

KIM TATEO, ARTIST STATEMENT:

KIM TATEO IS AN ARTIST WHO PAINTS HER FEELINGS INTO WORLDS OF WHIMSY. A COMMON THEME FOR HER WORK IS INTERCONNECTEDNESS—TO EACH OTHER AS HUMANS AND TO THE EARTH. HER WORK MOVES BETWEEN RELEASING FEELINGS INTO ABSTRACT EXPRESSIONS AND CREATING MAGICAL WORLDS, WHICH ARE MEANT TO BE THE UNSEEN SPACES WHERE ALL HEARTS ARE CONNECTED. HER WORK IS MEANT TO EVOKE A SENSE OF DREAMING, PLAYFULNESS, PEACE AND GENTLY PULL ON THE HEARTSTRINGS OF WHIMSY THAT ARE IN ALL BEINGS. ♥

HER RECENT WORKS HAVE BEEN EXPLORING THE IDEA OF MOVING THROUGH THE “EGO” OR THE “SELF” AND INTO THE COLLECTIVE—THE HEART SPACE WHERE WE ARE ALL FLOODED WITH LOVE. MOVING FROM SOMEWHERE TO EVERYWHERE, MOVING FROM SOMEONE TO EVERYONE, FROM SOMETHING TO EVERYTHING.

THE TWO PIECES ON BLACK CANVAS ARE BLACK LIGHT RESPONSIVE.

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