

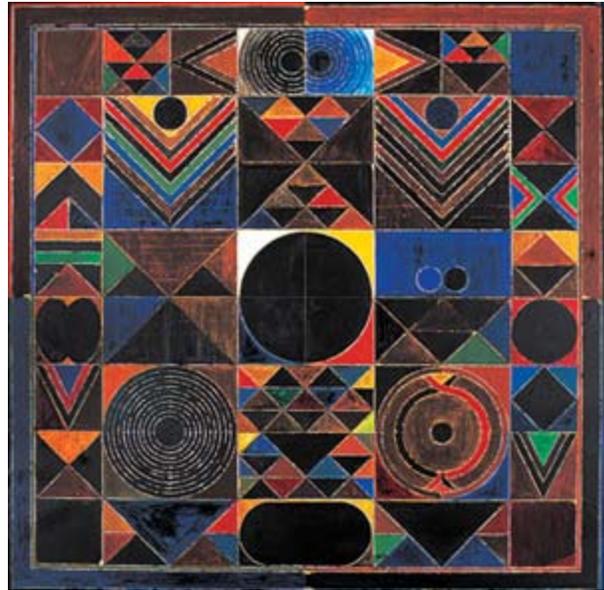
RL Fine Arts

S.H.Raza

Selected Works

Exhibition: September 15 to November 10

Opening reception: Wednesday September 15 6:00 to 8:30pm



RL Fine Arts is pleased to present a select group of works of senior Indian Modernist legend, Syed Haider Raza.

Raza, one of the members of the famous Progressive Artist Group, is one of India's most important artists. His masterful paintings have expressed the beauty of nature through fluid early watercolor landscapes, through to dynamic abstractions, and into works concentrated around the evocative image of the bindu - source of all creation.

La Terre, is a masterpiece from the year 1985, size 200 x 200cm, the crucible period wherein the artist was moving away from abstracted landscape and into the area of more geometric works organized around ancient and totemic symbols and shapes.

Nad Bindu, from 1995, size 175 x 150cm, is one of the artist's expressions of the beauty of white and black as he deliberately removes the bright primary colors and explores the many variations in monochromatic tones. NAD is the primordial sound that is black at the center, but as it radiates outward in concentric rings of infinity, gradually falls off into exquisite shades of cream and ochre.

Bindu, from 1992, size 150 x 150cms, once again celebrates the joy of life, nature and creation with Raza building a composition around many devices that offer multiples of meaning: tree of life, kundalini, yin-yang, bindu, that come together in a joyous unity of color.

Germination, from 1992, size 100 x 100cm, showcases the master's true knowledge of color and tone as the repeated shapes around the bindu reverberate and vibrate to induce a state of meditation in the viewer.

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