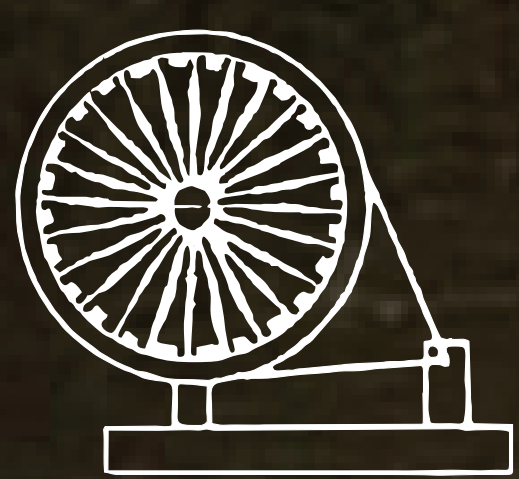


ODE TO PEACE & LOVE

4th solo exhibition by
HASURA AKTHER RUMKY



Gandhi Memorial Center

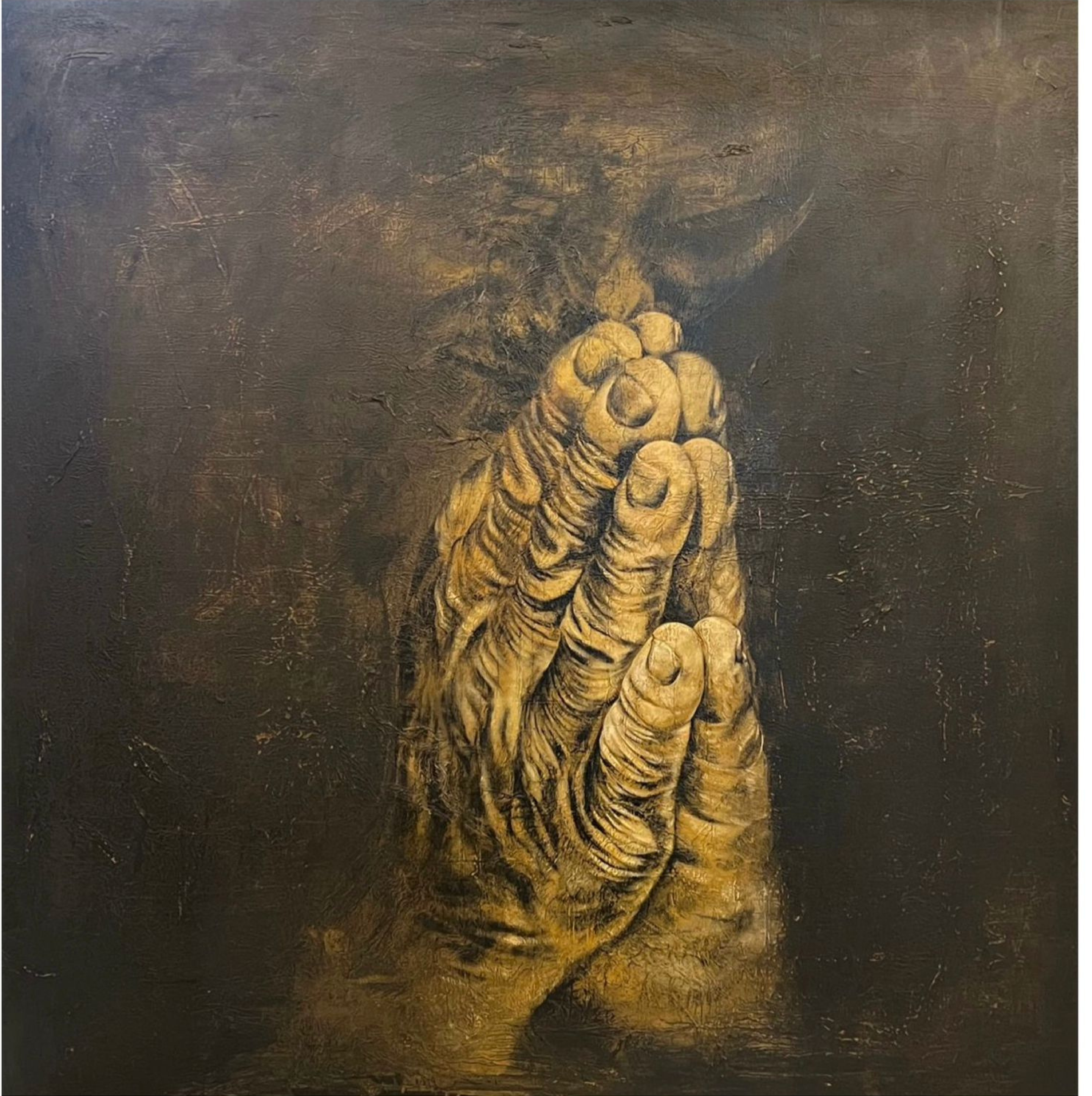
4748 Western Ave, Bethesda,
MD 20816, Washington DC, USA

