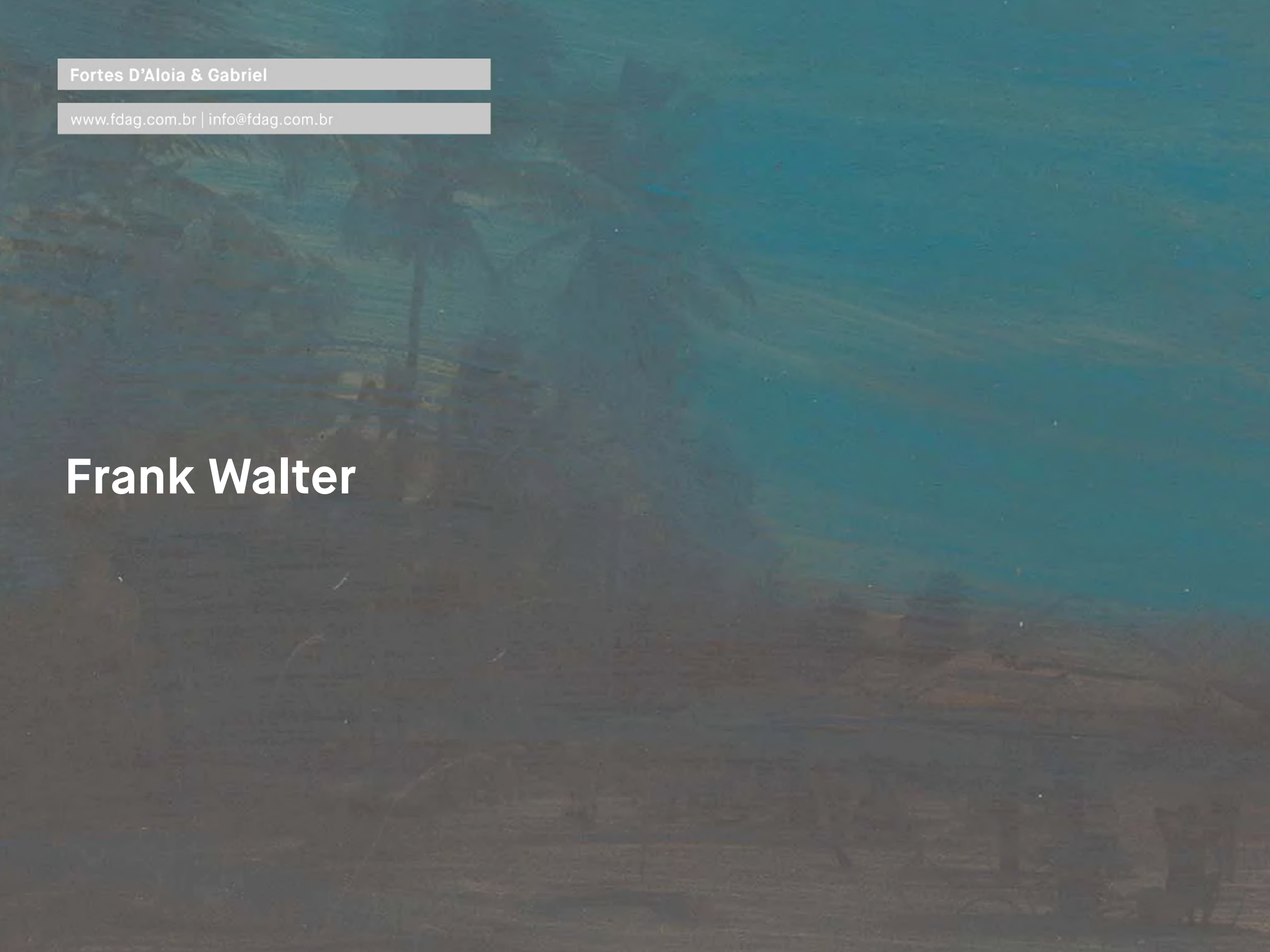


The background of the slide is a painting of a tropical beach scene. It features several palm trees on the left side, a thatched-roof hut in the middle ground, and a sandy beach in the foreground. The sky is a deep blue, and the water is a lighter blue. The overall style is impressionistic with visible brushstrokes.

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Frank Walter



Frank Walter - Retrato [Portrait]

Frank Walter

Antigua e Barbuda, 1926 - 2009

Frank Walter se firmou um dos maiores criadores da diáspora afro-caribenha, sendo reconhecido com uma retrospectiva na Bienal de Veneza e grandes exposições em Londres, Nova York, Edimburgo, Frankfurt e Bruxelas. Além de pinturas, construiu esculturas em madeira, escreveu textos sobre estética, política, a relação entre homem e natureza, além de poesia e ópera. Em arte, respondeu a motivos da arte moderna europeia, imaginou o espaço cósmico e pintou paisagens de diferentes lugares do Caribe.

