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A Year in the Painting Life

September 16 - October 30, 2010

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WOL, 2010 Oil, acrylic, paper maché, mud, cloth, seeds and glass beads on linen 36 x 84 inches 91.4 x 213.3 cm ۲

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*Brooklyn 2010*, 2010 Acrylic, pastel, burlap, fabric, herbs and rosebuds on linen 54 x 72 inches 137.2 x 182.9 cm ۲

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*Big Blue Two*, 2010 Oil, acrylic, paper maché, herbs, twigs and seeds on linen 63 x 96 inches 160 x 243.8 cm ۲

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Rosebuds/White Field, 2009 Acrylic and rosebuds on linen 48 x 63 inches 121.9 x 160 cm ۲

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*Oh April*, 2010 Oil, acrylic, burlap, fabric, pastel, seeds and dirt on linen 54 x 210 inches 137.2 x 533.4 cm

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The Fall with Other Things in Mind, 2009 Oil, acrylic, paper maché, cloth, seeds, dried flowers and herbs on linen 54 x 72 inches 137.2 x 182.9 cm ۲

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The Other Side of the Mountain, 2009 Oil, acrylic, paper maché, cloth, dried flowers and rosebuds on linen 31 x 70 inches 78.7 x 177.8 cm ۲

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Ode to B, 2009 Oil, acrylic, paper maché, cloth and pastel on linen 65 % x 76 inches 167 x 193 cm ۲

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*New Moonfield*, 2008 Acrylic, burlap, silk, cheesecloth, wooden beads and paper maché on linen 54 x 78 inches 137.2 x 198.1 cm ۲

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Are Mine, 2010 Oil, acrylic, glitter, rosebuds and burlap on panel 30 x 30 inches 76.2 x 76.2 cm

### BIOGRAPHY

- 1940 Born in Highland Park, NJ
- 1962 A.B. from Douglass College, New Brunswick, NJ
- 1966 M.F.A. from Rutgers, The State University, New Brunswick, NJ The artist lives and works in Brooklyn and Woodstock, NY

# AWARDS

- 2007 The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation Fellowship
- 1983 John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Fellowship
- 1974 National Endowment for the Arts Fellowship

### SELECTED SOLO EXHIBITIONS (2000 - 2011)

- 2011 Dancing with the Dark: Prints by Joan Snyder 1963-2010, Jane Voorhees Zimmerli Art Museum at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
- 2010 Joan Snyder: A Year in the Painting Life, Betty Cuningham Gallery, New York, NY
- 2009 Joan Snyder: Seeds and Blossoms, Elena Zang Gallery, Shady, NY Joan Snyder: Paintings and Prints, SolwayJones Gallery, Los Angeles, CA Joan Snyder: Selected Paintings 1999-2007, Carl Solway Gallery, Cincinnati, OH
- 2008 Joan Snyder ...and seeking the sublime, Nielsen Gallery, Boston, MA Joan Snyder: One Blue Sky, Ten Political Paintings 1970-2008, Danforth Museum of Art, Framingham, MA
- 2007 Joan Snyder, Betty Cuningham Gallery, New York, NY
- 2005-06 *Joan Snyder: A Painting Survey, 1969-2005*, The Jewish Museum, New York, NY, traveled to the Danforth Museum of Art in Framingham, MA
- 2005 *Joan Snyder: Two Rivers*, Nielsen Gallery, Boston, MA *Joan Snyder: Sigh and Selected Works*, Sawhill Gallery, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, VA
- 2004 Joan Snyder, Women Make Lists, Betty Cuningham Gallery, New York, NY

Joan Snyder, Works on Paper, Alexandre Gallery, New York, NY

- 2002 *Joan Snyder: The Nature of Things*, Nielsen Gallery, Boston, MA *Joan Snyder: In Love with Paint*, Muroff Kotler Gallery, Ulster County Community College, Stone Ridge, NY
- 2001 Joan Snyder: Primary Fields, Robert Miller Gallery, New York, NY
- 2000 Joan Snyder: Kaddish / Requiem, The Philadelphia Museum of Jewish Art, Philadelphia, PA
  Joan Snyder: In Times of Great Disorder, Nielsen Gallery, Boston, MA