7-10 June 2024

Opening Ceremony
8 June 2024 | Saturday 2 pm



"In 'ode to Peace & love', delve into the essence of my existence, portrayed vividly on canvas. My art is not merely a passion; it's the very fabric of my being, a visual narrative of dreams and reality intertwined. Unbound by medium, each stroke is a step on my journey of self-discovery. Working with soil-sand based colors isn't just a choice; it's a connection to nature and the cycle of life. Like dust, I am transient, seeking freedom from sorrow and pain. In this exhibition, I focus on the urgent call for peace, particularly shedding light on the plight of Gaza. Through my art, I aim to inspire unity, compassion, and a vision of a world where war gives way to harmony and love. Join me in envisioning a world where every leaf is touched by heavenly light, and where the echoes of 'What a Wonderful World' resound in every heart."



Title: Beseeching for peace
size: 2x2ft media: mixed media on canvas, Year: 2024



Friends' Bond

2'x1.5' , Mixed Media on Canvas, 2024

Illustrates the strength and support shared between friends.



Lovers' Embrace

2'x2' , Mixed Media on Canvas, 2024

Depicts the intimate and trusting connection between lovers.



A Mother's Touch

2'x2' , Mixed Media on Canvas, 2024

**Captures the nurturing bond between a mother and her child-
symbolizing love and protection.**



Title: icon of freedom

size: 2X2 fit , media: mixed media on canvas. Year:2024

In 'Icons of Peace':

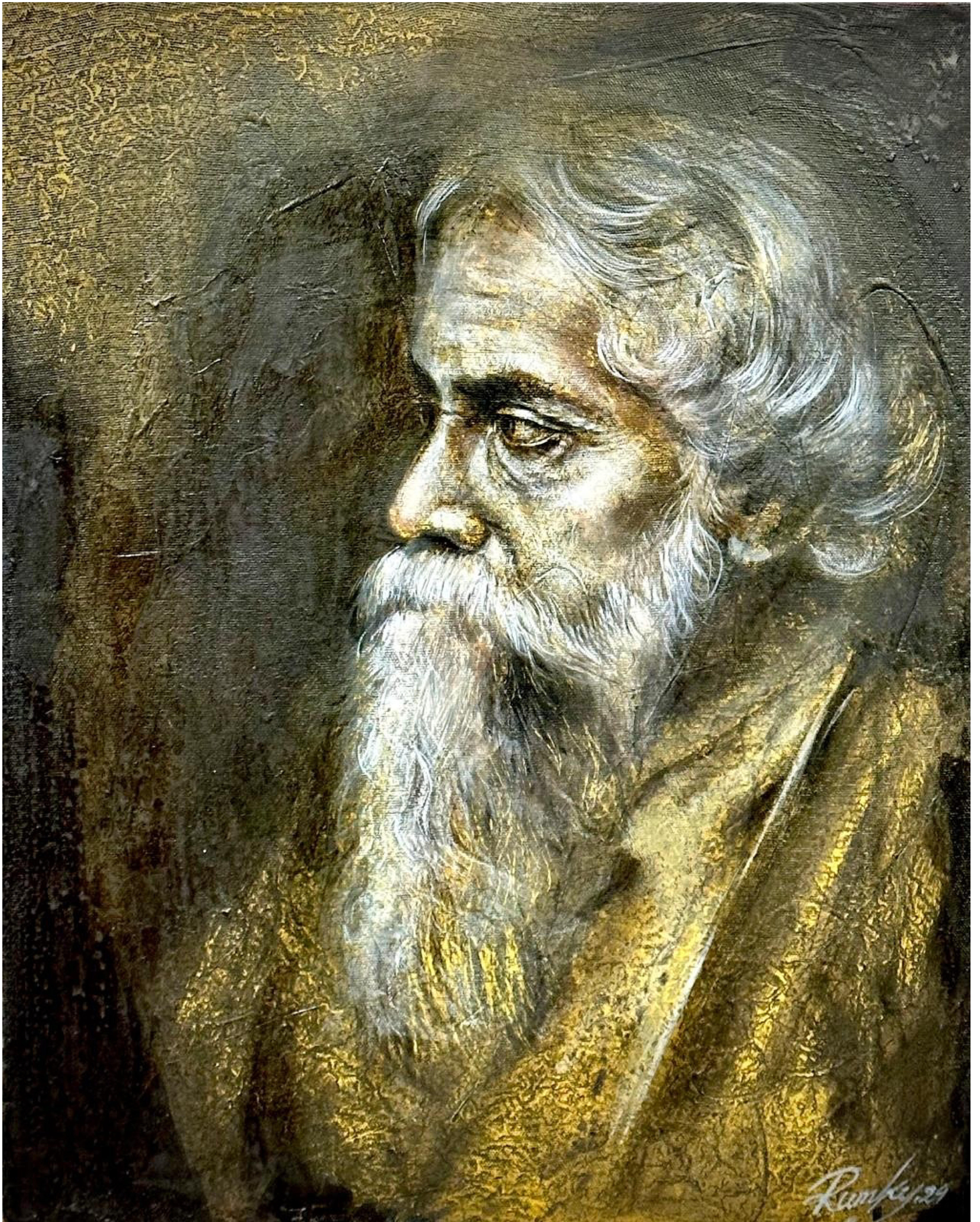
This series of portrait paintings honors remarkable figures whose lives and legacies embody the ideals of peace, compassion and harmony.