A sua escolha por pequenos formatos permitia que pintasse no colo, sobre uma mesa ou na palma da mão, como que tomando notas. Com uma surpreendente economia de meios, Walter sintetizava paisagens inteiras. Uma simples linha branca torna-se uma longa nuvem no horizonte, uma linha preta torna-se um tronco de árvore que enquadra uma vista marinha. Sobre superfícies diminutas, Frank Walter nos faz ver espaços surpreendentemente amplos e imersivos.

Frank Walter has been established as one of the major creators in the Afro-Caribbean diaspora, being recognized with a retrospective at the Venice Biennale and large-scale exhibitions in London, New York, Edinburgh, Frankfurt and Brussels. Apart from his small paintings, he built wooden sculptures, wrote texts on aesthetics, politics, and the relationship between man and nature, as well as poetry and opera. In art, he responded to issues in European modern art, imagined cosmic space and painted landscapes from different places in the Caribbean.

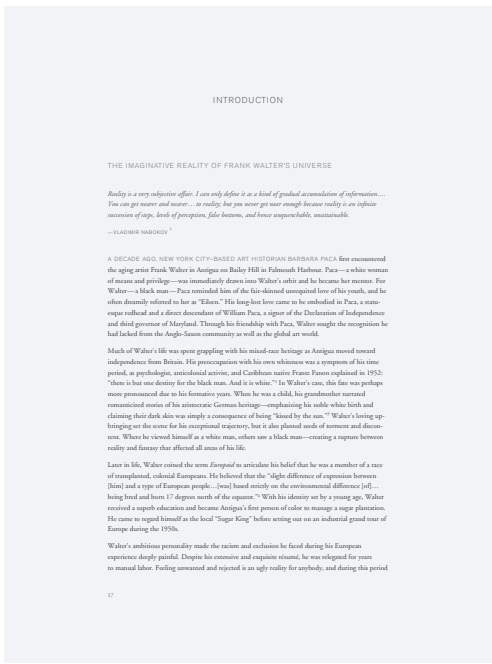
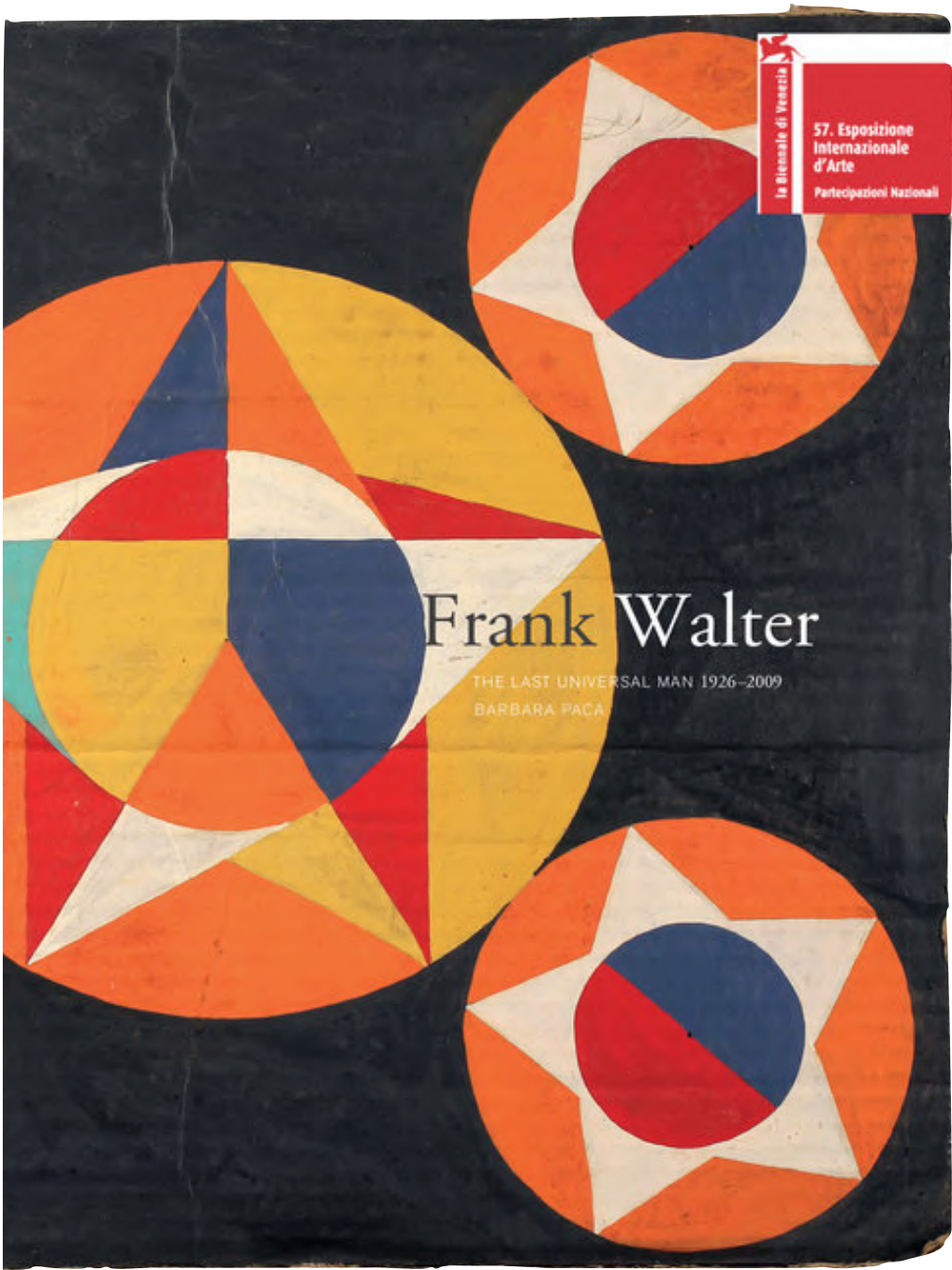
His choice of the small format allowed him to paint on his lap, on a desk or in the palm of his hand, as if taking notes. With an astounding economy of means, Walter synthesized entire landscapes. A simple white line becomes a long cloud on the horizon, a black one becomes a tree trunk framing an ocean view. His landscapes, though painted on tiny surfaces, are surprisingly ample and spatially immersive.

