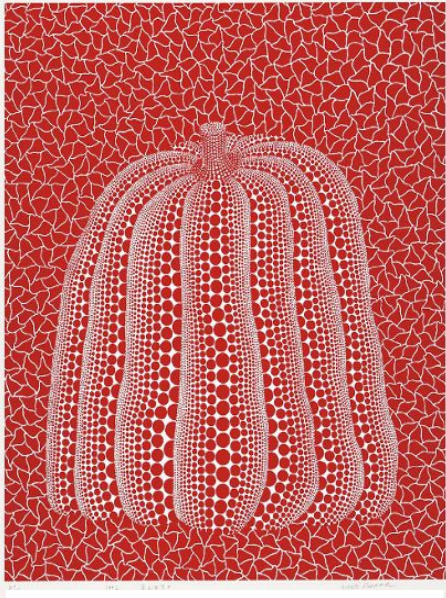


POP AND CONTEMPORARY FINE ART

Yayoi Kusama Exhibition: 7th - 28th of August 2010



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Pop and Contemporary Fine Art proudly presents one of Japan's most famous and influential female artists, Yayoi Kusama. Kusama's work reflects the hallucinations she has endured since childhood which compel her to cover surfaces with polka dots and lines which she calls infinity nets. She has often been quoted as saying "If it were not for art, I would have killed myself a long time ago". In 1973 Kusama voluntarily committed herself to a psychiatric hospital in Tokyo where she continues to live, whilst commuting to her studio, a short distance away.

Amongst her numerous awards and distinctions is the Praemium Imperiale, one of Japan's most prestigious awards for internationally recognized artists, which she received in 2006, becoming the first Japanese woman to receive such a distinction. On the 12th November 2008, Christies New York sold one of Kusama's works for USD 5.1 million, a record for a living female artist at that time.

Remarkably there are still people who are unfamiliar with her work so we are very happy in trying to address this and we look forward to seeing new and current collectors alike at our upcoming exhibition. All pieces from the exhibition will be available for sale.

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