Mahatma Gandhi: Portrays Gandhi's steadfast commitment to non-violence and justice, inspiring global movements for peace.



Title: The Great Bard

Size : 53x73cm, media: mixed media on canvas, year:2024



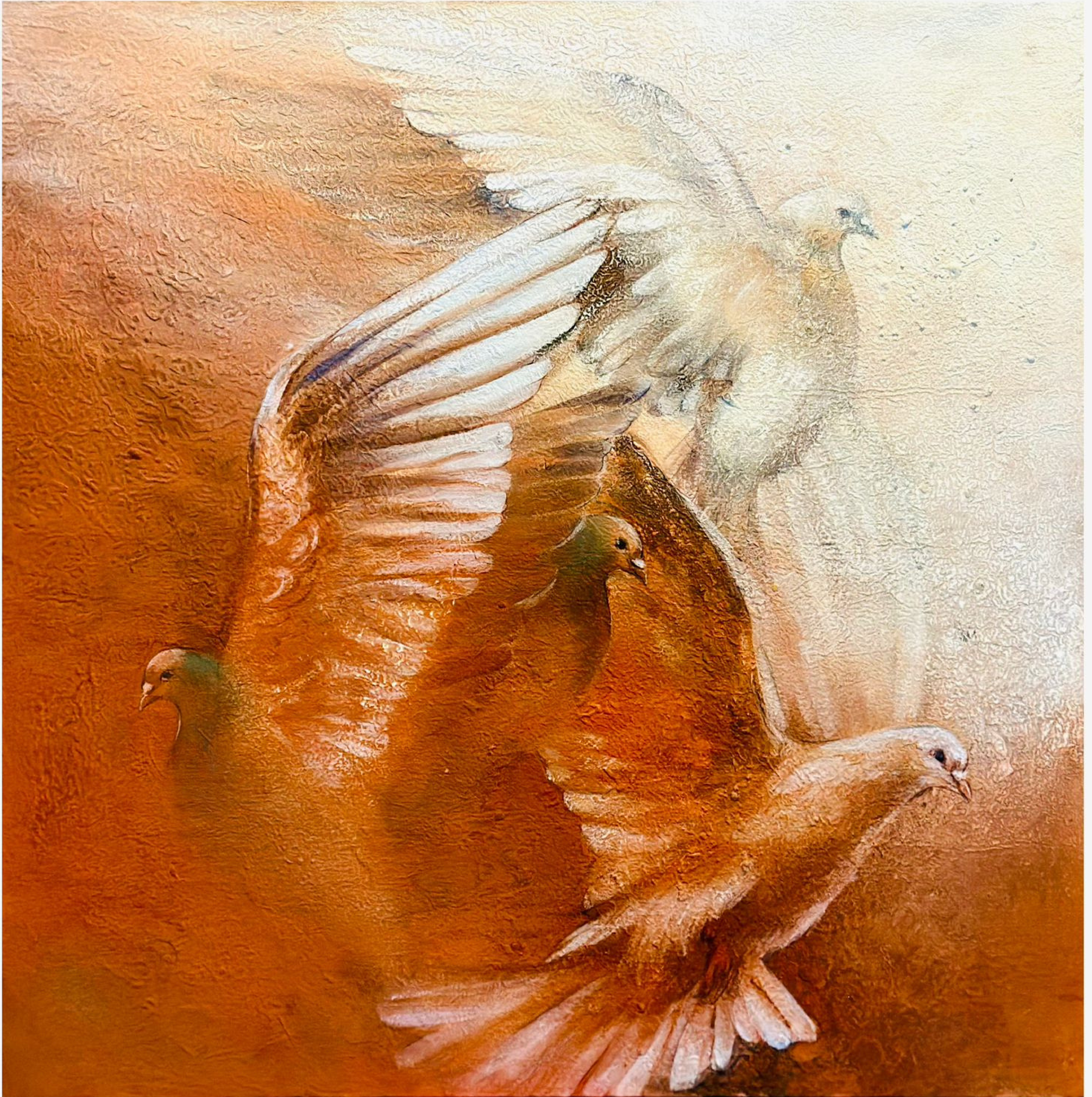
Title: the great bard: Ravindranath Tagore
Size:1x1.5ft, media: mixed media on canvas, year: 2024



Title: The Messenger of Peace for Humanity
Size:2x2fit, media:mixed media on canvas .year:2024



Title: Wisdom's Reflection: Buddha's Serenity
Size:3x3fit, media: mixed media on canvas, year:2024



Title: The sound of flapping wings

size: 2X2ft , media: mixed media on canvas, year: 2024



Title:Rest Followed by the Flight
Size:2x2fit , media:mixed media on canvas, year:2024



Title: " "I Still Fly In My Dream and I Cross Over the Oceans and I Reach the Sun Just When it is Drowning..".