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Notícias [Press]

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Publicações [Publications]



Frank Walter: The Last Universal Man | 2017

Radius Books on the occasion of the 57th International Art Exhibition at the Venice Biennale, 2017

Barbara Paca (Ed.), (With contributions from Sir Rodney Williams, Nina Khrushcheva, Rt. Hon. Patricia Scotland, Sir Mark Moody-Stuart, Caitlin Hoffman, Marcus Nakbar Crump, Barbara Paca, Sir Selwyn Walter, and Kenneth Milton)

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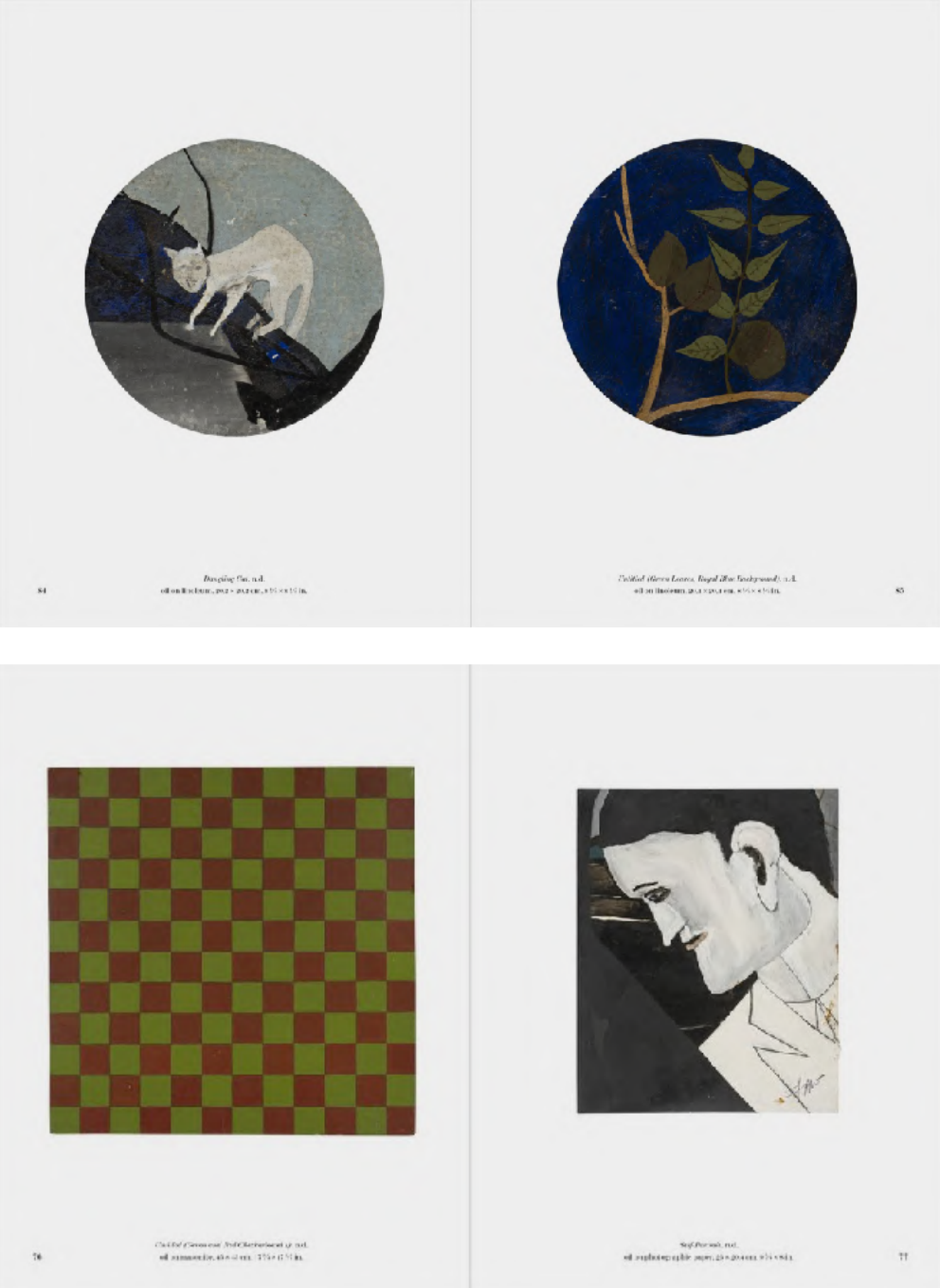


