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We are dead and death doesn't understand

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BIOGRAPHY

Marjan Shariat was born in Semnan in 1983. She has been interested in painting since she was a child. She studied mathematics in high school and then graphics. She finished the university with the project of the role of women in contemporary Iranian painting. For ten years, he worked as a graphic designer and magazine designer in addition to painting. Since 2016, she has only been working on painting projects and participated in various exhibitions.



ARTIST STATEMENT

Marjan Shariat

Gilles Deleuze is a completely different thinker; A philosopher who thinks about life and brings out the history of philosophy from a soulless body and gives it life. He believes that unlike the human "self" which is personal and conscious, life is impersonal and unique, which is obtained only through unknown sensory perceptions (intuitions). Art, like life, consists of sensory intuitions; From line, sound, color, image, weight, movement, etc. but it is never completely understood and always remains in our memory in a permanent and unmistakable way. According to Kant, art is the result of a free game between our imagination and our understanding in such a way that neither wins in this game; That is, neither imagination can grasp art in a known generality, nor understanding can categorize art in a mental category. For me, painting is an opening to my feelings that through paint and pen I can depict the complexity of my feelings and thoughts and explore more of myself, my feelings, and thoughts. During my university days, I focused on the stillness and silence of space. Spaces empty of humans, Unconscious body expression no filter I loved the silence between the lines and surfaces and observed it in all my abstract and real paintings.

but in recent years I focus more on humans and their presence in space. These years, I fluctuate between expressionism and realism in my portraits. Fluctuation between human memory and memories with existence and presence and touch of reality. Like the difference between dream and reality. In this fluctuation, I search for myself along the lines of realism and colors and forms of expression

The sense of human existence and presence opened a new window to the world for me, which I addressed in my works with the help of colored grays. I kill my dreams. I portray my concerns and worries; painting is always my safe haven.

SELECTED ARTWORKS



We Are Dead And Death Doesn't Understand Acrylic on cardboard, 20x20 cm, 2019



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We Are Dead And Death Doesn't Understand Acrylic on cardboard, 30 x 20 cm, 2019



We Are Dead And Death Doesn't Understand Acrylic on cardboard, 20x20 cm, 2019



We Are Dead And Death Doesn't Understand Acrylic on cardboard, 20x30 cm, 2020



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We Are Dead And Death Doesn't Understand Acrylic on cardboard, 20x20 cm, 2022