Size:2.5x2.5 ft , media: mixed media on canvas, year:2024



Title: in search of peace

Size: 2x2ft. Media: mixed media on canvas. Year: 2024



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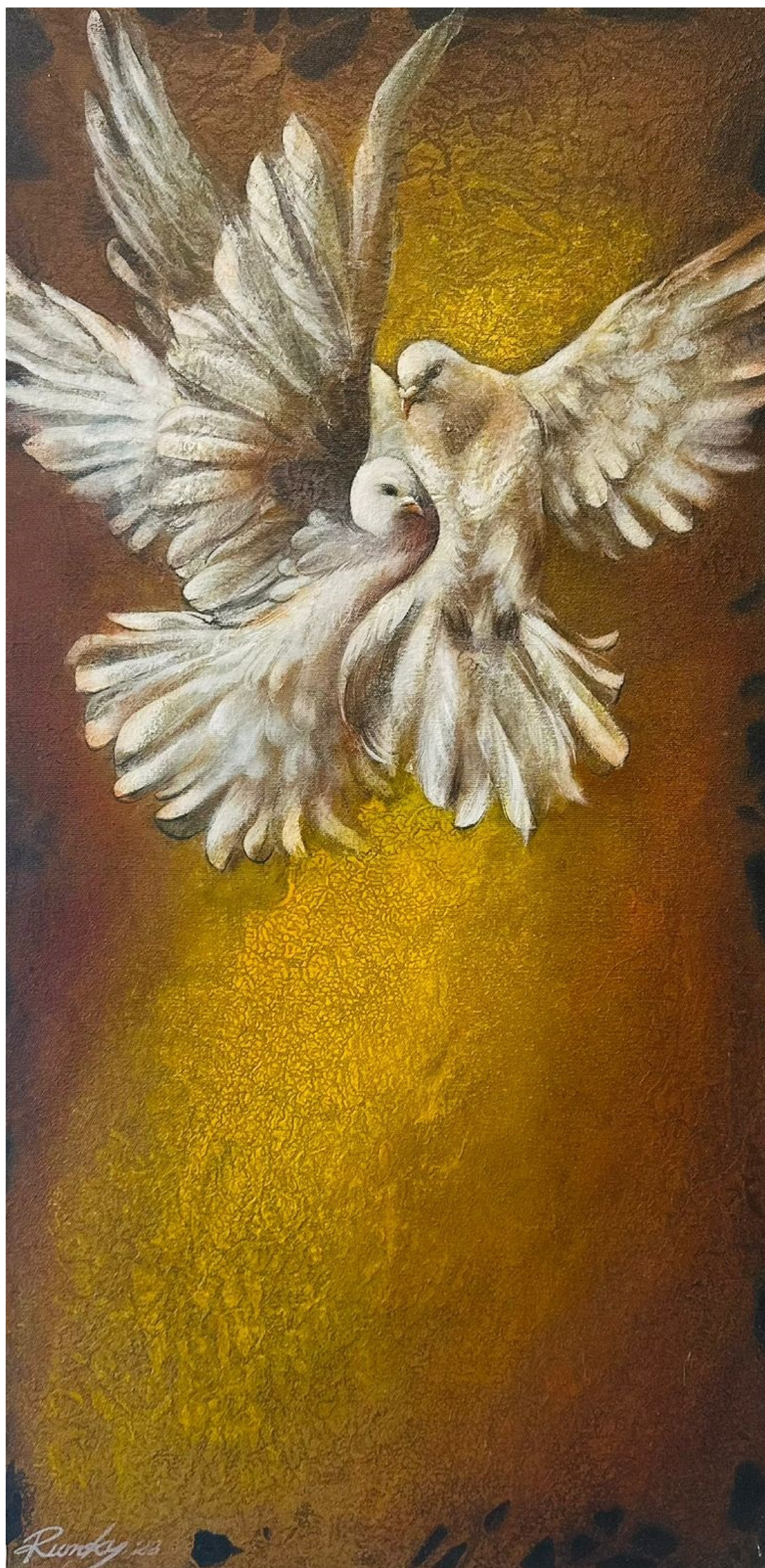
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Embrace of Light