Frank Walter: A Retrospective | 2020

Ausstellungs-Katalog Museum für Moderne Kunst (MMK), Frankfurt am Main 2020, Köln: König, Walther, 2020

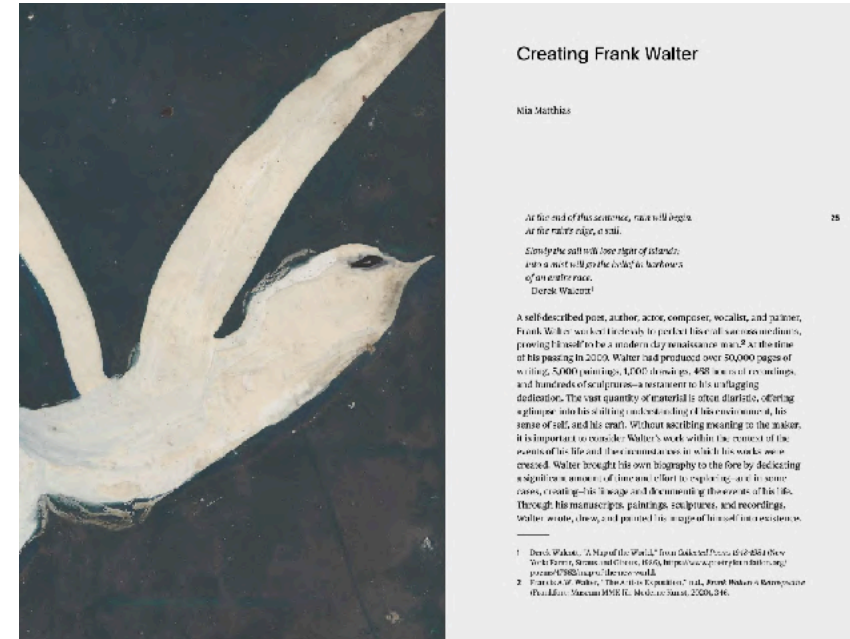
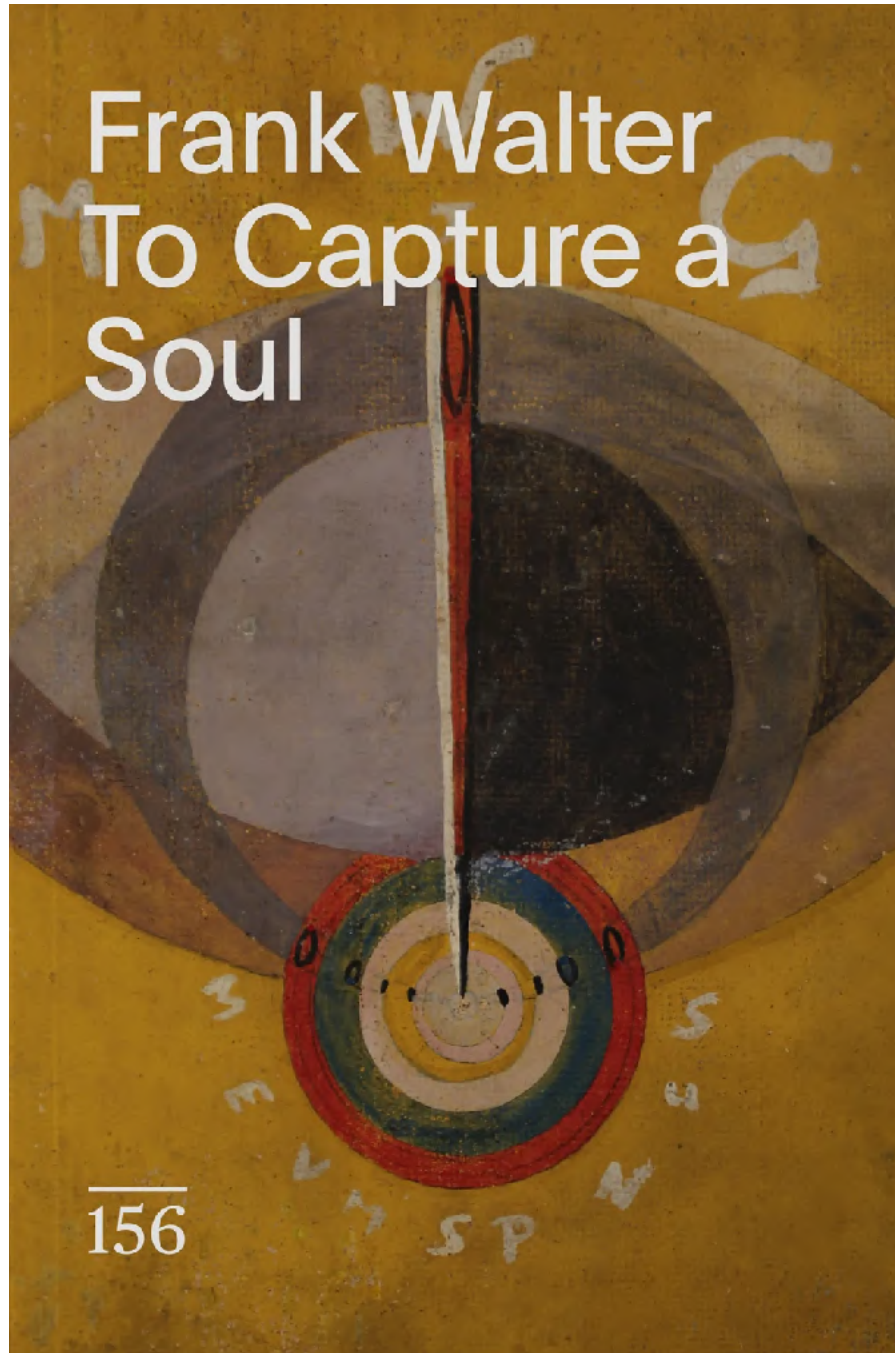
Barbara Paca and Susanne Pfeffer (Eds.): (With contributions from Precious Okoyomon, Barbara Paca, Susanne Pfeffer, Cord Riechelmann, Gilane Tawadros, Krista Thompson, and Frank Walter)

