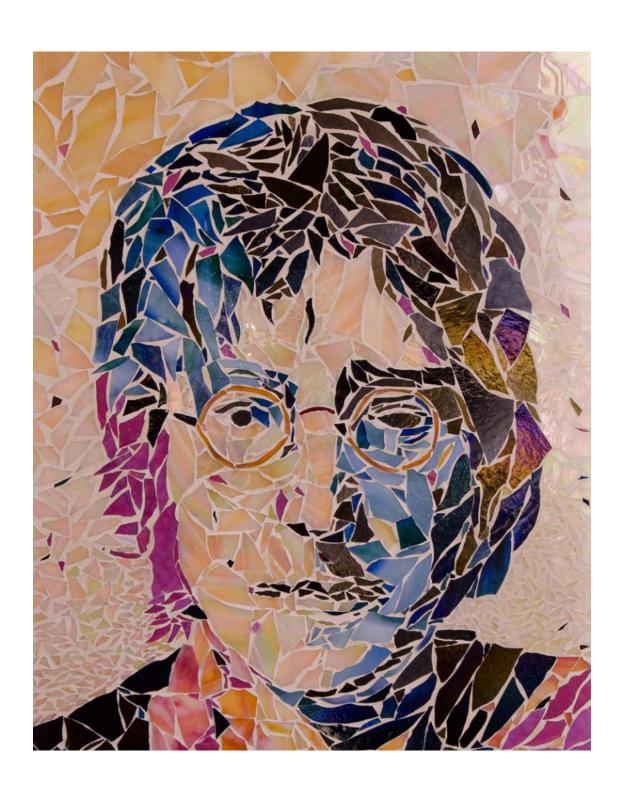
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HANNAH LEMERISE



MARK LIT



RAMIN MANDAVI



ANA MAXWELL



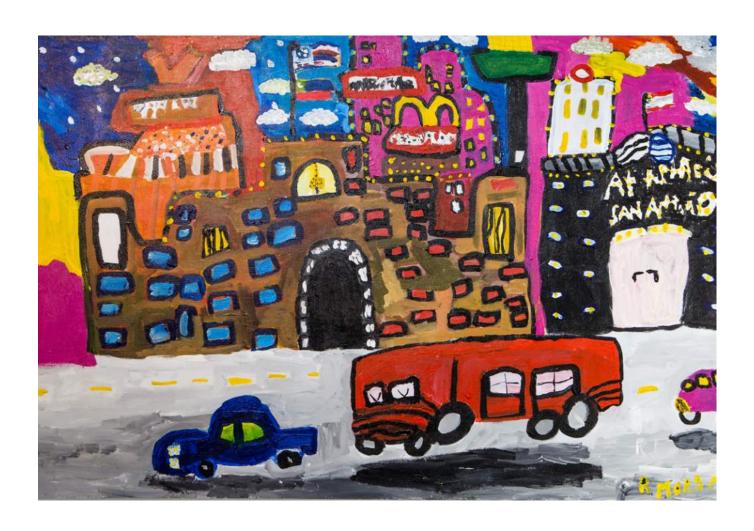
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DERRICK MORRIS