3'x1.5' , Mixed Media on Canvas, 2024

**In the sky's warm embrace, two doves take flight,
Their feathers glowing, bathed in light.
Through hues of fire, they softly glide,
In trust and love, they find their guide.**



Wings of Unity

3'x1.5' , Mixed Media on Canvas, 2024

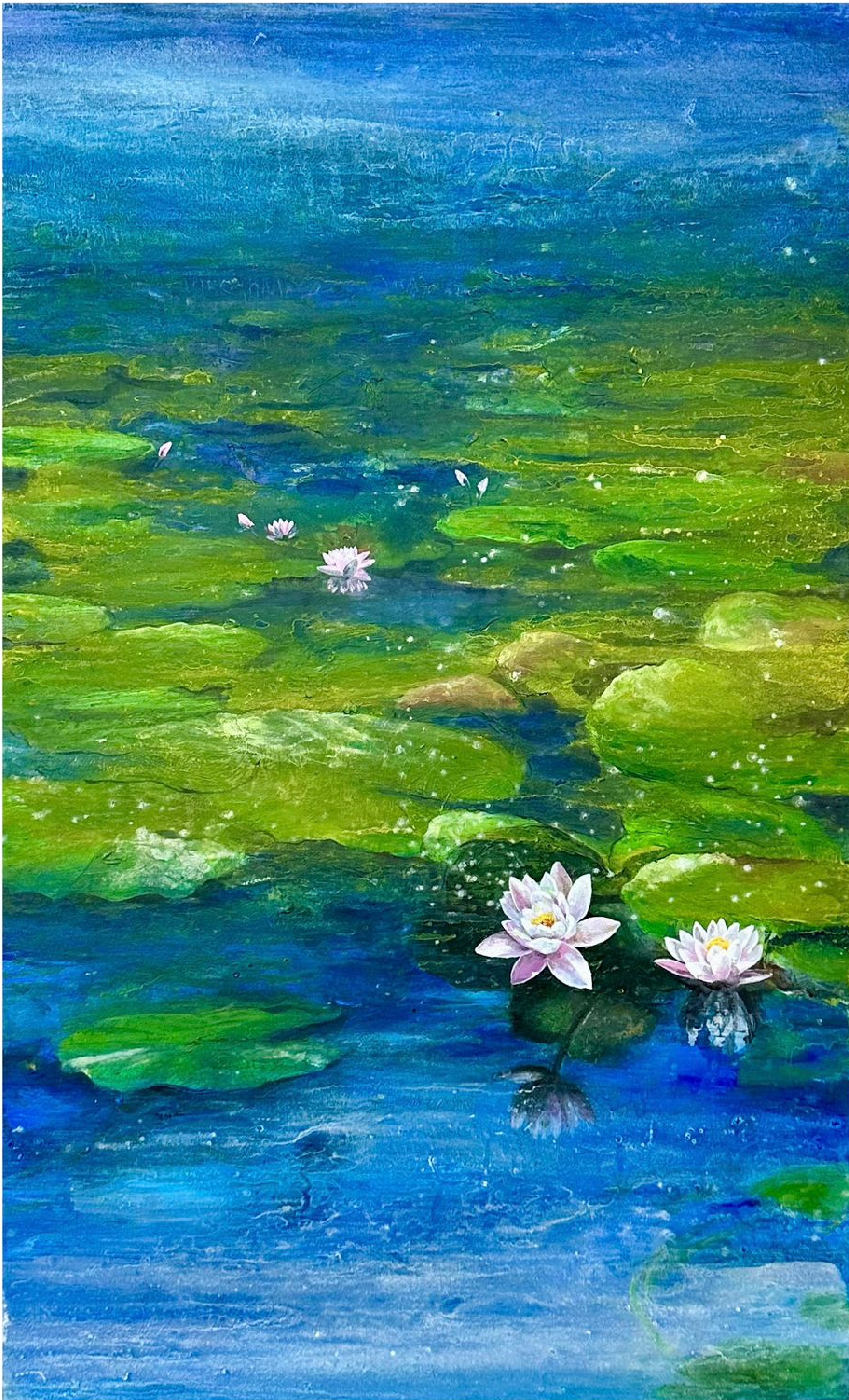
Two doves unite on golden wings,
In a dance where loyalty springs.
Amidst the glow, their hearts entwine,
A symbol of respect, forever divine.