Publicações [Publications]



Frank Walter: Music of the Spheres | 2021
Ingleby Gallery and Anomie, 2021
Barbara Paca, Professor Paget Henry, Kenneth Milton, and Mary-Elisabeth Moore

Publicações [Publications]



Frank Walter: To Capture a Soul | 2024

The Drawing Center, New York, USA, 2024

Claire Gilman, Isabella Kapur, Vladimir Lucien, Mia Matthias, Barbara Paca, Josh Smith, Lynette Yiadom-Boakye

Exposições selecionadas [Selected exhibitions]

To Capture a Soul

The Drawing Center | New York, USA, 2024



Frank Walter: To Capture a Soul
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Artist, Gardener, Radical

Garden Museum | London, UK 2023



Frank Walter: Artist, Gardener, Radical
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FRANK WALTER
Calyspo / Calypso Fruits, n.d [s.d]
Oil on triple-ply cardboard [Óleo sobre papelão ondulado]
53.9 x 27.3 cm [21.2 x 10.7 in]





FRANK WALTER
Calypso / Calypso Fruits, n.d [s.d]
Detail [Detalhe]



FRANK WALTER

Abstract Red Birds, n.d [s.d]

Oil on photograph with silver emulsion [Óleo sobre fotografia em emulsão de prata]

20.3 x 24.8 cm [8 x 9.7 in]



FRANK WALTER
Abstract Red Birds, n.d [s.d]
Detail [Detalhe]



Frank Walter: Artist, Gardener, Radical
Garden Museum | London, UK, 2023



Frank Walter: Artist, Gardener, Radical
Garden Museum | London, UK, 2023



FRANK WALTER

Untitled (White Vision Out the Window), n.d [s.d]

Oil and pencil on single-ply cardboard [Óleo e lápis sobre papelão ondulado]

28.6 x 45.1 cm [11.2 x 17.7 in]



FRANK WALTER
Untitled (White Vision Out the Window), n.d [s.d]
Detail [Detalhe]



Frank Walter: Artist, Gardener, Radical
Garden Museum | London, UK, 2023



FRANK WALTER

Untitled [Tall Black Bluffs, Red Poppies], n.d. [s.d.]

Oil on single-ply cardboard [Óleo sobre papelão ondulado]

Unframed [Sem moldura]: 21.5 x 20.5 cm [8.5 x 8 in]

Framed [Emoldurada]: 34.3 x 33.4 x 4 cm [13.5 x 13.1 x 1.5 in]



FRANK WALTER
Untitled [Tall Black Bluffs, Red Poppies], n.d. [s.d.]
Detail [Detalhe]

FRANK WALTER
Untitled [Tall Black Bluffs, Red Poppies], n.d. [s.d.]



FRANK WALTER

Untitled [Single Bird], n.d. [s.d.]

