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Please see pages 2 to 6 for bidder information including Conditions of Sale, after-sale collection and shipment.

## Illustrations

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# CONDITIONS OF SALE

The following Conditions of Sale, as amended by any published or posted notices or verbal announcements during the sale, constitute the entire terms and conditions on which property listed in the catalog shall be offered for sale or sold by Bonhams & Butterfields Auctioneers Corp. and any consignor of such property for whom we act as agent. If live online bidding is available for the subject auction, additional terms and conditions of sale relating to online bidding will apply; see <u>www.bonhams.com/WebTerms</u> for the supplemental terms. As used herein, "Bonhams," "we" and "us" refer to Bonhams & Butterfields Auctioneers Corp.

1. As used herein, the term "bid price" means the price at which a lot is successfully knocked down to the purchaser. The term "purchase price" means the aggregate of (a) the bid price, (b) a PREMIUM retained by us and payable by the purchaser EQUAL TO 25% OF THE FIRST \$100,000 OF THE BID PRICE, 20% OF THE AMOUNT OF THE BID PRICE ABOVE \$100,000 UP TO AND INCLUDING \$2,000,000, AND 12% OF THE AMOUNT OF THE BID PRICE OVER \$2,000,000, and (c) unless the purchaser is exempt by law from the payment thereof, any California, Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Massachusetts, Nevada, New York, Pennsylvania, Texas, Washington, D.C., Washington state, or other state or local sales tax (or compensating use tax) and other applicable taxes.

2. On the fall of the auctioneer's hammer, the highest bidder shall have purchased the offered lot in accordance and subject to compliance with all of the conditions set forth herein and (a) assumes full risk and responsibility therefor, (b) if requested will sign a confirmation of purchase, and (c) will pay the purchase price in full or such part as we may require for all lots purchased. No lot may be transferred. Any person placing a bid as agent on behalf of another (whether or not such person has disclosed that fact or the identity of the principal may be jointly and severally liable with the principal under any contract resulting from the acceptance of a bid.

Unless otherwise agreed, payment in good funds is due and payable within five (5) business days following the auction sale. Whenever the purchaser pays only a part of the total purchase price for one or more lots purchased, we may apply such payments, in our sole discretion, to the lot or lots we choose. Payment will not be deemed made in full until we have collected good funds for all amounts due.

Payment for purchases may be made in or by (a) cash, (b) cashier's check or money order, (c) personal check with approved credit drawn on a U.S. bank, (d) wire transfer or other immediate bank transfer, or (e) Visa, MasterCard, American Express or Discover credit, charge or debit card. A processing fee will be assessed on any returned checks. Please note that the amount of cash notes and cash equivalents that can be accepted from a given purchaser may be limited.

The purchaser grants us a security interest in the property, and we may retain as collateral security for the purchaser's obligations to us, any property and all monies held or received by us for the account of the purchaser, in our possession. We retain all rights of a secured party under the California Commercial Code. If the foregoing conditions or any other applicable conditions herein are not complied with, in addition to other remedies available to us and the consignor by law, including without limitation, the right to hold the purchaser liable for the purchase price, we at our option may either (a) cancel the sale, retaining as liquidated damages all payments made by the purchaser or (b) resell the property, either publicly or privately, and in such event the purchaser shall be liable for the payment of any deficiency plus all costs and expenses of both sales, our commission at our standard rates, all other charges due hereunder, attorneys' fees, expenses and incidental damages. In addition, where two or more amounts are owed in respect of different transactions by the purchaser to us, to Bonhams 1793 Limited and/ or to any of our other affiliates, subsidiaries or parent companies worldwide within the Bonhams Group, we reserve the right to apply any monies paid in respect of a transaction to discharge any amount owed by the purchaser. If all fees, commissions, premiums, bid price and other sums due to us from the purchaser are not paid promptly as provided in these Conditions of Sale, we reserve the right to impose a finance charge equal to 1.5% per month on all amounts due to us beginning on the 31st day following the sale until payment is received, in addition to other remedies available to us by law.

3. We reserve the right to withdraw any property and to divide and combine lots at any time before such property's auction. Unless otherwise announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale, all bids are per lot as numbered in the catalog and no lots shall be divided or combined for sale.

4. We reserve the right to reject a bid from any bidder, to split any bidding increment, and to advance the bidding in any manner the auctioneer may decide. In the event of any dispute between bidders, or in the event the auctioneer doubts the validity of any bid, the auctioneer shall have sole and final discretion either to determine the successful bidder or to re-offer and resell the article in dispute. If any dispute arises after the sale, our sales records shall be conclusive in all respects.

5. If we are prevented by fire, theft or any other reason whatsoever from delivering any property to the purchaser or a sale otherwise cannot be completed, our liability shall be limited to the sum actually paid therefor by the purchaser and shall in no event include any compensatory, incidental or consequential damages.

6. If a lot is offered subject to a reserve, we may implement such reserve by bidding on behalf of the consignor, whether by opening bidding or continuing bidding in response to other bidders until reaching the reserve. If we have an interest in an offered lot and the proceeds therefrom other than our commissions, we may bid therefor to protect such interest. CONSIGNORS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BID ON THEIR OWN ITEMS.

7. All statements contained in the catalog or in any bill of sale, condition report, invoice or elsewhere as to authorship, period, culture, source, origin, measurement, quality, rarity, provenance, importance, exhibition and literature of historical relevance, or physical condition ARE QUALIFIED STATEMENTS OF OPINION AND NOT REPRESENTATIONS OR WARRANTIES. No employee or agent of Bonhams is authorized to make on our behalf or on that of the consignor any representation or warranty, oral or written, with respect to any property.

8. All purchased property shall be removed from the premises at which the sale is conducted by the date(s) and time(s) set forth in the "Buyer's Guide" portion of this catalog. Property designated with a "W" and associated purchased lots, if not removed promptly following sale, will be transferred to an offsite warehouse at the purchaser's risk and expense, as set forth in more detail in the "Buyer's Guide." Purchased property that is permitted to remain onsite at Bonhams' facility should be removed at the purchaser's expense not later than 5:00 p.m. Pacific Time five (5) business days following the date of the sale. If not so removed, a storage fee of \$5.00 per lot per day will be payable to us by the purchaser beginning at the close of the 21st day following the sale, and we may thereafter transfer such property to an offsite warehouse at the purchaser's risk and expense. Accounts must be settled in full before property will be released. Packing and handling of purchased lots are the responsibility of the purchaser. Bonhams can provide packing and shipping services for certain items as noted in the "Buyer's Guide" section of the catalog.

9. The copyright in the text of the catalog and the photographs, digital images and illustrations of lots in the catalog belong to Bonhams or its licensors. You will not reproduce or permit anyone else to reproduce such text, photographs, digital images or illustrations without our prior written consent.

10. These Conditions of Sale shall bind the successors and assigns of all bidders and purchasers and inure to the benefit of our successors and assigns. No waiver, amendment or modification of the terms hereof (other than posted notices or oral announcements during the sale) shall bind us unless specifically stated in writing and signed by us. If any part of these Conditions of Sale is for any reason invalid or unenforceable, the rest shall remain valid and enforceable.

11. These Conditions of Sale and the purchaser's and our respective rights and obligations hereunder are governed by the laws of the State of California. By bidding at an auction, each purchaser and bidder agrees to be bound by these Conditions of Sale. Any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this agreement, or the breach, termination or validity thereof, brought by or against Bonhams (but not including claims brought against the consignor by the purchaser of lots consigned hereunder) shall be resolved by the procedures set forth below.

#### **Mediation and Arbitration Procedures**

(a) Within 30 days of written notice that there is a dispute, the parties or their authorized and empowered representatives shall meet by telephone and/or in person to mediate their differences. If the parties agree, a mutually acceptable mediator shall be selected and the parties will equally share such mediator's fees. The mediator shall be a retired judge or an attorney familiar with commercial law and trained in or qualified by experience in handling mediations. Any communications made during the mediation process shall not be admissible in any subsequent arbitration, mediation or judicial proceeding. All proceedings and any resolutions thereof shall be confidential, and the terms governing arbitration set forth in paragraph (c) below shall govern.

(b) If mediation does not resolve all disputes between the parties, or in any event no longer than 60 days after receipt of the written notice of dispute referred to above, the parties shall submit the dispute for binding arbitration before a single neutral arbitrator. Such arbitrator shall be a retired judge or an attorney familiar with commercial law and trained in or qualified by experience in handling arbitrations. Such arbitrator shall make all appropriate disclosures required by law. The arbitrator shall be drawn from a panel of a national arbitration service agreed to by the parties, and shall be selected as follows: (i) If the national arbitration service has specific rules or procedures, those rules or procedures shall be followed; (ii) If the national arbitration service does not have rules or procedures for the selection of an arbitrator, the arbitrator shall be an individual jointly agreed to by the parties. If the parties cannot agree on a national arbitration service, the arbitration shall be conducted by the American Arbitration Association, and the arbitrator shall be selected in accordance with the Rules of the American Arbitration Association. The arbitrator's award shall be in writing and shall set forth findings of fact and legal conclusions.

# CONDITIONS OF SALE - CONTINUED

(c) Unless otherwise agreed to by the parties or provided by the published rules of the national arbitration service:

(i) the arbitration shall occur within 60 days following the selection of the arbitrator;

(ii) the arbitration shall be conducted in the designated location, as follows: (A) in any case in which the subject auction by Bonhams took place or was scheduled to take place in the State of New York or Connecticut or the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the arbitration shall take place in New York City, New York; (B) in all other cases, the arbitration shall take place in the city of San Francisco, California; and

(iii) discovery and the procedure for the arbitration shall be as follows:

(A) All arbitration proceedings shall be confidential;

(B) The parties shall submit written briefs to the arbitrator no later than 15 days before the arbitration commences;

(C) Discovery, if any, shall be limited as follows: (I) Requests for no more than 10 categories of documents, to be provided to the requesting party within 14 days of written request therefor; (II) No more than two (2) depositions per party, provided however, the deposition(s) are to be completed within one (1) day; (III) Compliance with the above shall be enforced by the arbitrator in accordance with California law;

(D) Each party shall have no longer than eight (8) hours to present its position. The entire hearing before the arbitrator shall not take longer than three (3) consecutive days;

(E) The award shall be made in writing no more than 30 days following the end of the proceeding. Judgment upon the award rendered by the arbitrator may be entered by any court having jurisdiction thereof.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, and except as required by applicable arbitration rules, each party shall bear its own attorneys' fees and costs in connection with the proceedings and shall share equally the fees and expenses of the arbitrator.

#### Limited Right of Rescission

If within one (1) year from the date of sale, the original purchaser (a) gives written notice to us alleging that the identification of Authorship (as defined below) of such lot as set forth in the BOLD TYPE heading of the catalog description of such lot (as amended by any saleroom notices or verbal announcements during the sale) is not substantially correct based on a fair reading of the catalog (including the terms of any glossary contained therein), and (b) within 10 days after such notice returns the lot to us in the same condition as at the time of sale, and (c) establishes the allegation in the notice to our satisfaction (including by providing one or more written opinions by recognized experts in the field, as we may reasonably require), then the sale of such lot will be rescinded and, unless we have already paid to the consignor monies owed him in connection with the sale, the original purchase price will be refunded.

If, prior to receiving such notice from the original purchaser alleging such defect, we have paid the consignor monies owed him in connection with the sale, we shall pay the original purchaser the amount of our commissions, any other sale proceeds to which we are entitled and applicable taxes received from the purchaser on the sale and make demand on the consignor to pay the balance of the original purchase price to the original purchaser. Should the consignor fail to pay such amount promptly, we may disclose the identity of the consignor and assign to the original purchaser our rights against the consignor with respect to the lot the sale of which is sought to be rescinded. Upon such disclosure and assignment, any liability of Bonhams as consignor's agent with respect to said lot shall automatically terminate.