Harmony's Dance

3'x1.5' , Mixed Media on Canvas, 2024

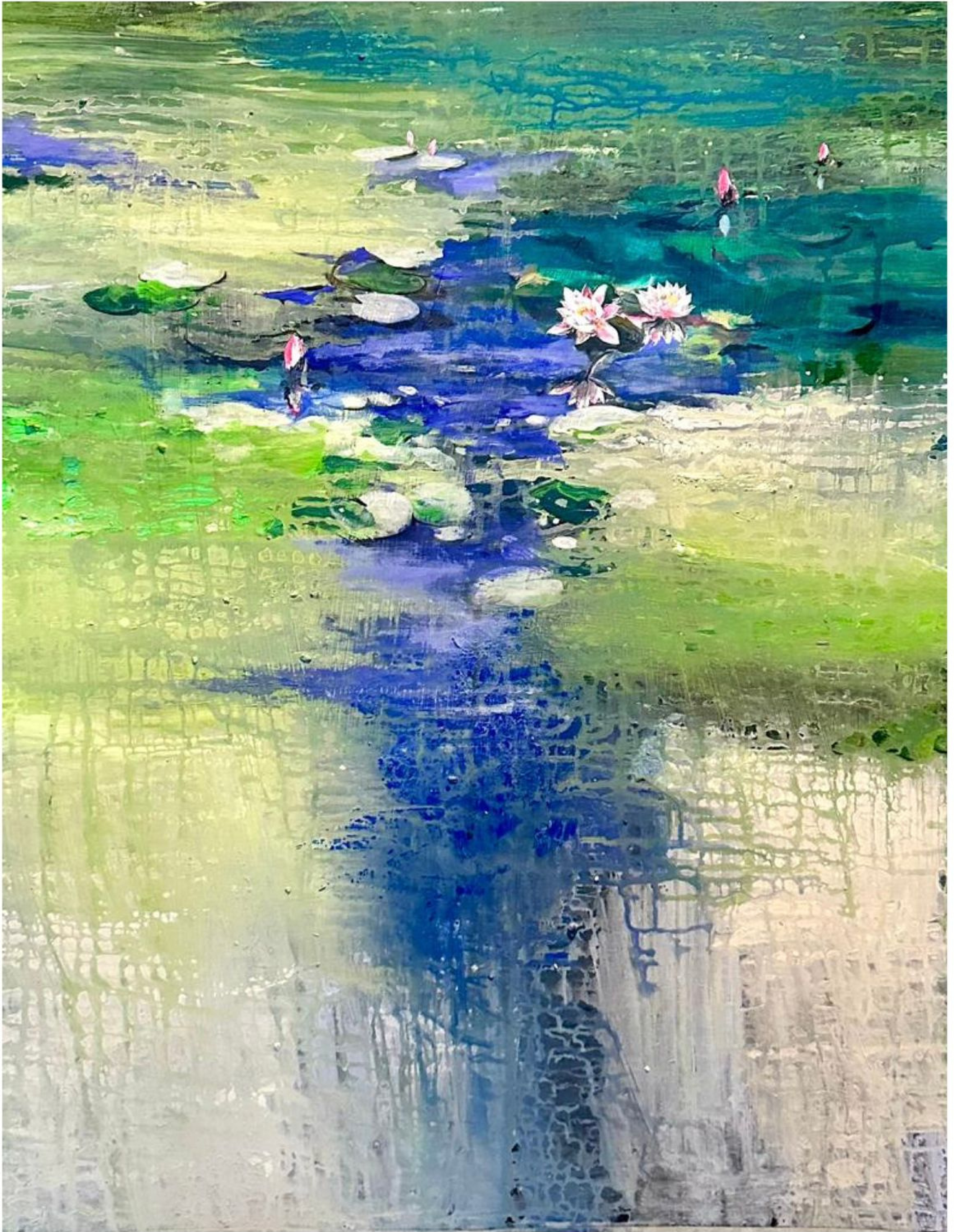
In the glow of orange and blue,
Two doves dance, a bond so true.
Their wings weave a tale so bright,
Of trust and peace taking flight.



