Ocean of Silence

We are delighted to present SoonYoung Yang’s paintings at The Gallery @ InKo Centre from 31 January to 28 February 2020. Deeply inspired by the teachings of Sri Ramana Maharshi, SoonYoung Yang travels every year to spend time in quiet reflection at the Sri Ramanasramam at Tiruvannamalai in Tamil Nadu, South India. In the artist’s words, it is a ‘trembling intensity’ that infuses her canvas, a silence that ripples outwards to engulf the world with compassion.

Message from the artist

My works require repetitive actions and by doing so, my fluttering heart gets bigger and bigger. Finally it brings me to a moment where I feel as if my heart swallows the entire universe.

Right at that moment, beautiful stories tremble loudly and my paintings get unfolded through a window of excitement.

When I closely look into my paintings I see that innumerable existences are filling the canvas illuminated in their own authentic colours. I think it is a reflection of how numberless individuals live in this world. Each single colour brightens up and they accentuate one another to create one pure chunk of colour.

There is a wrinkled silence in my trembling intensity. That intensity is more beautiful and that intensiveness is Nah-toom, the projection of the astral body, to become one pure entity.

My work colours the world into a colourful window as the world unfolds with light from chaos. My canvas becomes a small city and the universe, and its appearance gets completed by imagination of the viewers based on their perception of the ideal world. Although a canvas can be either mono-coloured or bi-coloured colouring of the compacted square units on the canvas is a continuous trajectory of pure colour pieces.

I wish to let viewers get drawn into the pure colours and to take time to observe one's own ego discovering oneself. As the colour pieces repeat, filling and vacating the canvas I wish you to calmly observe and reflect upon existence and absence that modern people may feel and find your path with a sincere heart.

- SoonYoung Yang
To register and for further information, please call 044-24361224.

The exhibition will be on view at The Gallery @ InKo Centre from Friday, 31 January to Friday, 28 February 2020
10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. (except Sundays).

Workshop with the artist on Saturday, 1 February 2019.

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