

**THE KANSAS CITY ARTISTS COALITION  
22ND ANNUAL BENEFIT ART AUCTION  
FEBRUARY 19, 2005  
DOORS OPEN AT 6PM**

Auction Chairperson: Ada Koch  
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**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, THE KANSAS CITY ARTISTS COALITION WILL BE HOSTING ITS 22ND ANNUAL BENEFIT ART AUCTION**

Art donated by the region's best artists will be offered in this auction. Whether you're looking for that special new piece for your home or office, and whether you consider yourself a collector, art enthusiast, or friend of KCAC you are invited to join with us to make this a great event. The auction will no doubt be the most fun you'll have buying art, and it's a fabulous way to start off any year! Join us!

This fun and exciting event focuses community attention on our talented artists, and KCAC, Kansas City's oldest and largest artist-centered contemporary art organization. This fundraiser provides the means necessary to fulfill our mission of promoting contemporary visual art. KCAC presents new, innovative artworks. Our programs are viewed and enjoyed by thousands of people throughout the year. Since 1976, we have encouraged the exchange of ideas and advanced the awareness of the contemporary visual arts through quality exhibitions, lectures, and events like Open Studios. We also provide resources for artists like our slide registry, the Professional Development for Artists Workshop Series, and the Lighton International Artists Exchange Program.

**AUCTION PREVIEW**

February 4-18, 2005. Hours: Monday - Saturday, 11-6pm. Sunday, February 6 & 13, 1-4pm. First Friday opening reception on February 4 from 5-8pm. Preview the selection of wonderful artworks before the excitement of auction night. Silent bids may be made on silent auction artworks during the preview and absentee bids for live auction artwork will be accepted during the preview until February 18.

**SWEETHEART RECEPTION**

Wednesday, February 16, 2005 from 7-9pm. Tickets \$12.50. Bring this poster with you and receive TWO FREE TICKETS to the Sweetheart Reception. The Sweetheart Reception is the Kansas City Artists Coalition's special thank you to all of our contributing artists, members, and patrons. Come celebrate with us! This event is open to the public. Refreshments will be served and it's another great chance to preview the artwork, make bids or even BUY OUT a piece in the silent auction.

**ANNUAL BENEFIT ART AUCTION**

Saturday, February 19, 2005. Doors open at 6pm. Silent auction ends at 7:45pm. Live auction bidding begins at 8pm. Tickets \$20. Auction regulars will tell you to come early, dress casually and in layers (as the bidding gets hot so does the room), and be ready for a great time! Appetizers will be served from 6-7:30pm. Beverages will be served all evening. The live auction generally lasts until 10:30 or 11pm. Checkout begins at 9pm.

**SILENT AUCTION**

The silent auction begins when the artworks go on preview February 4, 2005. Bidding closes Saturday, February 19, promptly at 7:45pm! Remember you must have a bidder number to make a bid on a silent auction artwork. You can bid anytime during the auction preview exhibition up to and until the silent auction closes. So stake your claim early and be ready to up your bid Saturday evening before the silent auction closes!

**BUY OUT BIDS**

The bidding on a silent auction piece will be closed once a BUY OUT bid is made. The BUY OUT price is determined by KCAC and is listed for each artwork. Pieces must stay on display through the auction.

**AUCTION TICKETS & BIDDER NUMBERS**

General admission tickets may be purchased at KCAC for \$20. Your ticket is your admission for the live auction and must be presented to receive a bidder number. You must have a bidder number to bid in both the silent and live auctions. Pick up your bidder number during the auction preview exhibition. When you walk in auction night with everything in hand you've got a jump on the competition!

**SPECIAL RESERVE SEAT TICKETS**

A limited number of reserved seats - up front, where you can really follow the bidding are available for \$100. Reserve seats must be purchased by Wednesday, February 16 at 9pm. The price of this special ticket is not refundable; however, the \$100 may be applied toward the purchase of one LIVE auction artwork. Reserve seat ticket holders must also purchase an auction general admission ticket for \$20.

**SPECIAL FRIENDS**

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- provides a forum for contemporary art through our galleries and publications
- champions the work of local artists and increases the viability of Kansas City as a place for artists to live and work
- spreads the word about the vitality of the arts in Kansas City and the region
- encourages artists to go forward with their ambitious and innovative ideas
- supports artists' work financially
- promotes the exchange of ideas among peers and mentors in art communities across the US and the world