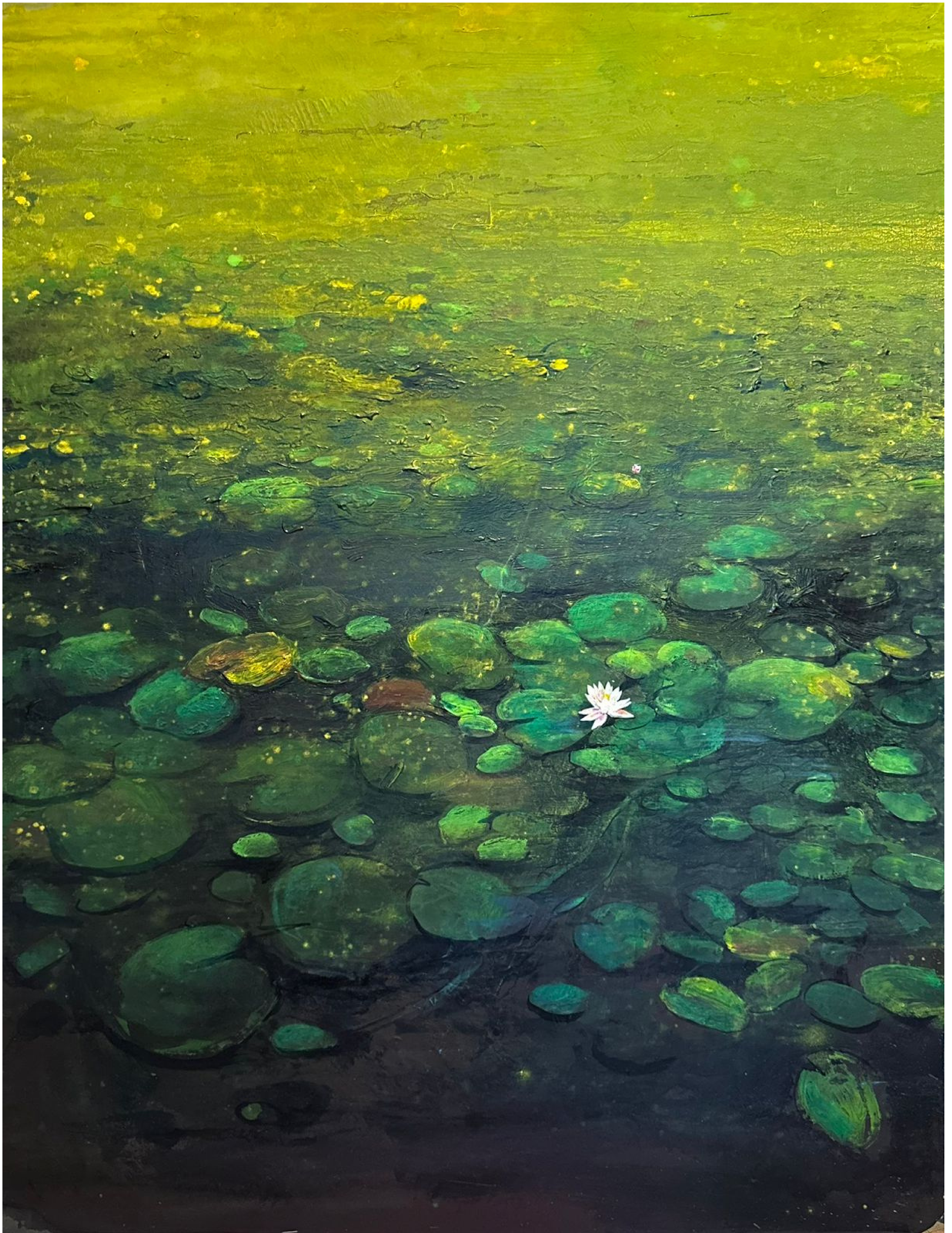
**Title: Silent Horizon -9, media: mixed media on canvas
size:3x2 fit , year:2024**



**Title: Silent Horizon -10, media: Acrylic on Paper
size: 53x73cm, year: 2024**



Silent Horizon -11, Acrylic on Paper
Size53x73cm, 2024



Silent Horizon , media: Acrylic on Paper
Size 53x73cm



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EDUCATION

2017 MFA, Department of Oriental Art, Faculty of Fine Art, University of Dhaka

2015 BFA, Department of Oriental Art, Faculty of Fine Art, University of Dhaka

AWARDS

2021 Grand Award, Bangabandhu International Art Exhibition, KAHAL Art Gallery, Japan

2016 Honourable Mention Award, 6th Oriental Painting Exhibition, OPSG

2015 Artist Shafiqul Amin Smriti Puroskar, Annual Exhibition, Dept. of Oriental Art, Faculty of Fine Art, University of Dhaka

2006 & National Children Award, Bangladesh Shishu Academy, Dhaka

2007 More than 50 Children awards in different art competitions.

SOLO EXHIBITION

2024 "Ode to peace and love " Gandhi memorial centre, Washington DC, USA

2023 "Silent Horizons: Embracing the Beauty Within", Kahal Gallery, Japan

2023 Freedom and Peace, Club for UNESCO of Piraeus and Islands Cultural Center, Piraeus, Greece

2023 Self and Others, La Galerie, Alliance Française de Dhaka

MAJOR GROUP EXHIBITIONS

2024 "Beyond the Pallet" organized by University of Visual and Performing Arts and SMD Art Foundation. Gallery 21, Albert Crescent, Colombo, Sri Lank

2023 Dhaka Diorama: A group art exhibition by MW Bangladesh at Edge Gallery

2023 Bridging Cultures: 'Celebrating 50 Years of UAE, Bangladesh Diplomatic Relationship through Art, Group Art Exhibition and Art Camp, Rotunda Gallery, Building A American University in Dubai (AUD)

2023 25th National Art Exhibition, National Art Gallery, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka 2023

'Dhaka Diorama' Impressions of A Megacity, A Group Art Exhibition about Dhaka, EDGE GALLERY
Tune of Bangladesh', Celebrating 50 Years of Bangladesh-Greece Diplomatic Relations Exhibition by Bangladesh High Commission, Athens, Greece

