

10 Chancery Lane Gallery

Katie de Tilly Contemporary Artists

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CLOTHESLINES

Spanish Artist, Marqués de Jadrake, exhibits in HONG KONG

September and October '05, Hong Kong - Spanish painter, Marqués de Jadrake, who was commissioned to paint Pope John Paul II in 1982, comes back to Hong Kong on his fourth solo exhibition to show his series of CLOTHESLINES.

Obsessed with objects that others might describe as mundane, de Jadrake continues to explore quotidian scenes that remain his passion. The clothesline remains a necessity in all cities of the world and it is in this that Jadrake finds his inspiration. He explores in his painting their simplicity and complexity as well as the beauty of these daily scenes.

Some say his work is reminiscent of Picasso. Others are struck by his unique ability to mix tradition with the contemporary. His style is not easily categorized, although influenced by Spanish artists like Miro, Dali and Picasso, de Jadrake's art has his own persona. His bright vivid colors, abstract yet recognizable figures invite the viewer to participate in the artists highly conceptual work.

Marqués de Jadrake, the pseudonym of Miguel Garcia, was born in Palencia, Spain, where he received his early artistic education, since the age of ten, at the School of Applied Arts and Vocations. He then continued his studies in Barcelona.

With more than 30 one-man shows, 29 group shows and a multitude of commissions which include the Vatican, de Jadrake brings us a group of paintings exploring the clothesline.

Marqués de Jadrake will show his works in Hong Kong at 10 Chancery Lane Gallery from September 29 - October 19, 2005. There will be a reception in full Spanish regalia for the artist on September 29th. The artist will be present. The Gallery is open T-F 11-7, Sat. 11:30-6.

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