The foregoing limited right of rescission is available to the original purchaser only and may not be assigned to or relied upon by any subsequent transferee of the property sold. The purchaser hereby accepts the benefit of the consignor's warranty of title and other representations and warranties made by the consignor for the purchaser's benefit. Nothing in this section shall be construed as an admission by us of any representation of fact, express or implied, obligation or responsibility with respect to any lot. THE PURCHASER'S SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY AGAINST BONHAMS

# FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER IS THE LIMITED RIGHT OF RESCISSION DESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION.

"Authorship" means only the identity of the creator, the period, culture and source or origin of the lot, as the case may be, as set forth in the BOLD TYPE heading of the print catalog entry. The right of rescission does not extend to: (a) works of art executed before 1870 (unless these works are determined to be counterfeits created since 1870), as this is a matter of current scholarly opinion which can change; (b) titles, descriptions, or other identification of offered lots, which information normally appears in lower case type below the BOLD TYPE heading identifying the Authorship; (c) Authorship of any lot where it was specifically mentioned that there exists a conflict of specialist or scholarly opinion regarding the Authorship of the lot at the time of sale; (d) Authorship of any lot which as of the date of sale was in accordance with the then generally-accepted opinion of scholars and specialists regarding the same; or (e) the identification of periods or dates of creation in catalog descriptions which may be proven inaccurate by means of scientific processes that are not generally accepted for use until after publication of the catalog in which the property is offered or that were unreasonably expensive or impractical to use at the time of such publication.

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EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED ABOVE, ALL PROPERTY IS SOLD "AS IS." NEITHER BONHAMS NOR THE CONSIGNOR MAKES ANY REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS OR CONDITION OF THE PROPERTY OR AS TO THE CORRECTNESS OF DESCRIPTION, GENUINENESS, ATTRIBUTION, PROVENANCE OR PERIOD OF THE PROPERTY OR AS TO WHETHER THE PURCHASER ACQUIRES ANY COPYRIGHTS OR OTHER INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS IN LOTS SOLD OR AS TO WHETHER A WORK OF ART IS SUBJECT TO THE ARTIST'S MORAL RIGHTS OR OTHER RESIDUAL RIGHTS OF THE ARTIST. THE PURCHASER EXPRESSLY ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT IN NO EVENT SHALL BONHAMS BE LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGES INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, ANY COMPENSATORY, INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES.

# SELLER'S GUIDE

#### SELLING AT AUCTION

Bonhams can help you every step of the way when you are ready to sell art, antiques and collectible items at auction. Our regional offices and representatives throughout the US are available to service all of your needs. Should you have any further questions, please visit our website at www.bonhams.com/us for more information or call our Client Services Department at +1 (800) 223 2854 ext. 3550.

#### Auction Estimates

The first step in the auction process is to determine the auction value of your property. Bonhams' world-renowned specialists will evaluate your special items at no charge and in complete confidence. You can obtain an auction estimate in many ways:

- Attend one of our Auction Appraisal Events held regularly at our galleries and in other major metropolitan areas. The updated schedule for Bonhams Auction Appraisal Events is available at www.bonhams.com/us.
- Call our Client Services Department to schedule a private appointment at one of our galleries. If you have a large collection, our specialists can travel, by appointment, to evaluate your property on site.
- Send clear photographs to us of each individual item, including item dimensions and other pertinent information with each picture. Photos should be sent to

Bonhams' address in envelopes marked as "photo auction estimate". Alternatively, you can submit your request using our online form at www.bonhams.com/us. Digital images may be attached to the form. Please limit your images to no more than five (5) per item.

#### **Consigning Your Property**

After you receive an estimate, you may consign your property to us for sale in the next appropriate auction. Our staff assists you throughout the process, arranging transportation of your items to our galleries (at the consignor's expense), providing a detailed inventory of your consignment, and reporting the prices realized for each lot. We provide secure storage for your property in our warehouses and all items are insured throughout the auction process. You will receive payment for your property approximately 35 days after completion of sale.

Sales commissions vary with the potential auction value of the property and the particular auction in which the property is offered. Please call us for commission rates.

#### **Professional Appraisal Services**

Bonhams' specialists conduct insurance and fair market value appraisals for private collectors, corporations, museums, fiduciaries and government entities on a daily basis. Insurance appraisals, used for insurance purposes, reflect the cost of replacing property in today's retail market. Fair market value appraisals are used for estate, tax and family division purposes and reflect prices paid by a willing buyer to a willing seller.

When we conduct a private appraisal, our specialists will prepare a thorough inventory listing of all your appraised property by category. Valuations, complete descriptions and locations of items are included in the documentation.

Appraisal fees vary according to the nature of the collection, the amount of work involved, the travel distance, and whether the property is subsequently consigned for auction.

Our appraisers are available to help you anywhere and at any time. Please call our Client Services Department to schedule an appraisal.

#### **Estate Services**

Since 1865, Bonhams has been serving the needs of fiduciaries – lawyers, trust officers, accountants and executors – in the disposition of large and small estates. Our services are specially designed to aid in the efficient appraisal and disposition of fine art, antiques, jewelry, and collectibles. We offer a full range of estate services, ranging from flexible financial terms to tailored accounting for heirs and their agents to world-class marketing and sales support.

For more information or to obtain a detailed Trust and Estates package, please visit our website at www.bonhams. com/us or contact our Client Services Department.

# **BUYER'S GUIDE**

#### **BIDDING & BUYING AT AUCTION**

Whether you are an experienced bidder or an enthusiastic novice, auctions provide a stimulating atmosphere unlike any other. Bonhams previews and sales are free and open to the public. As you will find in these directions, bidding and buying at auction is easy and exciting. Should you have any further questions, please visit our website at www.bonhams.com or call our Client Services Department at +1 (800) 223 2854 ext. 3550.

#### Catalogs

Before each auction we publish illustrated catalogs that include dates and times for previews and auctions. Our catalogs also provide descriptions and estimated values for each "lot." A lot may refer to a single item or to a group of items auctioned together. We offer our catalogs by subscription or by single copy. For information on subscribing to our catalogs, you may refer to the subscription form in this catalog, call our Client Services Department, or visit our website at www.bonhams.com/us.

#### Previews

Auction previews are your chance to inspect each lot prior to the auction. We encourage you to look closely and examine each object on which you may want to bid so that you will know as much as possible about it. Items are sold "as is" and with all faults; illustrations in our catalogs, website and other materials are provided for identification only. At the previews, our staff is always available to answer your questions and guide you through the auction process. Condition reports may be available upon request.

#### Estimates

Bonhams catalogs include estimates for each lot, exclusive of buyer's premium and tax. The estimates are provided as an approximate guide to current market value and should not be interpreted as a representation or prediction of actual selling prices. They are determined well in advance of a sale and are subject to revision. Please contact us should you have any questions about value estimates.

#### Reserves

All lots in a catalog are subject to a reserve unless otherwise indicated. The reserve is the minimum price that the seller is willing to accept for a lot. This amount is confidential and does not exceed the low estimated value.

#### **BIDDING AT AUCTION**

At Bonhams, you can bid in many ways: in person, via absentee bid, over the phone, or via Bonhams' online bidding facility. Absentee bids can be submitted in person, online, via fax or via email.

A valid Bonhams client account is required to participate in bidding activity. You can obtain registration information online, at the reception desk or by calling our Client Services Department.

By bidding at auction, whether in person or by agent, by absentee bid, telephone, online or other means, the buyer or bidder agrees to be bound by the Conditions of Sale.

Lots are auctioned in consecutive numerical order as they appear in the catalog. Bidding normally begins below the low estimate. The auctioneer will accept bids from interested parties present in the saleroom, from telephone bidders, and from absentee bidders who have left written bids in advance of the sale. The auctioneer may also execute bids on behalf of the consignor up to the amount of the reserve, but never above it.

We assume no responsibility for failure to execute bids for any reason whatsoever.

#### In Person

If you are planning to bid at auction, you will need to register at the reception desk in order to receive a numbered bid card. To place a bid, hold up your card so that the auctioneer can clearly see it. Decide on the maximum amount that you wish to pay, exclusive of buyer's premium and tax, and continue bidding until your bid prevails or you reach your limit. If you are the successful bidder on a lot, the auctioneer will acknowledge your paddle number and bid amount.

#### Absentee Bids

As a service to those wishing to place bids, we may at our discretion accept bids without charge in advance of sale by telephone, by facsimile or in writing on bidding forms available from us. "Buy" bids will not be accepted; all bids must state the highest bid price the bidder is willing to pay. Our auction staff will try to bid just as you would, with the

goal of obtaining the item at the lowest bid price possible. In the event identical bids are submitted, the earliest bid submitted will take precedence. Absentee bids shall be executed in competition with other absentee bids, any applicable reserve, and bids from other auction participants. A friend or agent may place bids on your behalf, provided that we have received your written authorization prior to the sale. Absentee bid forms are available in our catalogs, online at www.bonhams.com/us, and at our San Francisco, Los Angeles and New York galleries.

#### By Telephone

Under special circumstances, we can arrange for you to bid by telephone. To arrange for a telephone bid, please contact our Client Services Department a minimum of 24 hours prior to the sale.

#### Online

Web users may place absentee bids online from anywhere in the world. To bid online, please visit our website at www.bonhams.com/us.

We are pleased to make our live online bidding facility available to bidders in this sale.

Additional terms and conditions of sale relating to online bidding will apply. Please see www.bonhams.com/21013 or contact the Client Services Department to obtain information and learn how you can register and bid online in this sale.

#### **Bid Increments**

Bonhams generally uses the following increment multiples as bidding progresses:

\$50-200	by \$10s
\$200-500	by \$20/50/80s
\$500-1,000	by \$50s
\$1,000-2,000	by \$100s
\$2,000-5,000	by \$200/500/800s
\$5,000-10,000	by \$500s
\$10,000-20,000	by \$1,000s
\$20,000-50,000	by \$2,000/5,000/8,000s
\$50,000-100,000	by \$5,000s
\$100,000-200,000	by \$10,000s
above \$200,000	at auctioneer's discretion

# The auctioneer may split or reject any bid at any time at his or her discretion as outlined in the Conditions of Sale.

#### **Currency Converter**

Solely for the convenience of bidders, a currency converter may be provided at Bonhams sales. The rates quoted for conversion of other currencies to U.S. Dollars are indications only and should not be relied upon by a bidder, and neither Bonhams nor its agents shall be responsible for any errors or omissions in the operation or accuracy of the currency converter.

#### **Buyer's Premium**

A buyer's premium is added to the winning bid price of each individual lot purchased, at the rates set forth in the Conditions of Sale. The winning bid price plus the premium constitute the purchase price for the lot. Applicable sales taxes are computed based on this figure, and the total becomes your final purchase price.

Unless specifically illustrated and noted, fine art frames are not included in the estimate or purchase price. Bonhams accepts no liability for damage or loss to frames during storage or shipment.

All sales are final and subject to the Conditions of Sale found in our catalogs, on our website, and available at the reception desk.

#### Payment

All buyers are asked to pay and pick up by 3pm on the business day following the auction. Payment may be made to Bonhams by cash, checks drawn on a U.S. bank, money order, wire transfer, or by Visa, MasterCard, American Express or Discover credit or charge card or debit card. All items must be paid for within 5 business days of the sale. Please note that payment by personal or business check may result in property not being released until purchase funds clear our bank.