Oil on Polaroid film cartridge box

[Óleo sobre caixa de cartuchos de fotografia instantânea]

Unframed [Sem moldura]: 10 x 8.2 cm [3.9 x 3.2 in]





FRANK WALTER

Untitled [Shark], n.d. [s.d.]

Oil on biocomposite material on masonite

[Óleo sobre biocompósito e chapa de fibras]

Unframed [Sem moldura]: 24 x 24 cm [9.4 x 9.4 in]

Framed [Emoldurada]: 36.3 x 36.3 x 3 cm [14.2 x 14.2 x 1.1 in]



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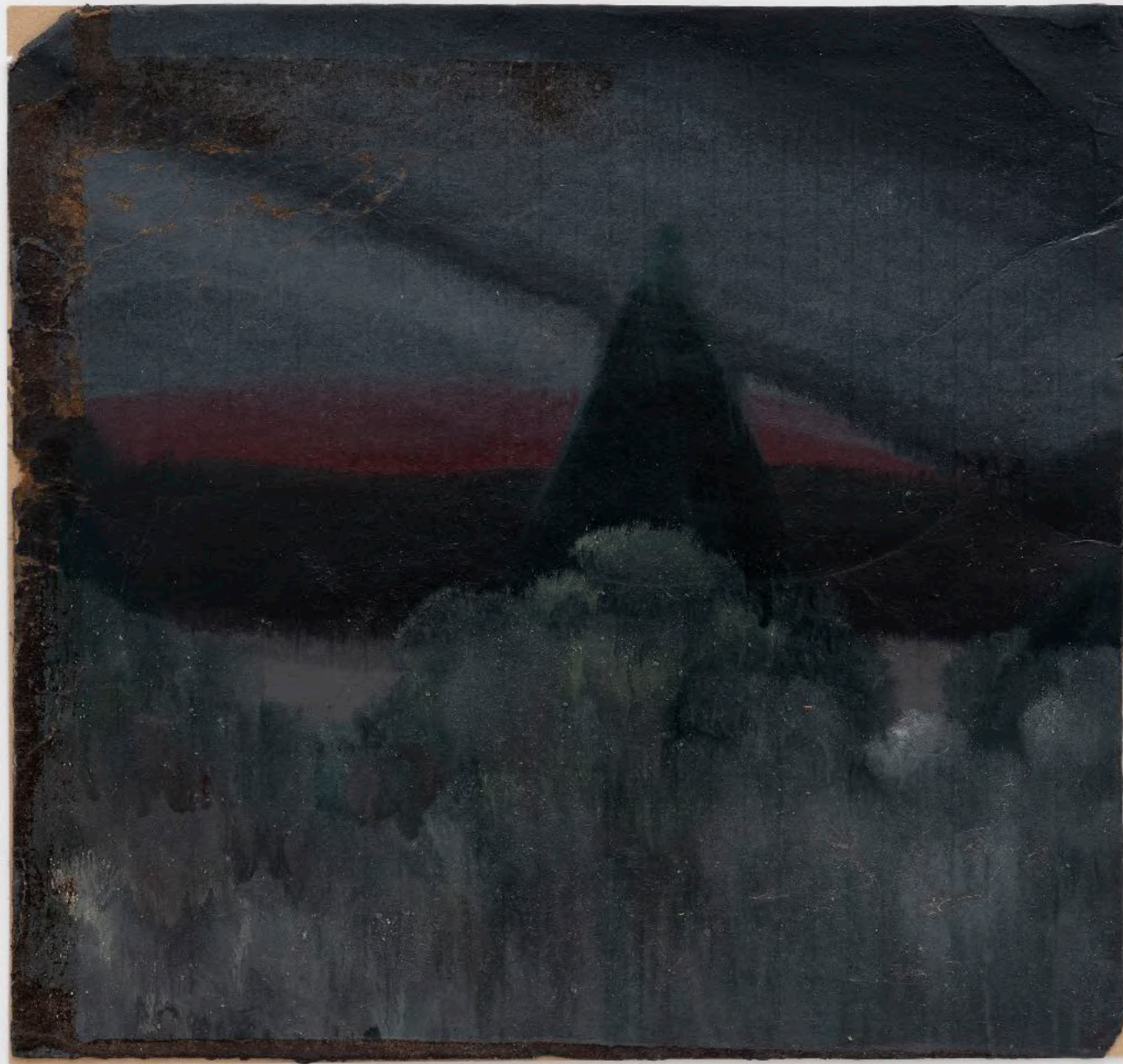
Frank Walter
Fortes D'Aloia & Gabriel | São Paulo, Brasil, 2023



Frank Walter
Untitled [View of Dark Pink Sky through Trees], s/d [n/d]
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on single ply cardboard]
40.5 x 39.5 x 4 cm [15.9 x 15.5 x 1.5 in]



Frank Walter
Fortes D'Aloia & Gabriel | São Paulo, Brasil, 2023



Frank Walter
Untitled [Dark Grey & Red Sky with Black Pyramid], s/d [n/d]
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on single ply cardboard]
40.5 x 42 x 4 cm [15.9 x 16.5 x 1.5 in]



