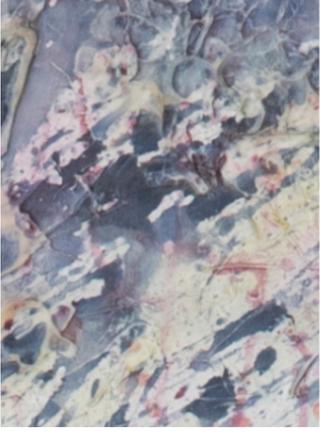


# AURORA BOREALIS



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*Reflections*

# **THE AURORA BOREALIS SERIES**

AN INTERSTELLAR EVENT

Heavily textured and radiating with energetic motion, this series illustrates one of nature's greatest ethereal moments: the Aurora Borealis.

When the sun's solar winds become entwined with the poles of Earth's magnetic field,

electrifying streams of light emerge like ribbons, appearing to dance and twist across the sky. The scene is almost dreamlike; it's magical and breathtaking.

Wanting to capture the essence of this natural phenomenon, I created the Aurora Borealis series, a body of work that has an other-worldly feel. I use dynamic gestures with giant splashes of color—often defined by exploding pools of purples, pinks and blues—to symbolize feelings of excitement that come

with exploring my creative side. Like the Aurora Borealis, when I paint, my spirit soars, sweeps, sparkles, and is unafraid to shine.

Aurora Borealis 3 is detailed on the cover and is a featured work at my solo show, Lyrical Abstraction, at the Coral Springs Museum of Art in 2019. It was the first large-scale work made in my new studio, located in Mamaroneck, Westchester, NY—a watershed moment in my development as an artist.



## **Aurora Borealis 3**

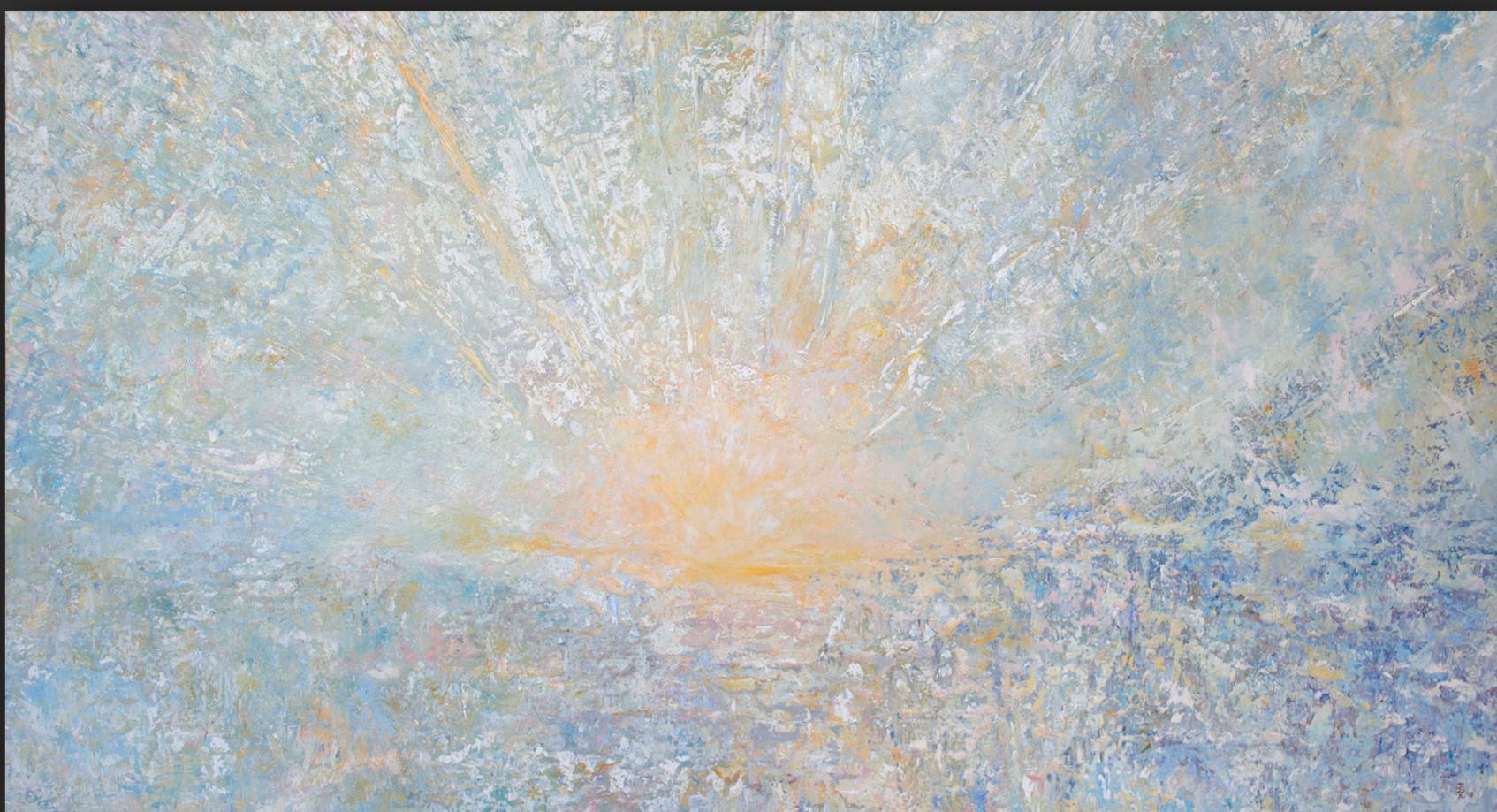
2018, Acrylic on canvas

72 x 144 in (182.88 x 365.8 cm).

3 panels, 72 x 48 in (182.9 x 121.9 cm) each.

Framed: 74 x 146 in (188.0. x 370.8 cm).

*Detail on cover; detail in essay thumbnail*



## **A Beautiful Day**

2013, Oil on canvas

36 x 70 in (91.4 x 177.8 cm).

Framed: 38 x 72 in (96.5 x 182.9 cm).



## **A Star Is Born**

2018, Acrylic on canvas

48 x 72 in (121.9 x 182.9 cm).

Framed: 50 x 74 in (127.0 x 188.0 cm).



## **Chasing the Invisible**

2017, Acrylic on canvas

60 x 96 in (152.4 x 243.8 cm).

2 panels, 60 x 48 in (152.4 x 121.9 cm) each.

Framed: 62 x 98 in (157.5 x 248.9 cm).



## **Aurora Borealis**

2017, Acrylic on canvas

72 x 108 in (182.9 x 274.3 cm).

3 panels, 72 x 36 in (182.9 x 91.4 cm) each.

Framed: 74 x 110 in (188.0 x 279.4 cm).



## **Looking Glass**

2017, Acrylic on canvas

60 x 96 in (152.4 x 243.8 cm).

2 panels, 60 x 48 in (152.4 x 121.9 cm) each.

Framed: 62 x 98 in (157.5 x 248.9 cm).



## **Aurora Borealis 2**

2017, Acrylic on canvas

72 x 144 in (182.88 x 365.8 cm).

3 panels, 72 x 48 in (182.9 x 121.9 cm) each.

Framed: 74 x 146 in (188.0. x 370.8 cm).



*From left to right:*

**Ice Cube Rectangle**

2013, Oil on canvas  
*36 x 60 in. Ice Cube Series.*

**Looking Glass**

2017, Acrylic on canvas  
*60 x 96 in.*



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