#### Sales Tax

California, Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Nevada, New York, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Texas, Washington DC and Washington state residents must pay applicable sales tax. Other state or local taxes (or compensating use taxes) may apply. Sales tax will be automatically added to the invoice unless a valid resale number has been furnished or the property is shipped via common carrier to destinations outside the states listed above. If you wish to use your resale license please contact Cashiers for our form.

#### Shipping & Removal

Buyers are to review the Offsite Sold Property Storage page for a list of lots that will be removed to the offsite warehouse of Box Brothers. These designated lots must be retrieved by the buyer prior to the day and time designated on the Offsite Sold Property Storage page. If buyers of these designated lots also buy other lots, such as decorations, rugs or works of art, these lots may also be removed to the warehouse of Box Brothers, so all lots remain together and customers can collect or ship from one location. All other items will remain at Bonhams for a period of 21 days, after which time they may be transferred to offsite storage. Wine, Jewelry, Natural History, Collectibles, 20th Century, Decorative Arts, Rugs, Native American Art and most Arms & Armor auctions are not included in this policy.

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Box Brothers Los Angeles (for Los Angeles auctions only) 220 W. Ivy Ave, Unit C, Inglewood, Ca 90302 +1 (310) 419 9915 or +1 (800) 474 7447

Box Brothers is open Monday-Friday 8am-5pm with Saturday and Sunday hours available. Buyers must contact Box Brothers 24 hours in advance of pickup. Appointments are required.

Bonhams can accommodate shipping for certain items. Please contact our Cashiers Department for more information or to obtain a quote. Refer to Conditions of Sale for special terms governing the shipment of Arms and Wine. Shipments are made during weekday business hours up to four weeks after payment is received. Carriers are not permitted to deliver to P.O. Boxes.

International buyers are responsible for all import/export customs duties and taxes. An invoice stating the actual purchase price(s) will accompany all international purchases.

#### Simultaneous sale property collection notice:

If this sale previews in multiple cities, please see the title page for details regarding final location of property for collection.

#### Handling and Storage Charges

Please note: For sold lots removed to Box Brothers, there will be no post-sale storage charge for lots collected within 5 days from the sale date. For lots that remain at Bonhams, there will be no post-sale storage charge for lots collected within 21 days of the sale date. Handling fees may apply.

Lots uncollected at Bonhams after 21 days may be removed to the warehouse of Box Brothers. Handling and storage fees will apply.

Insurance: All sold lots are insured by Box Brothers at the sum of the hammer price plus buyer's premium.

# Please refer to Box Brothers for a list of Handling, Storage and Insurance fees.

#### Payment

Payments for purchased lots must be made directly to Bonhams. Box Brothers will not release property to a buyer unless the buyer has paid Bonhams first. All charges for handling and storage due to Box Brothers must be paid by the time of collection from their warehouse. Please telephone Box Brothers at +1 (800) 474 7447 in advance to ascertain the amount due. Lots will only be released from Box Brothers' warehouse with a "Release Order" obtained from the cashier's office at Bonhams.

The removal/storage and/or shipment by Box Brothers of any lots will be subject to their standard Conditions of Business, copies of which are available at Bonhams or from Box Brothers directly.

#### Auction Results

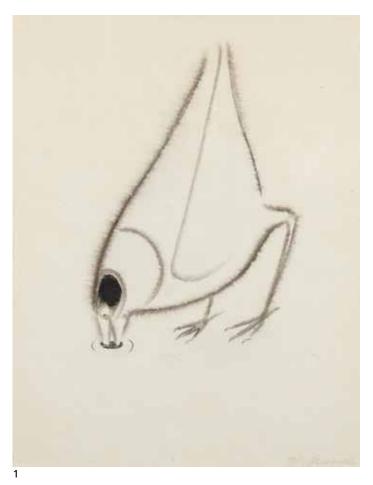
To find out the final purchase price for any lot following the sale, please call our automated auction results line at +1 (800) 223 2854 ext. 3400. Auction results are usually available on the next business day following the sale or online at www.bonhams.com/us.

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Corse, Mary		Oliveira, Nathan	
		Orr, Eric	
Davis, Ronald			
De Forest, Roy		Park, David	
Dill, Guy.			
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Garabedian, Charles		Therrien, Robert	
Gilhooly, David James			
Goode, Joe		Vasa Velizar Mihich	
Graham, Robert		Voulkos, Peter	
Graves, Morris		Wonner, Paul	
		Zajac, Jack	

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Morris Graves (1910-2001) Untitled, c. 1955 signed twice and indistinctly dated 'M Graves' (lower right) ink on paper 12 3/4 x 9 1/2in. (32.4 x 24.1cm) \$2,000 - 4,000

PROVENANCE Private Collection, California By descent from the above to the present owner

# 2

William Brice (1921-2008) Reclining nude, 1958 signed and dated 'Brice 58' (lower right) oil and gouache on paper sight 26 3/4 x 22 1/4in. (68 x 56.5cm) \$2,000 - 3,000

# Richards Ruben (1925-1998)

3

Mother and Child; Surf 'N Tree, c. 1955 (2) first signed and inscribed 'Richards Ruben' (on the reverse); second signed 'Richards Ruben' (lower right) first oil on board; second oil and gouache on board *first 20 x 26 1/8in. (50.8 x 66.4cm); second 20 x 30in. (50.8 x 76.2cm)* **\$2,500 - 3,500** 

PROVENANCE Felix Landau Gallery, Los Angeles Acquired from the above by the present owner





4 Hassel Smith (1915-2007) Untitled, 1963 signed with initials, dated and inscribed 'HWS 1963' (lower left) acrylic, charcoal and pencil on paper *19 7/8 x 16in. (50.5 x 40.6 cm)* unframed **\$1,000 - 2,000** 

# Hassel Smith (1915-2007)

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Untitled, 1963; Untitled, 1963; Untitled, 1963 (3) first and third signed with initials and dated 'HWS 1963' (lower right); second signed with initials 'HWS' (upper center) and dated '1963' (upper left)

each acrylic, charcoal, chalk and pencil on paper first and third 15 x 20in. (38.1 x 50.8cm); second 16 x 19 7/8in. (40.6 x 50.5cm) each unframed

\$3,000 - 5,000





PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, SPRINGFIELD, VIRGINIA

6 Frank Lobdell (born 1921) 19 Feb. 48, 1948 signed and dated 'Lobdell / 19 / Feb. / 48' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 38 x 32in. (96.5 x 81.3cm) \$30,000 - 50,000







, Jacques Schnier (1898-1988) The Juggler No.2, 1961 signed and dated 'Jacques / Schnier 1961' (lower edge) bronze with gray patina on wooden base 27 x 9 1/2 x 7in. (68.6 x 24.1 x 17.8cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

# 8

Jacques Schnier (1898-1988) The Fortress, 1961 signed 'Schnier' (lower edge) cast iron on wooden base 20 1/4 x 14 1/2 x 7in. (51.4 x 36.8 x 17.8cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

#### PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF DANIEL DEL SOLAR, NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

**9 Lee Mullican (1919-1998)** Untitled signed with initials 'LM' (near the base) bronze with blackish brown patina on marble base *12 x 3 x 3in. (30.5 x 7.6 x 7.6cm)* **\$2,000 - 3,000** 

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

10 No lot

'It's unique. It's Lee's very playful... and archaic [style]... but also very humorous.'

-Luchita Hurtado, spouse of Lee Mullican (*Finding Lee Mullican*. Dir. John Mullican. Los Angeles, 2010.Film.)





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Imogen Cunningham, a beloved American photographer, had a prolific career that spanned seven decades. In 1917, at the age of thirty-four, Cunningham relocated to the Bay Area with her family and shortly fell into artistic circles with artists such as Maynard Dixon, Dorothea Lange and Edward Weston. In the 1950s, Cunningham's work with portraiture evolved and matured, allowing her to capture, display and reveal the essence of her sitter which became her trademark style. As Lorenz observes, 'In the most penetrating of these portraits, disclosure of the subject is both physical and emotional...'(R. Lorenz, *op.cit.*, p. 48). Many of the 20th century's most celebrated artists, such as Morris Graves and David Park, were sitters for these intimate and honest portraits.

Like Cunningham, David Park moved in artistic circles, keeping company with his contemporaries Elmer Bischoff and Richard Diebenkorn. Park and Cunningham happened to meet while teaching at the California School of Fine Arts, thus creating an artistic bond that would facilitate a series of portraits later in their lives. Park painted the work, *Portrait of Imogen Cunningham*, in 1956, and in 1958 Cunningham took multiple photographs of Park, some in his studio grappling with a work, or some more posed shots in trees or against a stark back drop. Each

# 11

David Park (1911-1960) Portrait of Imogen Cunningham, 1956 inscribed 'Imogen Cunningham' (upper left) and dated '1956' (upper right) oil on canvas on board 15 3/4 x 12in. (40 x 30.5cm) \$70,000 - 90,000

## PROVENANCE

Imogen Cunningham and Roi George Partridge, San Francisco By descent from the above to the previous owners Private Collection, San Francisco (acquired from the above)

## LITERATURE

H. Park Bigelow, *David Park, Painter: Nothing Held Back*, Manchester, 2009, no. 55 (illustrated in color p. 93)

# 'Be Imogen, and remember, ideas are always without an end.'

# -Shen Yao (R. Lorenz, *Imogen Cunningham: Ideas without End*, San Francisco, 1993, p. 9)

artist, with their masterful skill and attention to detail, captured notable qualities in their portraits. The eldest granddaughter of Cunningham, Loren Partridge, commented on this portrait by Park, 'I always liked the sort of bold, brusque quality of the portrait; characteristics which truly portrayed Imogen's strong personality'. Park, with the framing of Cunningham's eyes, was able to suggest 'her powers of observation as a photographer and her clear-eyed approach to the world around her' (N. Boas, *David Park: A Painter's Life, Berkeley*, 2012, p. 206). This portrait is a brilliant example of Park's mastery of the human form and the lush, painterly style for which he is celebrated. The richness of paint is conveyed through the subtle tonality and texture of his brush strokes, a quality exhibited in his finest works, and simultaneously represents his subject true to form.

Cunningham must have been pleased with the portrait, as she displayed it in her home on Green Street in San Francisco, hanging on the wall amongst her own extraordinary photographs. Later in her life, Cunningham gifted the work to her eldest son, and the work remained in the Partridge family as a cherished memory of the pioneering, witty, female photographer.





Nathan Oliveira (1928-2010) Woman #1, 1961 signed and dated 'Oliveira 61' (lower right) and titled (on the reverse) oil on paper 10 1/2 x 13in. (26.7 x 33cm) \$6,000 - 8,000

#### PROVENANCE

Charles Campbell Gallery, San Francisco Acquired from the above by the present owner in 1973

Joe Oliveira has confirmed the authenticity of this work.

# 13

# Nathan Oliveira (1928-2010)

Model Drawn in Red Pencil, 1967 signed and dated 'Oliveira 67' (lower right); titled and dated again (on the reverse) charcoal, watercolor and colored pencil on paper 15 x 18 7/8in. (38.1 x 47.9cm) \$4,000 - 6,000

Joe Oliveira has confirmed the authenticity of this work.



14 Nathan Oliveira (1928-2010) Untitled, 1971 signed, dated and inscribed 'Oliveira 71 / Hawaii' (lower right) watercolor on paper board 14 x 10 7/8in. (35.6 x 27.6cm) unframed \$6,000 - 8,000

Joe Oliveira has confirmed the authenticity of this work.



#### PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF JORDAN DE STAEBLER, SAN FRANCISCO

**15 Joan Brown (1938-1990)** Portrait of a Watermelon, 1964 signed, titled and dated 'Joan Brown 1964' (on the stretcher) oil on canvas *20 x 22in. (50.8 x 55.8cm)* **\$30,000 - 50,000** 

#### PROVENANCE

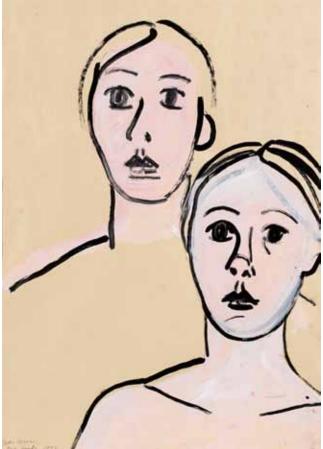
San Francisco Art Institute Gallery, San Francisco Stephen De Staebler, San Francisco (acquired from the above) By descent from the above to the present owner

At a very early age, and with no prior experience in art, the painter Joan Brown was quickly recognized for her innate artistic skills, and under the tutelage of acclaimed artist, Elmer Bischoff, her abilities and style evolved and quickly gained national recognition. In her painting, *Portrait of a Watermelon*, Brown displays her ability to elevate an inanimate object with her vivacious use of lush impastos in bright, vibrant colors. In this work, the thick application of the paint inherits a sculptural quality, layered dramatically upon the canvas and extending beyond the picture plane. The renowned Bay Area sculptor, Stephen De Staebler, purchased this work from the San Francisco Art Institute Gallery, and was undoubtedly attracted to the sculptural elements and thick texture of this extraordinary still life. De Staebler, best known for his works in bronze and clay, taught at the San Francisco Art Institute from 1961 to 1967 where Brown had completed her Master's degree one year prior to his hiring.

At age 17, Brown enrolled at the San Francisco Art Institute (then the California School of Fine Arts). The free-spirited and fiery Brown thrived in the presence of progressive, open-minded peers and mentors at CSFA, and it was there that she met Bischoff, a Bay Area painter and professor at CSFA, and where she truly came to understand the joy that she garnered from the artistic process. The next seven years of Brown's life were marked by great success and recognition: she received numerous opportunities to display her works at exhibitions, both locally and nationally, and in 1960, at age 22, she had her first solo exhibition in New York at the Staempfli Gallery. Brown's work was continually evolving during this period as she drifted between different artistic genres and circles, such as abstraction, funk art and figurative art. She absorbed the theories and practices of the movements, and implemented the numerous styles and influences of the individuals she came into contact with, such as David Park, Manuel Neri, Peter Voulkos, and Frank Lobdell, all the while imbuing her works with a distinctive style and personal narrative undertones.

In 1964, the year that Joan Brown created *Portrait of a Watermelon*, Brown's artistic life and career dramatically changed in trajectory. This work can be used as a lens for viewing a moment in which the artist recalled the early lessons she had learned from her mentor Bischoff 'to see the value of painting the ordinary things that surrounded her: a slice of watermelon on the table, Noel exploring in the kitchen...' (K. Tsujimoto, *The Art of Joan Brown*, Berkeley, 1998, p. 63). For Brown, painting still-life portraits was a way for her to regain her footing in a time where she deeply feared losing her spontaneity and creativity, and when much opinion and outside influence was infringing on her artistic sense of self. During this year, the artist retreated to her studio, disregarding gallery pressures. After completing a series of still life portraits, all in her thick, impasto style and all depicting simple, quiet and reflective moments, she completely abandoned this technique in order to develop further as an artist free from the conventional pressures of galleries, critics and enthusiasts alike.







# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF J. FRANK MUNNS, SAN FRANCISCO

## 16

Joan Brown (1938-1990) Two Heads, 1973 signed, titled and dated 'Joan Brown / 1973' (lower left) acrylic, pencil and collage on paper *36 1/8 x 24 1/4in. (91.7 x 61.6cm)* \$8,000 - 12,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

# PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION

# 17

Paul Wonner (1920-2008) Untitled (Female nude), 1959 signed 'Paul Wonner' (lower center) and inscribed indistinctly (on the reverse) tempera and pencil on paper 23 3/4 x 17 3/4in. (60.3 x 45.1cm)

\$8,000 - 12,000

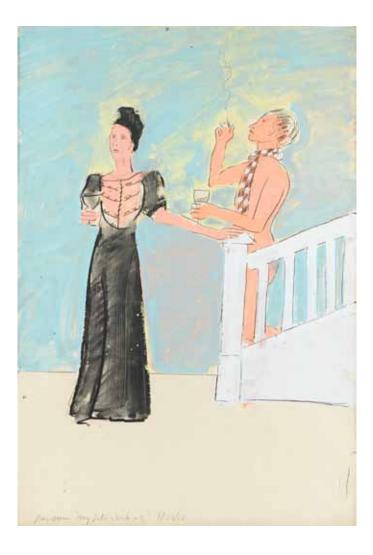
# PROVENANCE

Felix Landau Gallery, Los Angeles Private Collection, Los Angeles (acquired from the above *circa* 1965) By descent from the above to the present owner

Joan Brown (1938-1990) Mary Julia and Nick #3, 1976 signed, titled and dated 'Joan Brown 8/22/76' (lower left) acrylic and charcoal on paper 36 1/8 x 24 1/8in. (91.8 x 61.3cm) \$7,000 - 9,000

PROVENANCE

Koplin Gallery, Los Angeles Private Collection, Beverly Hills By descent from the above to the present owner



#### PROPERTY FROM THE GIBBES MUSEUM OF ART, CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

#### 19

#### Paul Wonner (1920-2008)

View from Russian Hill, San Francisco, 1962 signed 'Paul Wonner' (lower right) oil on canvas 50 3/8 x 51 5/8in. (128 x 131cm) **\$70,000 - 90,000** 

#### PROVENANCE

Felix Landau Gallery, Los Angeles Poindexter Galleries, New York Mr. and Mrs. James Denby, Charleston Gibbes Museum of Art, Charleston (gifted from the above)

#### EXHIBITED

Charleston, Gibbes Museum of Art, *Living Artists Exhibit*, July 31, 1978-March 5, 1979 Charleston, Gibbes Museum of Art, *Selections from the Permanent Collection: Paintings, Prints and Drawings*, April 24 – November 25, 1979

Charleston, Gibbes Museum of Art, 19th and 20th Century American Landscapes, September 15, 1988-May 1, 1989

Charleston, Gibbes Museum of Art, *Places and Spaces: Landscapes and Genre Scenes in the South*, January 6-August 29, 2004

Columbia, South Carolina, Columbia Museum of Art, An Artist's Eye: A Journey Through Modern & Contemporary Art with Sigmund Abeles, June 17-October 23, 2011

Columbia, South Carolina, Columbia Museum of Art, on temporary loan, February 2006-January 2012





Paul Wonner (1920-2008)

Study of Flowers with Art Book, Marbles and View of San Francisco, 1984 signed 'Paul Wonner' (lower left) acrylic on paper 40 x 28in. (101.6 x 71.1cm) \$8,000 - 12,000

PROVENANCE John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco Acquired from the above by the present owner



21 Ruth Asawa (1926-2013) Tulips, 1994 signed and dated 'Asawa 1994' (lower right) and titled (lower left) ink on paper 10 1/4 x 13in. (26 x 33cm) \$6,000 - 8,000

PROVENANCE Gift from the artist to the present owner



PROPERTY FROM A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ESTATE

## Raimonds Staprans (born 1926)

Still Life with an Aerosol, 1976 signed and dated 'Staprans-76' (lower left) and titled (on the reverse) oil on canvas 48 x 38in. (121.9 x 96.5cm) \$20,000 - 30,000

PROVENANCE Maxwell Galleries, San Francisco Private Collection, Southern California (acquired from the above in 1968)



Raimonds Staprans (born 1926) Blue Pastoral, 1963 signed and dated 'Staprans-63' (lower right) oil on canvas 48 x 38in. (121.9 x 96.5cm) \$20,000 - 30,000

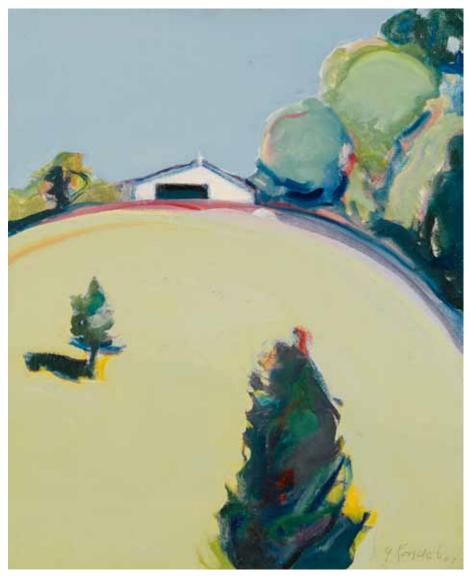
PROVENANCE Maxwell Galleries, San Francisco Private Collection, Southern California (acquired from the above in 1968)



# Raimonds Staprans (born 1926)

The White Sun, 1967 signed and dated 'Staprans-67' (lower left) oil on canvas 38 x 48in. (96.5 x 121.9cm) \$10,000 - 15,000

PROVENANCE Maxwell Galleries, San Francisco Acquired from the above by the present owner



**Gregory Kondos (born 1923)** Hill Top, 2007

signed and dated 'G Kondos 07' (lower right); signed again, titled, dated again and inscribed (on the reverse) oil on canvas 16 1/2 x 13 1/2in. (41.9 x 34.3cm) \$6,000 - 8,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner



Ynez Johnston (born 1920) Untitled signed 'Ynez Johnston' (lower right) watercolor, ink and Conté crayon on paper 19 x 24 1/2in. (48.3 x 62.2cm) \$1,000 - 1,500

Ynez Johnston (born 1920) Untitled, 1974 signed and dated 'Ynez Johnston 1974' (lower right) watercolor, ink and gouache on paper 39 1/2 x 27 3/4in. (100 x 70.5cm) \$1,200 - 1,800

EXHIBITED Fresno, Fresno Art Museum, *Ynez Johnston Retrospective*, June 5-August 16, 1992

# PROPERTY FROM A MIDWESTERN INSTITUTION

# 28

Ynez Johnston (born 1920) Harbor at Noon, 1976 signed and dated 'Ynez Johnston 76' (on the stretcher) ink, dye, silk and cotton collage on canvas *36 x 23 3/4in. (91.4 x 60.3cm)* unframed \$2,000 - 4,000

PROVENANCE Julianne Kemper, Kansas City



27





29 Lee Mullican (1919-1998) Ancient Game, 1970 signed, dated and inscribed 'Lee Mullican / 1970 / Santa Fe' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 29 3/4 x 49 3/4in. (75.6 x 126.4cm) \$7,000 - 9,000

PROVENANCE Jodi Scully Gallery, Los Angeles



## PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION

30

Lee Mullican (1919-1998) Meditations on a Landscape, 1963 signed and dated 'L. Mullican / 1963' (on the reverse) and titled (on the stretcher) oil on canvas 35 x 90in. (88.9 x 229cm) \$15,000 - 20,000

PROVENANCE Rose Rabow Gallery, San Francisco Private Collection, Los Angeles (acquired from the above in 1963) By descent from the above to the present owner

EXHIBITED San Francisco, San Francisco Museum of Art, *Symbolist Paintings by Lee Mullican*, January 18-Februray 28, 1965





## 32

# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF DANIEL DEL SOLAR, NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

31

Lee Mullican (1919-1998) Untitled, 1993 signed, dated and inscribed 'Lee Mullican / '93 / SMAC' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 24 x 18in. (61 x 45.7cm) unframed \$3,000 - 5,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

# 32

Lee Mullican (1919-1998) Guardian Ancestor, 1979 signed, dated and inscribed 'Lee Mullican / 1979 / UCLA' (on the reverse) oil on canvas *36 x 36in. (91.4 x 91.4cm)* unframed \$5,000 - 7,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner



PROPERTY FROM A MIDWESTERN INSTITUTION

Ynez Johnston (born 1920) On Observatory Hill signed 'Ynez Johnston' (lower center) acrylic and ink on fabric on canvas 77 x 42in. (195.6 x 106.7cm) unframed \$4,000 - 6,000

PROVENANCE Adele Bednarz Galleries, Los Angeles Julianne Kemper, Kansas City





#### PROPERTY FROM THE FINE ARTS MUSEUMS OF SAN FRANCISCO, SOLD TO BENEFIT FUTURE MUSEUM ACQUISITIONS

### 34

Peter Voulkos (1924-2002) Pot, 1973

signed and dated 'Voulkos 73' (on the underside) gas fired, wheel-thrown and manipulated stoneware with porcelain pass throughs, cobalt oxide and clear glaze 6 x 8 x 7 1/2in. (15.2 x 20.3 x 19cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

#### PROVENANCE

Erle Loran Family, Northern California Gift from the above to the present owner

We are grateful to Sam Jornlin and the Voulkos & Co. Catalogue project for assisting with this catalog description.