Frank Walter
Fortes D'Aloia & Gabriel | São Paulo, Brasil, 2023



Frank Walter
Untitled [Nocturnal View of Hills with Lights], s/d [n/d]
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on single ply cardboard]
41.5 x 39.5 x 4 cm [16.3 x 15.5 x 1.5 in]

By Land Air, Home and Sea: The World of Frank Walter

David Zwirner Gallery | New York, USA, 2022



By Land Air, Home and Sea: The World of Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | New York, USA, 2022



Frank Walter
Untitled (Yellow Sky), n.d.
Óleo sobre papel fotográfico [Oil on photograph]
20.2 x 25.1 cm [8 x 9 7/8 in]



By Land Air, Home and Sea: The World of Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | New York, USA, 2022



Frank Walter
Untitled (Pink Sky, Green Field), n.d.
Óleo sobre papel cartão [Oil on cardstock]
13.4 x 18.5 cm [5 1/4 x 7 1/4 in]



Frank Walter
Untitled (Dark Lavender Sky, Two Trees, White Water), n.d.
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on single-ply cardboard]
17.2 x 13.5 cm [6 3/4 x 5 1/4 in]



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David Zwirner Gallery | New York, USA, 2022



Frank Walter
Untitled (Dark Lavender Sky, Two Trees, White Water), n.d.
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on single-ply cardboard]
17.2 x 13.5 cm [6 3/4 x 5 1/4 in]



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Frank Walter
Untitled (Two Coconut Palms Night Sky), n.d.

Óleo sobre filme Polaroid [Oil on Polaroid film cartridge box]

9.8 x 8 cm [3 7/8 x 3 1/8 in]



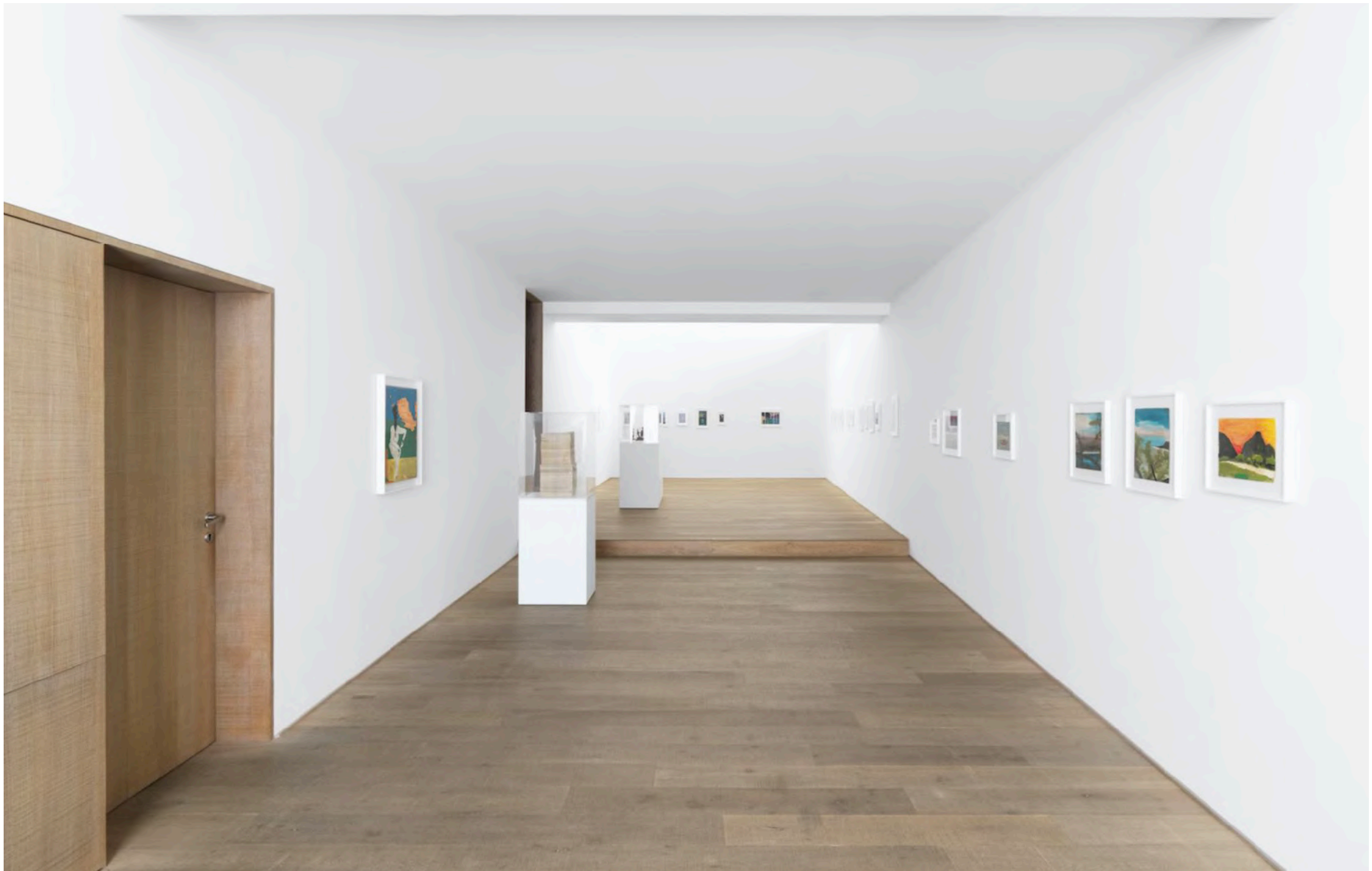
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Frank Walter's Chessboard

