

Art – whatever the medium—be it music, visual, spoken word, dance or theatre provides a source of structure and peace in our lives. Art provides a respite. As Friedrich Nietzsche put it, “We have art so that we may not perish by the truth.”

How many times has a melody touched your mind, your heart and created a profound sense of peace or joy? How many times have simple words uniquely expressed reached you in an inexplicably innate way? How many times have colors on canvas taken your breath away, caused you to pause and really think?

This installation is an expression of cultural cohesion, of showing how we can coexist within our distinct values and ways of life yet become a part of this massive mosaic of otherness.

Through acrylics, craft & design, spoken word, and music we will show how we can and do coexist. And we ask you to consider in a manner that transcends discursive thought the unlimited possibilities of how accepting others will open new doors to peace.

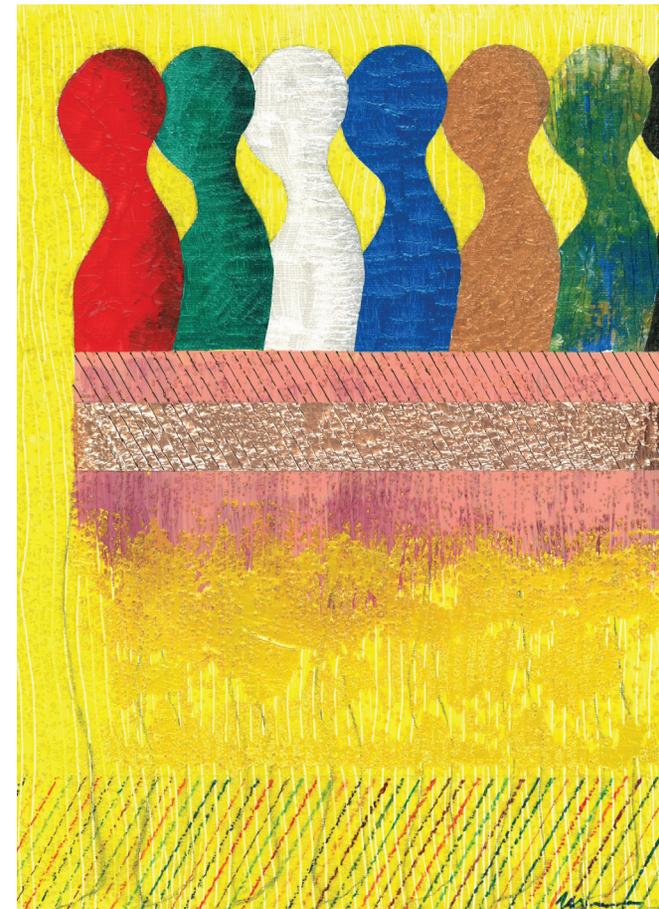
- Delores Abdella Combs

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The Art in/of Diversity

Exhibition opening
September 13, 2014

On view
September 13 - 27



Diversity, 2013



Colour Crest, 2012

PARTICIPANTS

Delores Abdella Combs

Poet and Exhibit Content Developer

Nathaniel Williams

Artist

Kevin Abdella

Musician and Composer

OPENING NIGHT DISCUSSION PANEL

September 13

John Maguire

President Emeritus, Claremont Graduate University

Peter Harris

Poet, Founder/Artistic Director of Inspiration House

Everett Vigil "Manchild"

Founder, The Non-Prophet Poets

José Z. Calderón

*Professor Emeritus of Sociology and Chicano/
Latino/a Studies, Pitzer College*

Cheryl Williams - Jackson

*Professor of Child Development and Human Service,
Modesto Junior College*

This exhibition will also feature dA Community Artists, Poets, and Musicians working collaboratively on the theme of "The Art in/of Diversity".

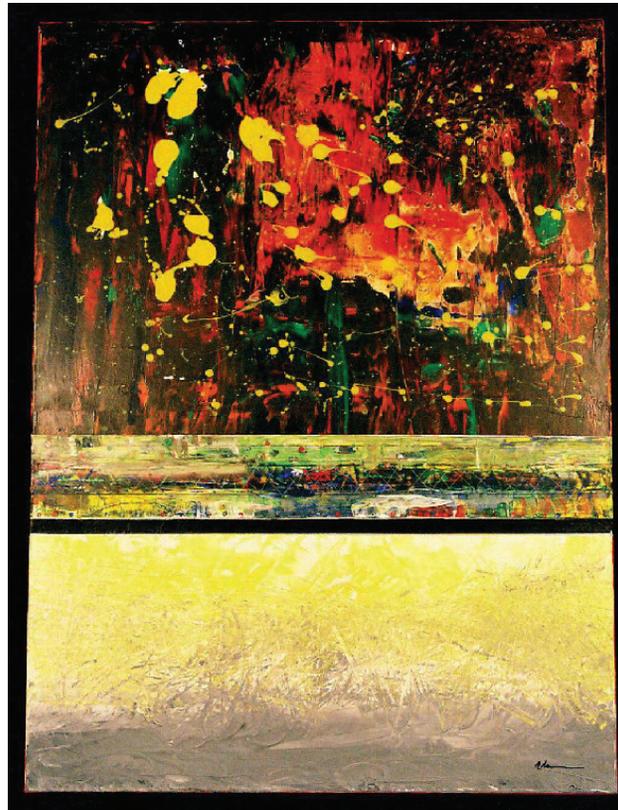
Opening Night: Saturday, September 13th from 5 to 9 pm
5 to 6 pm: Guest panel discussion
6 to 9 pm: Reception

Gallery Hours:

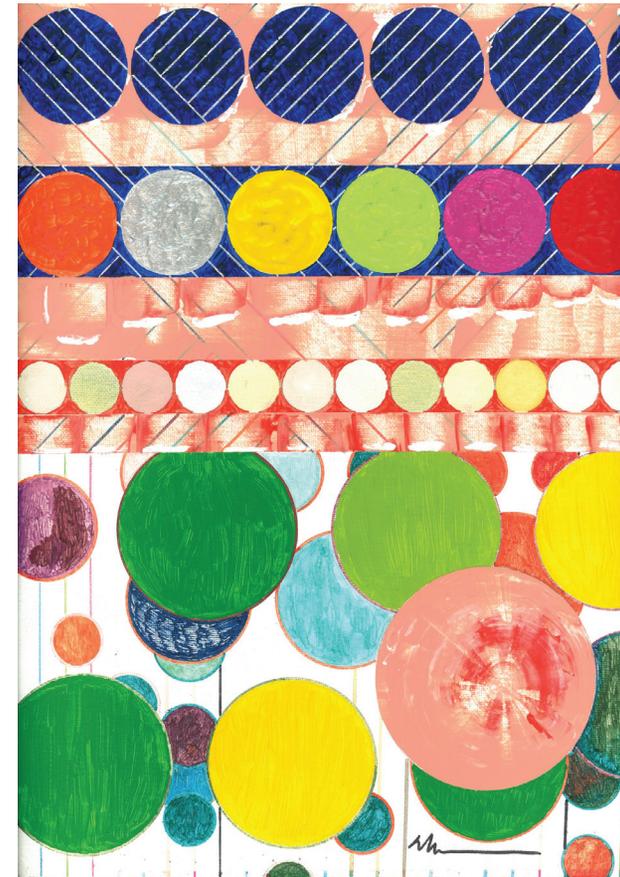
Wednesday - Saturday: Noon to 4 pm

2nd and Last Saturday of every Month: 6 to 9 pm

Or by Appointment: 909.397.9016



Cityscape, 2011



Waterfall, 2013

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