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## SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS (2000 - 2011)

- 2010-11 *Shifting the Gaze: Painting and Feminism*, The Jewish Museum, New York, NY
- 2008 The New American Sublime: Landscape and Abstraction by Contemporary Painters, Schick Art Gallery, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY
- 2006-08 Wack! Art and the Feminist Revolution, curated by Connie Butler, Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA; traveled to: National Museum of Women in the Arts, Washington, D.C.; P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, NY; Vancouver Art Gallery, Vancouver, B.C., Canada

High Times, Hard Times, New York Painting 1967 – 1975, traveled to Weatherspoon Art Museum, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, NC; American University Museum at the Katzen Arts Center, Washington, D.C.; National Academy Museum, New York, NY

Women Only! In Their Studios, traveled to Museum of Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX; Polk Museum of Art, Lakeland, FL; Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Ft. Wayne, IN; Avampato Discovery Museum, Inc., Charleston, WV; Muskegon Museum of Art, Muskegon, MI; Lowe Art Museum, Coral Gables, FL, University of Miami, Miami, FL; Eleanor D. Wilson Museum, Hollins University, Roanoke, VA

- 2007 From the Inside Out: Feminist Art Then and Now, Geoffrey Yeh Art Gallery, St. John's University, Jamaica, NY Made in America, The Washington Print Club 19th Biennial, Washington, D.C
- 2006 How American Women Artists Invented Postmodernism: 1970-1975, Mason Gross School of the Arts Gallery, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ
- 2005 The Formal Presence of Text in Modern and Contemporary Works on Paper, Andrea Rosen Gallery, New York, NY
- 2003 About Painting, The Tang Museum, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY Off the Top: The Rutgers Tradition, Bill Maynes Gallery, New York, NY

2002 Personal and Political: The Women's Art Movement, 1969-1975, Guild Hall Museum, East Hampton, NY Painting: A Passionate Response, curated by Michael Walls, The Painting Center, New York, NY

2000 Mysticism and Desire, Patricia Hamilton, Los Angeles, CA The Perpetual Well: Contemporary Art from the Collection of The Jewish Museum, The Jewish Museum, New York, NY, traveled to Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, Sheldon Memorial Art Gallery and Sculpture Garden, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE, Parrish Art Museum, Southampton, NY, Huntington Museum of Art, Huntington, WV

# SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

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Allen Memorial Art Museum, Oberlin, OH Allentown Art Museum, Allentown, PA Ball State University Museum of Art, Muncie, ID Corcoran Gallery, Washington, DC Dallas Museum of Art, Dallas, TX Danforth Museum of Art. Framingham, MA Fogg Art Museum, Cambridge, MA Grand Rapids Art Museum, Grand Rapids, MI Guggenheim Museum, New York, NY High Museum of Art, Atlanta, GA J. B. Speed Art Museum, Louisville, KY Jane Vorhees Zimmerli Art Museum, New Brunswick, NJ The Jewish Museum, New York, NY The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY MIT List Visual Arts Center, Boston, MA Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA The Museum of Modern Art, New York, NY The National Academy, New York, NY The National Museum of Women in the Arts, Washington, DC Neuberger Museum, Purchase, NY New York Public Library Print Room, New York, NY Parrish Art Museum, Southampton, New York, NY Philadelphia Museum of Jewish Art, Philadelphia, PA The Phillips Collection, Washington, DC Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix, AZ Rose Art Museum, Brandeis University, Waltham MA Smith College Museum of Art, Northampton, MA The Tang Museum, Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, NY Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, VA The Walker Hill Art Center, Seoul, Korea Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY Wichita Art Museum, Wichita, KA Worcester Art Museum, Worcester, MA

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