Stefania Nesi





Elemental Realms February 10 - March 3, 2015

Opening Reception: Thursday, February 12, 2015, 6-8 pm



Between Earth and Sky Mixed Media on Canvas 39.5" x 31.5"

About the Artist

For Italian painter **Stefania Nesi**, the bond between color and the unconscious is the guiding principle behind the creation of artwork. Nesi points to J.W. Goethe's *Theory of Colours* as an integral text for her as she explores the psychological impact of color on emotion with her paintings. For Nesi, art is the tool that allows for spiritual contemplation. This philosophy is reflected in her work, as moody combinations of colors in both figurative and abstract forms generate intruiging emotional textures. Hard and soft brushstrokes fill her canvases with rich, primary colors, serving as a backdrop for bright gold figures and flecks, the resulting contrast lending each piece a sense of almost medieval, religious, or monarchical authority. In her own words, she aims to paint, "the invisible mystic that lies inside us."

Stefania Nesi was born and still resides in Italy. In addition to her career as an exhibiting artist, she is a practicing lawyer in Florence.

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