#### 35

**Peter Voulkos (1924-2002)** Untitled Plate P9, 2000 signed and dated 'Voulkos 2K' (on the underside) bronze with reddish tan patina 7 *3/4 x 23 x 22in. (19.7 x 58.4 x 55.9cm)* **\$7,000 - 9,000** 

#### PROVENANCE

Private Collection, Sacramento (acquired from the artist) Acquired from the above by the present owner in 2010

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#### Peter Voulkos (1924-2002) Molestar S24, 2001 signed and dated 'Voulkos 2001' (along the base) and inscribed 'AFG 2/AP' (along the base) bronze with brown patina 54 x 27 1/2 x 24in. (137.2 x 69.8 x 61cm) \$30,000 - 50,000

#### PROVENANCE

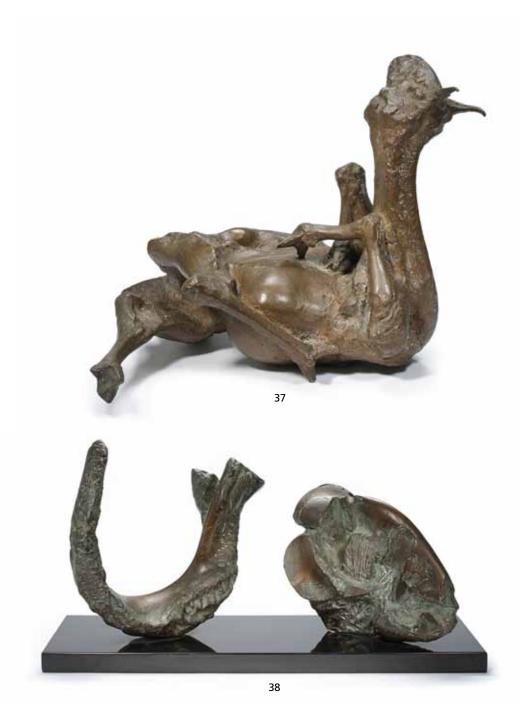
Private Collection, Sacramento (acquired from the artist) Acquired from the above by the present owner in 2010

# EXHIBITED

Sacramento, Art Foundry Gallery, From Tiles to Totems: A Century of Northern California Ceramics, April 1-May 1, 2005

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**37 Jack Zajac (born 1929)** Goat with high head signed and numbered 'Zajac / 1/6' (above the tail) bronze with brownish green patina *18 3/4 x 22 3/4 x 17 3/4in. (47.6 x 57.8 x 45.1cm*) **\$3,000 - 5,000**  **38 Jack Zajac (born 1929)** Horn and Skull signed 'Zajac' (on the underside of the skull) bronze with brown patina on marble base *15 x 31 x 22in. (38.1 x 78.7 x 55.9cm)* **\$2,000 - 3,000** 



# PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

# 39

Jack Zajac (born 1929) Bound Goat Monday, 1973 bronze with green patina 23 x 51 x 13 3/4*in*. (58.4 x 129.5 x 34.9cm) This work is from an edition of 6. \$6,000 - 8,000

PROVENANCE Mekler Gallery, Los Angeles Private Collection, Los Angeles (acquired from the above in 1980) By descent from the above to the present owner



PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

# 40

John Altoon (1925-1969) Untitled, 1959 signed and dated 'Altoon 59' (lower center) gouache, pastel and ink on paper 23 3/4 x 18 3/4in. (60.3 x 47.6cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

PROVENANCE Landau/Alexander Gallery, Santa Monica Acquired from the above by the present owner *circa* 1959



# PROPERTY FROM THE ESTATE OF BEVERLY A. HARPER, LOS ANGELES

41

John Altoon (1925-1969) Untitled, 1962 signed and dated 'Altoon 62' (lower right) chalk, gouache and ink on paperboard 28 3/8 x 39 7/8in. (72.1 x 101.3cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

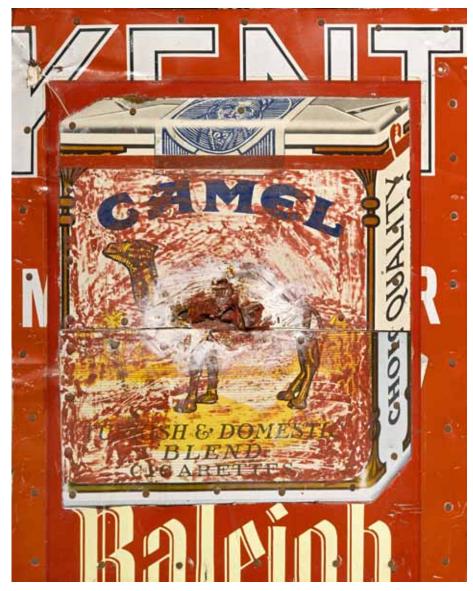
Ed and Nancy Kienholz (1927-1994 and born 1943) The Fandango Black, 1986 signed, titled, inscribed and dated ' E. and N. Kienholz / Hope, Idaho 1986' (on the reverse) porcelain figurine, horns, burnt wood, rods, tar, knife and resin assemblage 57 x 22 x 11 1/2in. (144.8 x 55.9 x 29.2cm) \$30,000 - 50,000

PROVENANCE Louver Gallery, New York Private Collection (acquired from the above) Anon. sale, Christie's New York, September 26, 2002, lot 762 Acquired at the above sale by the present owner

EXHIBITED

Düsseldorf, Museum moderner Kunst, *Kienholz: The 1980s*, March 23-May 28, 1989, p. 96 (illustrated in color p. 97) This exhibition traveled to Museum des 20, Vienna.





PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

Tony Berlant (born 1941) Camel, 1963 signed and dated 'Berlant 1963' (on the stretcher) found tin with steel brads and mixed media on panel 12 1/2 x 10in. (31.7 x 25.4cm) \$6,000 - 8,000

PROVENANCE David Stuart Galleries, Los Angeles Jeri Coates, Los Angeles

#### PROPERTY FROM A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLECTOR

#### 44

### Ed and Nancy Kienholz (1927-1994 and born 1943)

The Econo-Can, 1977 signed and numbered 'Kienholz #22/53' (on the reverse) metal, Fresnel lens system, transistor radio, power cord and epoxy resin 19 x 9 x 8 5/8in. (48.3 x 22.9 x 22cm) This work is number 22 from an edition of 53 plus 12 artist's proofs, three special copies, three Gemini impressions and three prototypes published by Gemini G.E.L. in 1977 (no. 29.8). \$2,000 - 3,000

# PROVENANCE

Gemini G.E.L., Los Angeles Acquired from the above by the present owner in 1977

#### 45

# George Herms (born 1935)

Cheap Skate, 1981 signed, titled and dated 'G. Herms 81' (near the base) wood, credit card imprinter, roller skate, cast and bell assemblage 30 x 15 5/8 x 6 1/8in. (76.2 x 39.7 x 15.6cm) \$4,000 - 6,000

#### PROVENANCE

Acquired from the artist by the present owner in 1994







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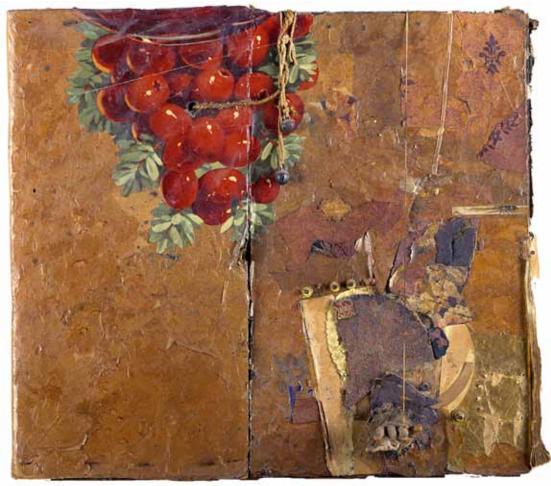
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Bruce Conner (1933-2008)
Cherries, 1960
signed and inscribed 'Bruce Conner / 1205 Oak Ct Apt #1 / San Francisco CA' (center left); signed again and dated 'Conner / Sept 1960' (on the reverse)
brown paper, printed paper, book binding, printed fabric, plaster hand figurine, string, bells, leather, metal nails and hair collage on masonite and cardboard
16 3/8 x 18 3/4 x 4in. (41.6 x 47.6 x 10.2cm)
\$40,000 - 60,000

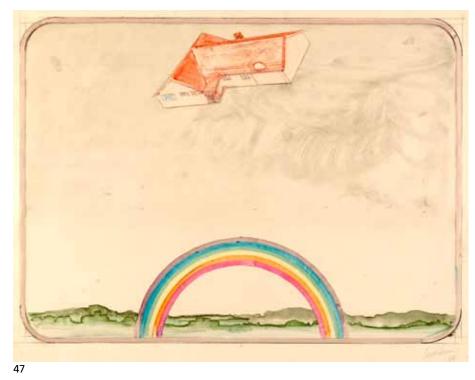
PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner *circa* 1965

EXHIBITED San Francisco, Batman Gallery, *Gangbang*, December 4, 1960-January 1, 1961

'His new black-wax and collage sculptures, collages, and paintings show intense grappling with the harmony of pure beauty and the breakthrough to a fiery consciousness of human injustice and a deep anarchic humor.'