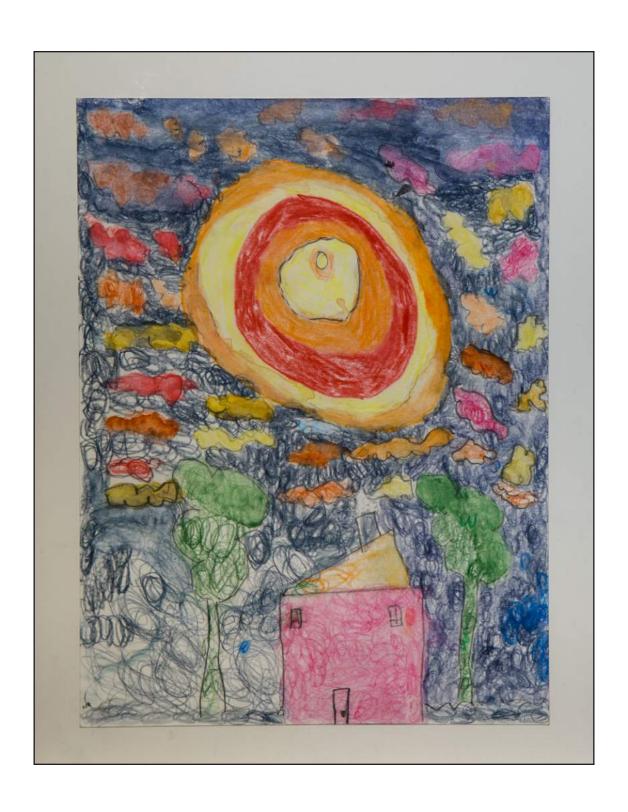




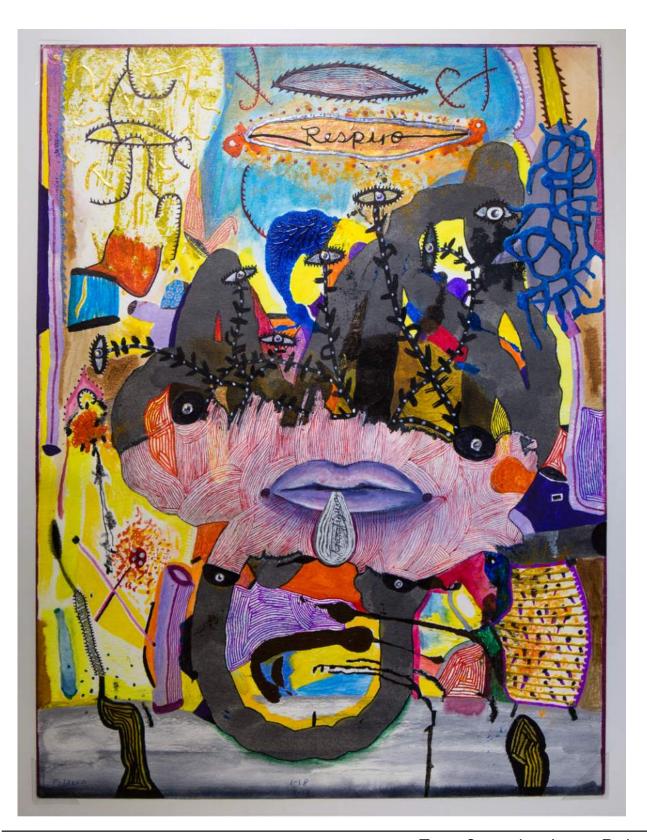
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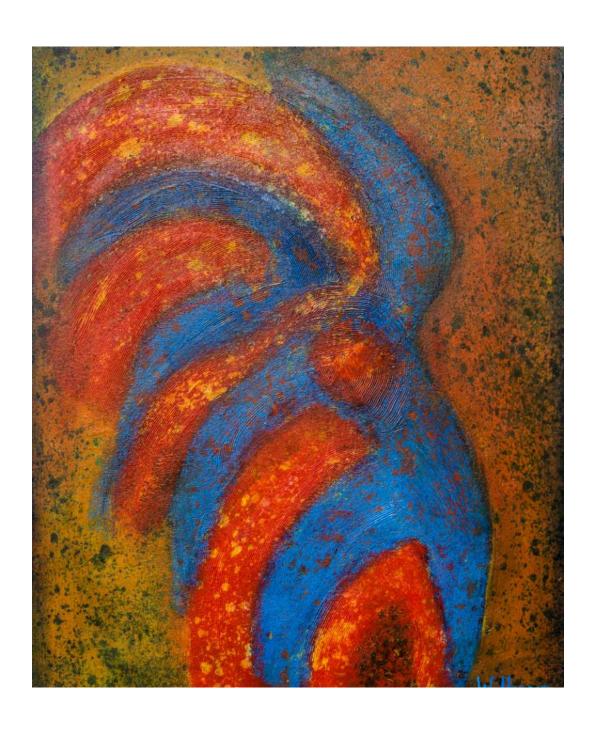
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DENNIS WILLIAMS



LARRY YANEZ



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