2022 Celebrating 50 Years of Bangladesh-UK Diplomatic Relations Exhibition by Bangladesh High Commission, British Museum, UK

- 2021 'Chittrogronthojiboni of Bangabandhu', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2021 '24th National Art Exhibition', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2021 'Shekh Hasina Joy Bangla Uttorsuri', Bijoy Art Gallery, Dhaka
 2021 'QIC Youth Capital', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2021 'Bangabandhu Youth Art Exhibition', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2021 'Sheikh Hasina Bissojoye Nondito Neta', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2021 '22nd Young Artist Fine Art Exhibition', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2020 'Bangabandhu Art Exhibition', Bangladesh High Commission, London, UK
 2020 'Art Against Corona', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2020 'Manobotar Ma', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2019 '1st Acuarela Fiesta', Kolkata Watercolour Festival, Kolkata, India
 2019 'Indo-Bangla Art Exhibition', Zainul Gallery, Dhaka
 2018 '21st Young Artist Fine Art Exhibition', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka 2018 'Miniscope', miniature art exhibition, Dwip Gallery, Dhaka
 2018 'ICCR India & Bangladesh Intl. Watercolour Painting Exhibition', Nandalal Bose Gallery, Kolkata, India
 2018 '2nd International Watercolour Festival', IWS-Nepal, Kathmandu, Nepal
 2017 'The Oriental', 9th Oriental Painting Exhibition, Abinta Gallery of Fine Arts, Dhaka
 2017 'Installation and Performance Art Exhibition, Faculty of Fine Art, University of Dhaka
 2017 'Group Art Exhibition' by Bangladesh Oriental Art Society, Bangladesh National Museum, Dhaka
 2017 'Artist Rashed Commemoration Art Exhibition', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2017 'Goa Affordable Art Fest', Museum of Goa, India
 2017 'Turkey-Bangladesh Calligraphy Exhibition', Bangladesh Ministry of Religious Affairs, National Mosque Baitul Mukarram Gallery, Dhaka
 2016 'Group Art Exhibition' by Oriental Art Society, Bangladesh National Museum, Dhaka
 2016 'Annual Exhibition' by Faculty of Fine Art, Zainul Gallery, Dhaka
 2015 '6th Friendship Art Exhibition', by Youth Society of Art, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2015 '7th Kahal Art Fair', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2015 '60 Years of Oriental Art Department', Zainul Gallery, Dhaka
 2015 'Commemoration of 40th Death Anniversary of the Father of the Nation', Zainul Gallery, Dhaka
 2014-22 '4th-9th Oriental Painting Exhibition' by OPSG, Zainul Gallery, Dhaka

PROJECT

- 2023-19 Assistant Coordinator, 19th Asian Art Biennale Bangladesh 2022', Department of Fine Arts, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2021 Collaborator, 'Chittrogrontho Jiboni of Bangabandhu' by Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy at the Birth Centenary of Bangabandhu, National Parade Ground, Dhaka

WORKSHOP & ART CAMP

- 2022 'Art & Crafts Festival', Gallery 29, Dhaka
 2022 '75th Birthday Celebration of Sheikh Hasina', Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Dhaka
 2021 'Winter Art Camp', Gallery Kaya, Dhaka
 2021 'EDGE Art Camp', EDGE Gallery, Dhaka
 2021 'Sheikh Hasina', Art Camp and Exhibition, Gallery Cosmos, Dhaka
 2017 'Becoming Landscape, the Potential of Place-Based Art' by Sandy Hsiu-Chih Lo (Taiwan), Dept. of Oriental Art, University of Dhaka
 2017 'Fresco and Tempera Workshop' by Dr. Prof. Nandadulal Mukhopadhyay, Rabindra Bharati University, India, organized by Dept. of Oriental Art, University of Dhaka
 2014 'Absorbed Oriental', Oriental Art Workshop, Dhaka Art Center, Dhaka
 2014 'Wash Painting Workshop' by Artist Shopon Roy, Kolkata Art College, Kolkata, India
 2013 'Wash Painting Workshop' by Dr. Malay Bala, Oriental Painting Study Group, Dhaka

RESIDENCY

- 2022 'Chitrashaala', an international art residency, JUSTA Rasa, Rishikesh, India
 2022 'UNESCO 7th International Action Art', Athens, Greece

COLLECTION

Bangladesh Bank, Bangladesh Taka Museum, Bangladesh Shilpakala Academy, Bengal Foundation, Dhaka University Alumni Association, Bangladesh High Commission in London, Bangladesh Embassy in Greece, Club for UNESCO of Piraeus and Islands Cultural Center, Piraeus, Greece, Munshi Group Bangladesh, Square Group Bangladesh, Bangladesh Prime Minister's Office, and many private collections in home and abroad.

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