-From the exhibition announcement of Bruce Conner's inaugural show at the Batman Gallery







Robert Arneson (1930-1992) Alice Over the Rainbow, 1968 signed and dated 'Arneson 68' (lower right) watercolor, ink and crayon on paper 20 x 26in. (50.8 x 66cm) \$1,500 - 2,500

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

# 48

Robert Arneson (1930-1992)Graptolites Have Long Been Extinct, 1968signed and dated 'Arneson 68' (lower right) andtitled (lower center)watercolor, ink and crayon on paper20 x 26in. (50.8 x 66cm)\$1,500 - 2,500

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF MARK STEVENSON, OREGON

#### 49

Roy De Forest (1930-2007) Untitled, 1975 signed and dated 'Roy De Forest 1975' (center left) pastel and pencil on paper in artist's frame framed 23 5/8 x 31 1/4in. (60 x 79.4cm) \$2,000 - 4,000

# 50

# Roy De Forest (1930-2007)

The Great Shys Drawing, 1974 signed, titled and dated 'Roy De Forest 1974' (upper center) pastel, pencil, ink and colored pencil on paper in artist's frame framed 23 3/4in x 30 3/4in. (60.3 x 78.1cm)

\$2,000 - 4,000







#### PROPERTY FROM A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLECTOR

**51 Billy Al Bengston (born 1934)** Skinny's 21, 1961 signed with initials and dated 'B.A.B. / 1961' (lower center) oil on canvas *42 x 40in. (106.7 x 101.6cm)* **\$40,000 - 60,000** 

PROVENANCE Stars For Freedom Art Auction, Los Angeles, 1964 Acquired at the above sale by the present owner

LITERATURE L. Lippard, *Pop Art*, New York, 1966, no. 126 (illustrated in color p. 141) S. Wilson, *Pop*, London, 1974, no. 26 (illustrated in color p. 28)

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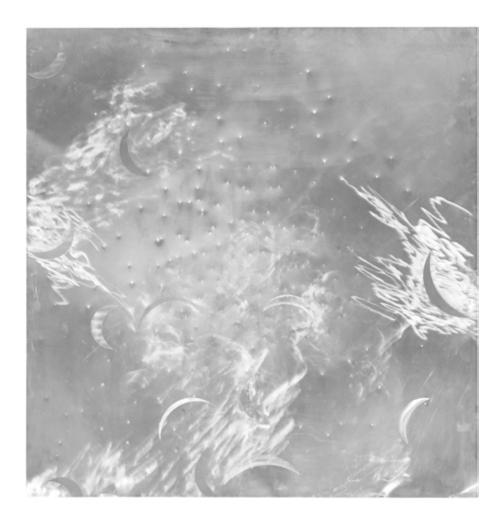
Los Angeles, Ferus Gallery, An Exhibition of Recent Work by Billy Al Bengston, November 13-December 2, 1961 Milwaukee, Milwaukee Art Center, Pop Art in the American Tradition, April 9-May 9, 1965 Los Angeles, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Billy, November 26, 1968-January 12, 1969, no. 24 (illustrated) New York, Whitney Museum of American Art, American Pop Art, April 6-June 16, 1974, no. 26 (illustrated p. 31) Berkeley, University Art Museum, Made in USA: An Americanization in Modern Art, The '50s & '60s, April 4-June 21, 1987, no. 169 (illustrated in color p. 174) This exhibition traveled to Kansas City, Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art and Richmond, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts. Houston, Contemporary Arts Museum, Billy Al Bengston: Paintings of Three Decades, May 14–June 26, 1988, no. 4 (illustrated p. 24) This exhibition traveled to The Oakland Museum, Oakland; Los Angeles County Museum of Art; The Contemporary Museum, Honolulu, Hawaii. Newport, Newport Harbor Art Museum, LA Pop in the Sixties, April 20-July 9, 1989, no. 22 This exhibition traveled to Washington, Henry Art Gallery; Palm Springs, Palm Springs Desert Museum; New York, Neuberger Museum; Phoenix, Phoenix Art Museum.

This lot is accompanied by a copy of the exhibition catalog *Billy*, designed by Ed Ruscha, and written by James Monte, Toyo Press, Los Angeles, 1969.

The 1960s was a riotous decade for the Los Angeles art scene, with artists like Billy Al Bengston, Ed Kienholz and Ed Ruscha working independently of New York influences, and putting Southern California on the map. The Ferus Gallery on La Cienega Boulevard was at the center of the commotion, and in 1961, the gallery asked Billy Al Bengston to create a solo show. Bengston produced over a dozen works for the exhibit that focused on the parts of a motorcycle he had recently purchased, and one 'complete rendition of the motorcycle titled, *Skinny's 21*, a reference to the former owner... and the twenty-one cubic inch engine' (K. Tsujimoto, *Pop in the Sixties, Berkeley*, p. 54). The artist's choice of subject matter was reflective of a rebellious, youthful spirit that was proliferated by popular culture in films and other media in the 60s.

Bengston is an artist who is not easy to pin down, having produced a diverse body of work throughout his career, but his paintings depicting the different parts of *Skinny's 21* gained national recognition and were strongly associated with the Pop Art movement. In *Skinny's 21*, Bengston created a very precise depiction of his motorcycle, with thinly applied oil paint and minimized visibility of the handling of the strokes, and with his attention to the subtle details of each part that comprised the overall bike. While motorcycles would remain influential in Bengston's personal life and in his art, the subject matter was a 'momentary detour in his career' (K. Tsujimoto, *op.cit.*, p. 55).

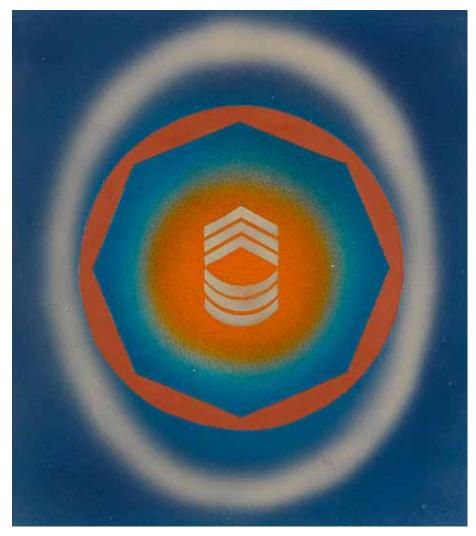




# PROPERTY FROM THE ESTATE OF MARGARET H. WILSON, LAKE HAVASU AND CARLSBAD

52 Billy Al Bengston (born 1934) Burnished aluminum drawing, T7, 1971 burnished aluminum 50 x 48in. (127 x 121.9cm) unframed \$10,000 - 15,000

PROVENANCE Private Collection (acquired from the artist's studio in 1972)

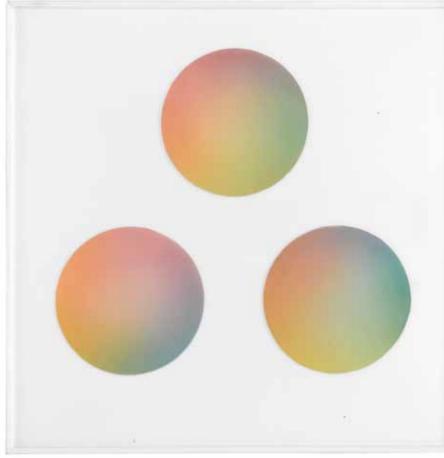


PROPERTY FROM A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLECTOR

**53 Billy Al Bengston (born 1934)** Untitled, 1962 nitrocellulose lacquer and acrylic on masonite 9 x 7 7/8in. (22.9 x 20cm) **\$15,000 - 20,000** 

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist's studio by the present owner





Judy Chicago (born 1939) Test chalice (from *The Dinner Party*), 1979 signed, titled and dated 'Judy Chicago / 1979' (on the underside) glazed ceramic *7 1/4 x 5 5/8 x 5 5/8in. (18.4 x 14.3 x 14.3cm*) \$2,500 - 3,500

PROVENANCE Murray Gribin, Los Angeles Gift from the above to the present owner

The Dinner Party is widely recognized as one of the most important icons of feminist art of the 20th century. It premiered at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art in 1979 and later toured throughout the country and Europe. The installation is comprised of a large triangular table set for thirty-nine important women from history. The hand-stitched runners and handpainted plates celebrate traditional female accomplishments such as textile art and china painting. Each of the plates has motifs based on female sexual anatomy that are rendered in the style of the woman being commemorated. Since 2007 it has been on permanent exhibition at the Brooklyn Museum in New York and continues to raise important issues about feminism and art.

#### PROPERTY FROM A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLECTOR

#### 55

Judy Chicago (born 1939) Three Circles sprayed acrylic lacquer on acrylic in artist's frame framed 15 1/4 x 15 1/4in. (38.7 x 38.7cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

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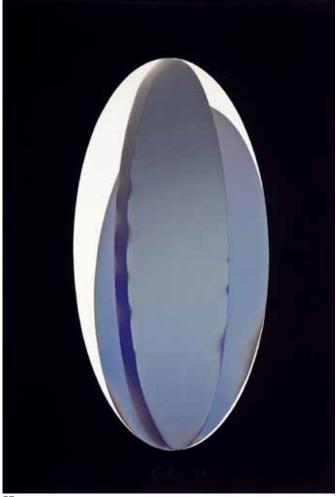
Pasadena, Pasadena Art Museum, *Judy Gerowitz Exhibition*, April 28-June 1, 1969

# PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

# 56

Vasa Velizar Mihich (born 1933) Untitled (#793), 1975 signed, dated and numbered 'Vasa 75' (along the bottom edge) acrylic on lacquered base 79 x 8 1/2 x 8 1/2in. (200.7 x 21.6 x 21.6cm) \$5,000 - 7,000







#### 58

# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF HOWREY LLP

#### 57

Larry Bell (born 1939) ELBKIN 2, Constructed Vapor Drawing, 1981 signed and dated 'L Bell '81' (lower center) vacuum coated metals and quartz on black Arches and Stonehenge paper 53 x 36in. (134.6 x 91.4cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

#### PROVENANCE

Private Collection, New York Private Collection (acquired from the above in 1981)

'I have an endless amount of anecdotes about "tripping" over my own work and finding gold. It happens all the time... I was working on a glass experiment with Eric Orr which required testing some coatings on glass in my vacuum coater. To protect the inside of the coater we used brown wrapping paper. It was during that period that I discovered that the coating stuck to the paper tank liner as well as the glass we were coating. When Eric and I finished the project I began experimenting with paper surfaces, thus inventing the "Vapor Drawings" something I still find interesting.'

-Larry Bell, 2013

# PROPERTY FROM A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLECTOR

#### 58

Larry Bell (born 1939) MS (Mirage Study) 11, 1988 titled (on the reverse) vacuum coated metal, quartz on papers, plastics and mixed media on white canvas *30 x 26in. (76.2 x 66cm)* unframed \$1,000 - 1,500

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist's studio by the present owner in 1988



PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF HOWREY LLP

Eric Orr (1939-1998) Lund Red Void, 1992 signed, titled and dated 'Orr 92' (on the reverse) oil and lead on panel 72 x 44in. (182.8 x 111.8cm) \$6,000 - 8,000



60 Eric Orr (1939-1998) Untitled, 1987 signed, titled and dated twice 'Orr 87'(on the reverse) oil, gold leaf and lead on panel 43 x 36in. (109.2 x 91.4cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

# PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

#### 61

Eric Orr (1939-1998) Untitled (window) gold leaf and lead on panel 16 x 11 in. (40.6 x 27.9cm) \$1,500 - 2,000

# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF EDMUND M. KAUFMAN

#### 62

Eric Orr (1939-1998) Chemical Light, 1983 signed, titled and dated 'Orr 83' (on the reverse) gold leaf, lead and artist's blood on panel 28 7/8 x 24in. (73.3 x 61cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

### PROVENANCE

Neil Ovsey Gallery, Los Angeles Acquired from the above by the present owner in 1984







Sam Francis (1923-1994) Untitled (SF 76-523), 1976 stamped with the artist's signature 'Sam Francis' and with the estate stamp (on the reverse) acrylic and watercolor on paper 22 3/8 x 30 1/4in. (56.8 x 76.8cm) \$25,000 - 30,000

PROVENANCE Estate of the artist Manny Silverman Gallery, Los Angeles (acquired from the above in 1997) Martin Lawrence Galleries, Boston Acquired from the above by the present owner in 2003

#### EXHIBITED

Madrid, Sala de las Alhajas, Fundación Caja de Madrid, *Sam Francis: Elementos y Arquetipos*, April 26-June 23, 1997 (illustrated in color p. 71) This exhibition traveled to Malibu, Frederick R. Weisman Museum of Art, *Sam Francis: The Archetypal Image*, January 11-March 30, 1997.

We are grateful to the Sam Francis Foundation for their assistance in cataloguing this work.



PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

Sam Francis (1923-1994) Untitled (SF82-742), 1982 stamped with artist's signature 'Sam Francis' and with the estate stamp (on the reverse) acrylic on paper 19 x 15 1/2in. (48.3 x 39.4cm) \$12,000 - 18,000

PROVENANCE Estate of the artist Hunsaker/Schlesinger Gallery, Los Angeles Acquired from the above by the present owner in 1998

### EXHIBITED

Santa Monica, Bobbie Greenfield Gallery, Drawings and Prints-William Brice, Richard Diebenkorn, Sam Francis, David Hockney, Nathan Oliveira, June 27-September 30, 1998

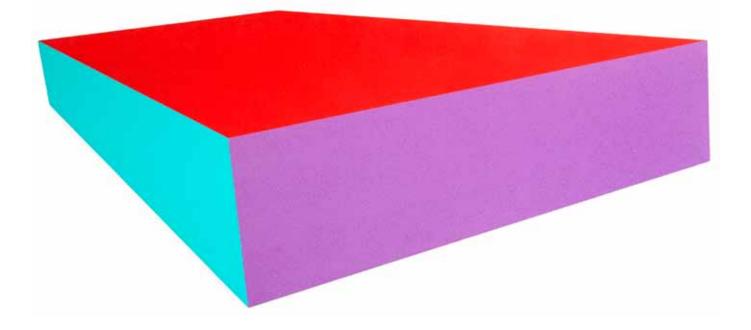
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PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

65 Ronald Davis (born 1937) Circuit, 1984 signed, titled and dated 'Ronald Davis / 1984' (on the reverse) Cel-Vinyl acrylic on canvas 89 1/2 x 86 1/2in. (227.3 x 219.7cm) \$6,000 - 8,000

PROVENANCE Blum Helman Gallery, Santa Monica

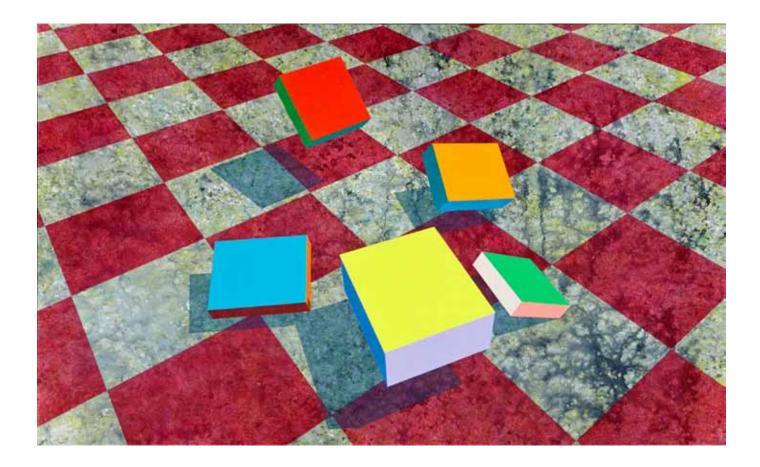


#### PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

# 66

Ronald Davis (born 1937)
Red Top Slab (from the Ray Trace Shape series), 1988
signed and dated 'Ronald Davis 1988' (on the reverse)
Cel-Vinyl acrylic copolymer and Nova gel on birch plywood 32 x 71in. (81.3 x 180.3cm)
\$15,000 - 20,000

PROVENANCE John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco Acquired from the above by the present owner in 1989



# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF HOWREY LLP

# 67

Ronald Davis (born 1937)
Five Slabs Over Checkerboard, 1988
signed, titled and dated 'Ronald Davis / 1988' (on the reverse)
Cel-Vinyl acrylic and Nova gel on canvas
52 x 84 1/8in. (132 x 213.7cm)
\$8,000 - 12,000

PROVENANCE Blum Helman Gallery, Santa Monica



Billy Al Bengston (born 1934) Antibes, 1985 titled and dated (on artist's studio label on the reverse) acrylic on canvas 60 x 48in. (152.4 x 121.9cm) \$5,000 - 7,000

PROVENANCE Artist's studio, Venice Thomas Babeor Gallery, La Jolla



# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF HOWREY LLP

#### 69

Billy Al Bengston (born 1934) Agua Caliente Dracula, 1972 acrylic on canvas 24 x 24in. (61 x 61cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

PROVENANCE Private Collection (acquired from the artist's studio)

### 70

Charles Garabedian (born 1923) Untitled (Red skull), 1981 acrylic and watercolor on paper on board *39 7/8 x 59in. (101.3 x 149.9cm)* \$4,000 - 6,000

69



Billy Al Bengston (born 1934) Venice Watercolor, 1974 (2 parts) each signed with initials, dated and inscribed 'B.A.B. / Venice 1974' (lower center) each watercolor on paper each 12 x 16in. (30.5 x 40.6cm) \$1,200 - 1,800

PROVENANCE Artist's Studio, Venice

# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF HOWREY LLP

# 72

Peter Alexander (born 1939) Sinbad, 1982 signed with initials and dated 'P.A. / 82' (lower right) mixed media on velvet 24 x 29 1/2in. (61 x 74.9cm) \$3,000 - 5,000





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# 73

Joe Goode (born 1937) Ocean Blue Series #30, 1989 signed and dated 'Joe Goode / 1989' (on the reverse) oil on paper *30 1/4 x 22 3/8in. (76.8 x 56.8cm)* \$10,000 - 15,000

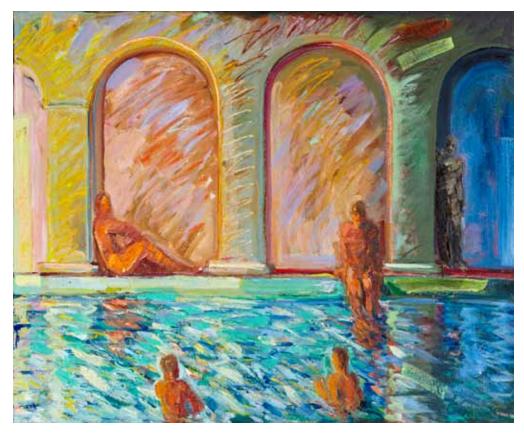
PROVENANCE Artist's Studio, Los Angeles

# PROPERTY FROM THE ESTATE OF ZORA CHANES

74

Roger Herman (born 1947) Feminine Landscape, 1983 signed with initials, titled and dated 'RH 83' (lower left) oil on canvas 83 x 53in. (210.8 x 134.6cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

PROVENANCE Eaton/Schoen Gallery, San Francisco



75 Carlos Almaráz (1941-1989) Bathers, 1985 signed and dated 'Almaráz 85' (lower right); signed and dated again (on the reverse) oil on canvas 65 1/2 x 80in. (166.4 x 203.2cm) \$12,000 - 18,000

PROVENANCE Jan Turner Gallery, Los Angeles



Peter Alexander (born 1939) Puertecitos, 1984 signed with initials 'P.A.' (lower right); signed again, titled and dated '84' (on the reverse) acrylic on canvas 36 x 40in. (91.4 x 101.6cm) \$4,000 - 6,000

PROVENANCE James Corcoran Gallery, Los Angeles

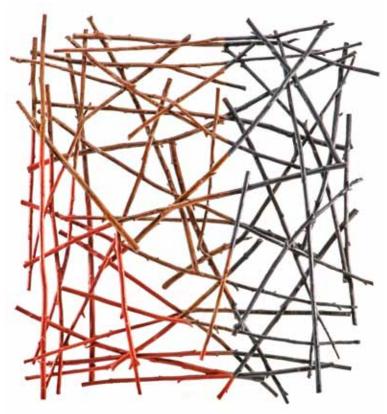
# 77

Peter Alexander (born 1939) San Quentin, 1984 signed with initials and dated 'P.A. 84' (lower right); signed again, titled and dated again (on the reverse) acrylic on canvas 36 1/4 x 40in. (92.1 x 101.6cm) \$4,000 - 6,000

PROVENANCE James Corcoran Gallery, Los Angeles



Peter Alexander (born 1939) Punta Roja, 1985 signed with initials and dated 'PA 85' (lower right); signed again, titled and dated again (on the reverse) acrylic and wax on canvas 48 1/4 x 53 1/8in. (122.5 x 134.9cm) \$6,000 - 8,000



PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF HOWREY LLP

79

Charles Arnoldi (born 1946) Untitled, 1975 signed and dated 'Arnoldi 1975' (on the reverse) acrylic on found sticks 42 x 39 1/2in. (106.7 x 100.3cm) \$8,000 - 12,000

# PROPERTY FROM THE MARKS FAMILY ART TRUST

## 80

Charles Arnoldi (born 1946) Final Ordinance, 1984 signed and dated 'Arnoldi / 1984' (on the reverse) acrylic on wood 58 1/2 x 48 x 4in. (148.6 x 121.9 x 10.2cm) \$15,000 - 20,000

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PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF HOWREY LLP

Charles Arnoldi (born 1946) Paloma, 1978 signed, titled and dated 'Arnoldi / 1978' (on the reverse) acrylic on canvas 84 x 76in. (213.4 x 193cm) unframed \$15,000 - 20,000

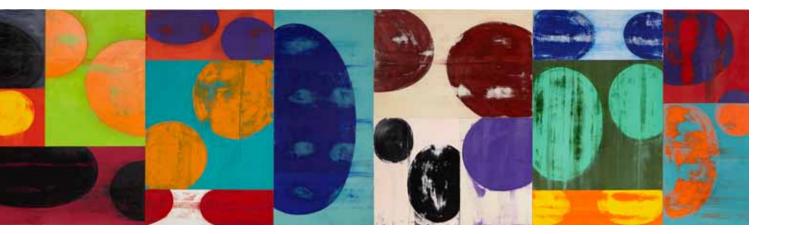


## PROPERTY FROM THE LOEWS HOTEL, HOLLYWOOD

82 Charles Arnoldi (born 1946) Moving Pictures, 2001 (4 parts) signed, titled and dated (on the reverse) acrylic on canvas on panel overall 90 x 624 1/4in. (228.6 x 1,585.6cm) \$60,000 - 80,000

PROVENANCE Artist's Studio

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# PROPERTY FROM A SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COLLECTOR

#### 83

Michael C. McMillen (born 1946) El Paso, 1998-1999 signed, titled and dated 'Michael C. McMillen / 1998-99' (on the reverse) bronze with greenish brown patina 18 x 6 3/4 x 10 1/4in. (45.7 x 17.1 x 26cm) \$1,000 - 1,500

## PROVENANCE

L.A. Louver, Venice Acquired from the above by the present owner in 1999

## 84

Laddie John Dill (born 1943) Untitled, 1985 signed and dated 'Laddie John Dill / 1985' (on the reverse) cement, glass and oxides on panel 48 x 18in. (121.9 x 45.7cm) \$1,000 - 1,500

Guy Dill (born 1946) Evencross Small (Din), 2004 signed with initials and dated 'gd 04' (on the base) bronze with goldish brown patina 34 1/4 x 31 x 12in. (87.6 x 78.7 x 30.5cm) \$7,000 - 9,000

PROVENANCE Meyerovich Gallery, San Francisco Private Collection (acquired from the above)





# PROPERTY FROM THE MARKS FAMILY ART TRUST

#### 86

Robert Graham (1938-2008) Lori, 1986 signed and numbered '2/6 / R Graham' (on the reverse of the base) bronze with greyish black patina This work is number two from an edition of six plus two artist's proofs 60 1/4 x 6 1/4 x 4 1/4in. (153 x 15.9 x 10.8cm) \$40,000 - 60,000

LITERATURE

J. McEwen, *Robert Graham Statues*, Frankfurt, 1990, no. 71 (another cast illustrated)

# PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, MALIBU

#### 87

**Robert Graham (1938-2008)** Elisa 4-24-96, 1996 signed with initials, titled, dated and stamped '4-24-96 RG / 01.10' (along the lower edge of the base) bronze with dark brown patina *4 1/2 x 7 3/4 x 7 1/2in. (11.4 x 19.7 x 19.1cm*) **\$3,000 - 5,000** 

#### LITERATURE

A. Arteaga and A. Ruy Sanchez, *Robert Graham*, Mexico City, 1997, no. 884 (another cast illustrated p.154)





#### PROPERTY FROM A BEL AIR ESTATE

#### 88

Robert Graham (1938-2008)

MOCA Torso, 1992-95 signed 'R. Graham' (on the underside of the base) bronze with brown patina published by The Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles 11 x 4 1/2 x 4 1/2in. (27.9 x 10.8 x 11.4cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

# PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, SHERMAN OAKS

## 89

Robert Graham (1938-2008) MOCA Torso, 1992-1995 signed 'R Graham' (on the underside) bronze with greyish brown patina published by the Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles 11 x 4 3/8 x 4 3/8in. (27.9 x 11.1 x 11.1cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

#### PROVENANCE

Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles Acquired from the above by the present owner



89



David James Gilhooly (born 1943) Frog Pancakes, 2007 signed and dated 'Gilhooly / 2007' (on the underside) glazed ceramic 5 x 9 1/4 x 9 1/4in. (12.7 x 23.5 x 23.5cm) \$1,000 - 1,500

#### PROVENANCE

Acquired from the artist by the present owner

## 91

David James Gilhooly (born 1943) Chocolate Frog Cake, 2008 signed and dated 'Gilhooly / 2008' (on the underside) glazed ceramic 6 x 8 3/4 x 8 3/4in. (15.1 x 22.2 x 22.2cm) \$1,000 - 1,500

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner



#### PROPERTY FROM THE SONESTA INTERNATIONAL HOTELS CORPORATION

### 92

David James Gilhooly (born 1943) Rich Beaver Wedding Cake, 1978 signed and dated 'Gilhooly 78' (on the second cake tier) glazed ceramic 35 x 13 x 13in. (88.9 x 33 x 33cm) \$3,000 - 5,000





Squeak Carnwath (born 1947) Grace, 1989 signed, titled and dated 'Carnwath / 1989' (on the reverse); signed again (on the stretcher) and titled again (on the overlap) oil and alkyd on canvas 77 x 77in. (195.6 x 195.6cm) \$8,000 - 12,000

#### PROVENANCE John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco Acquired from the above by the present owner

#### EXHIBITED

Oakland, The Oakland Museum of California, *Oakland's Artists '90*, March 24-July 1, 1990 Oakland, The Oakland Museum of California, *Squeak Carnwath: Painting Is No Ordinary Object*, April 25-August 23, 2009, no.12 (illustrated in color p. 34)

Squeak Carnwath (born 1947) Only Good, 1997 signed, titled and dated 'S. Carnwath / 1997' (on the reverse) oil and alkyd on canvas 55 x 55in. (139.7 x 139.7cm) \$6,000 - 8,000

#### PROVENANCE

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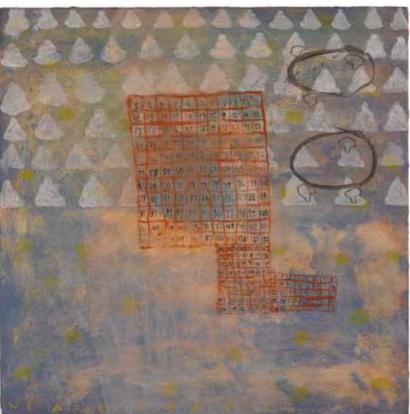
## Squeak Carnwath (born 1947)

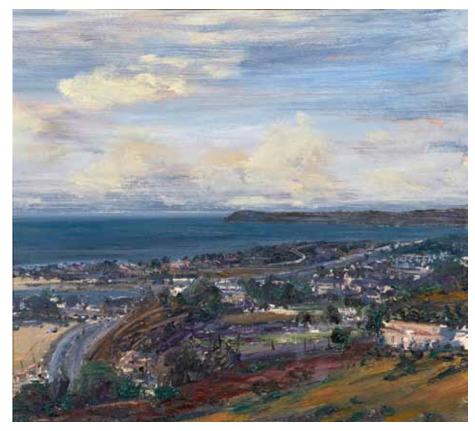
Ready Moments, 1996 signed, titled and dated 'S. Carnwath / 1996' (on the reverse) tempera on birch wood 15 x 15in. (38.1 x 38.1cm) \$2,000 - 4,000

#### PROVENANCE

John Berggruen Gallery, San Francisco Acquired from the above by the present owner







PROPERTY FROM A PRIVATE COLLECTION, LOS ANGELES

Larry Cohen (born 1952) View From Sweetwater Canyon, Malibu signed 'Larry Cohen' (on the reverse); signed again and titled (on the stretcher) oil on canvas 18 x 20in. (45.7 x 50.8cm) \$1,500 - 2,500

Willard Dixon (born 1942) Backstreet, 1983 signed with initials and dated 'WD 83' (lower left) oil and pencil on canvas 41 5/8 x 72in. (105.7 x 182.9cm) \$2,000 - 3,000

#### PROVENANCE

William Sawyer Gallery, San Francisco Acquired from the above by the present owner *circa* 1985

#### 98

Larry Cohen (born 1952) View of Santa Monica Beach, 1980 signed and dated 'Larry Cohen 80' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 30 x 40in. (76.2 x 101.6cm) \$3,000 - 5,000



97





 William Dole (1917-1983)

 Mundi, 1981

 signed and dated 'W. Dole 1981' (lower right)

 ink, watercolor and paper collage on heavy

 paper

 8 3/4 x 13 3/4in. (22.2 x 35cm)

 \$800 - 1,200

#### 100

Robert Therrien (born 1947) No Title (Arch), 1978 polyester resin 4 5/8 x 5 1/2in. (11.7 x 14cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

#### PROVENANCE

Ruth S. Schaffner Gallery, Los Angeles Murray Gribin, Los Angeles Gift from the above to the present owner





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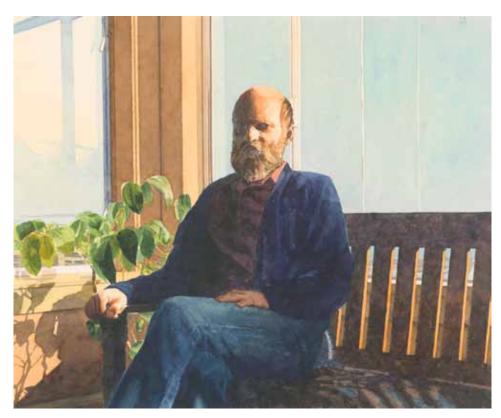
101 Carl Morris (1911-1993) Untitled signed 'Carl Morris' (lower left) oil on canvas 36 x 60in. (91.4 x 152.4cm) \$3,000 - 5,000

PROVENANCE The Fountain Gallery of Art, Portland



102 John Register (1939-1996) Untitled signed 'Register' (lower right) oil on canvas 46 3/4 x 72 1/4in. (118.7 x 183.5cm) \$30,000 - 50,000

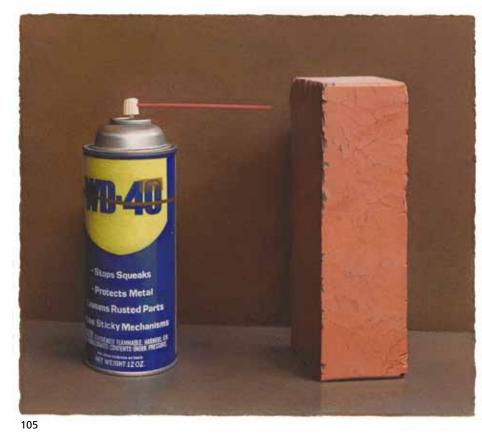
PROVENANCE David B. McCall, New York (acquired from the artist) Penny McCall Foundation, New York By descent from the above to present owner



103 Robert Bechtle (born 1932) Potrero Sun, 1985 signed with initials and dated 'RB / 85' (upper right); signed again, titled and dated again (on the reverse) watercolor on paper 22 3/8 x 26 3/4in. (56.8 x 68cm) \$10,000 - 15,000

PROVENANCE O.K. Harris Gallery, New York Acquired from the above by the present owner





#### 104

David Ligare (born 1945) Study for Thrown Drapery, 1980 signed and dated twice 'D. Ligare 1980' (lower right) watercolor and pencil on paper 22 1/2 x 30 1/8in. (57.1 x 76.5cm) \$2,000 - 3,000

PROVENANCE Koplin Gallery, Los Angeles

#### 105

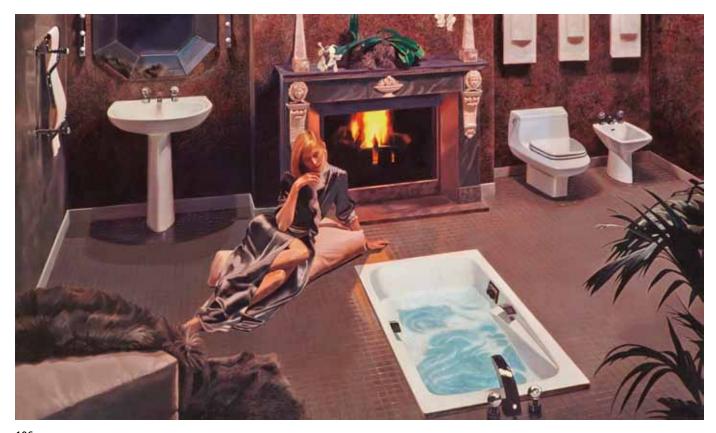
Maxwell Hendler (born 1938) Untitled, 1980 signed and dated 'Max Hendler / 1980' (on the reverse) watercolor on paper 8 1/2 x 9 5/8in. (21.6 x 24.4cm) \$2,500 - 3,500

PROVENANCE

Robert Miller Gallery, Inc., New York Asher/Faure Gallery, Los Angeles

#### EXHIBITED

Laguna Beach, Laguna Beach Museum of Art, *West Coast Realism*, June 3-July 24, 1983, p. 28 (illustrated in color) This exhibition traveled to Fort Lauderdale, Museum of Art; Normal, Center for Visual Arts; Fresno, Fresno Art Center; Baton Rouge, Louisiana Arts and Science Center; Brunswick, Museum of Art; Colorado Springs, Fine Arts Center; Joplin, Spiva Art Center; Beaumont, Beaumont Art Museum; Reno, Sierra Nevada Museum of Art; Fort Meyers, Edison Community College.



#### 106 Jack Mendenhall (born 1937) Jacuzzi Whirlpool Bath's Lumiere Collection, 1986 signed and dated 'Mendenhall 86' (lower right) oil on canvas 44 x 76in. (111.8 x 193cm) \$10,000 - 15,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

EXHIBITED New York, O.K. Harris Gallery, Jack Mendenhall: Solo Show, 1988



# PROPERTY FROM THE COLLECTION OF DANIEL DEL SOLAR, NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

#### 107

Matt Mullican (born 1951) Untitled (World Framed), c. 1980 cotton and grommets *48 x 48in. (121.9 x 121.9cm)* unframed \$4,000 - 6,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

#### 108

Matt Mullican (born 1951) Untitled (Sign), c.1980 cotton and grommets *47 3/4 x 47 3/4in. (121.3 x 121.3cm)* unframed \$4,000 - 6,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner





Mary Corse (born 1945) Untitled, 1994 signed, dated and inscribed 'Mary Corse / 6.30.1994' (on the reverse) glass microspheres in acrylic on canvas 36 x 36in. (91.4 x 91.4cm) unframed \$15,000 - 25,000

PROVENANCE Acquired from the artist by the present owner

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