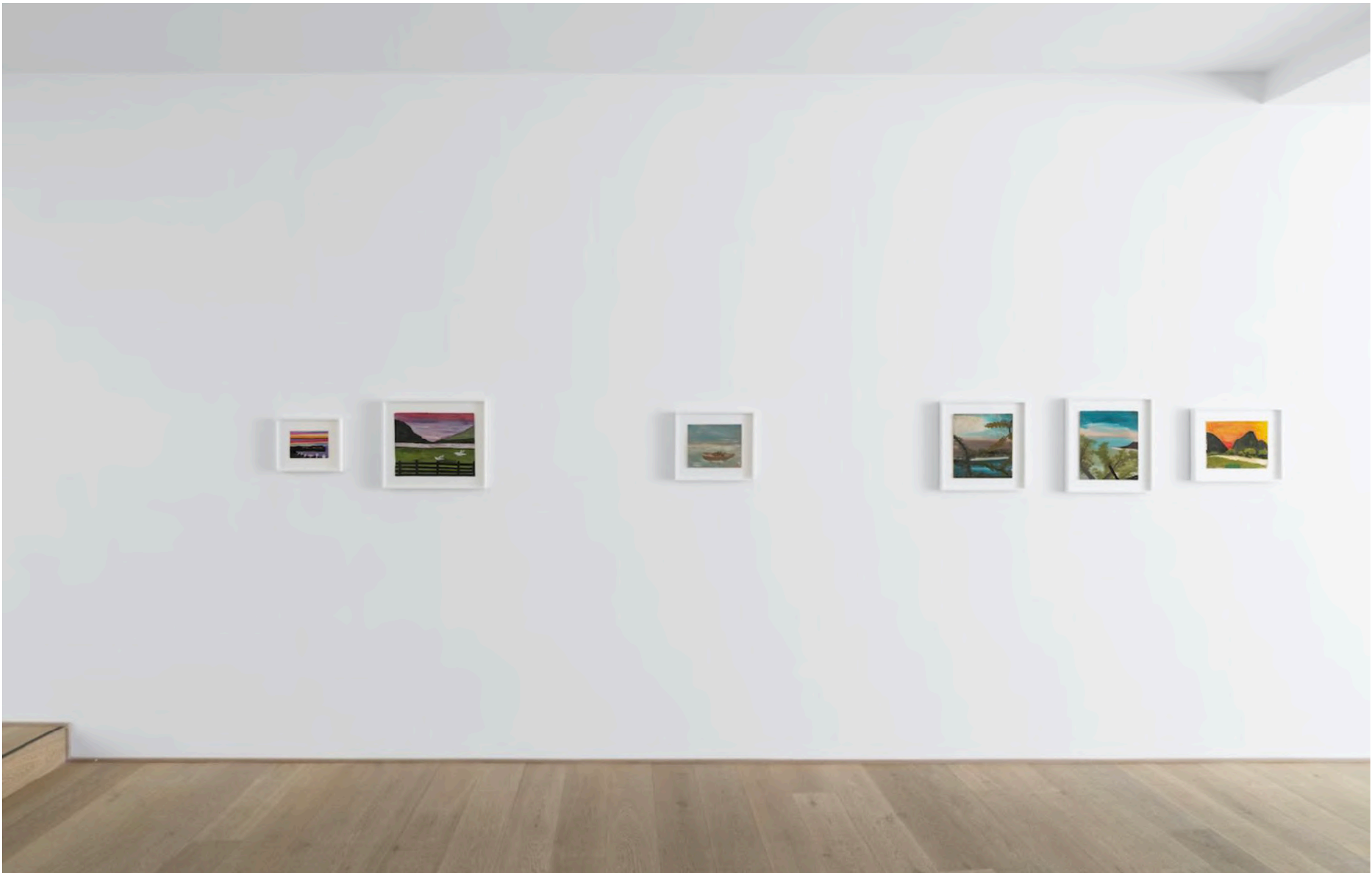
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Frank Walter
Untitled (Pink Sky, White Birds, Black Fence), n.d.
Óleo sobre papel [Oil on single-ply cardboard]
30 x 37 cm [11 3/4 x 14 5/8 in]

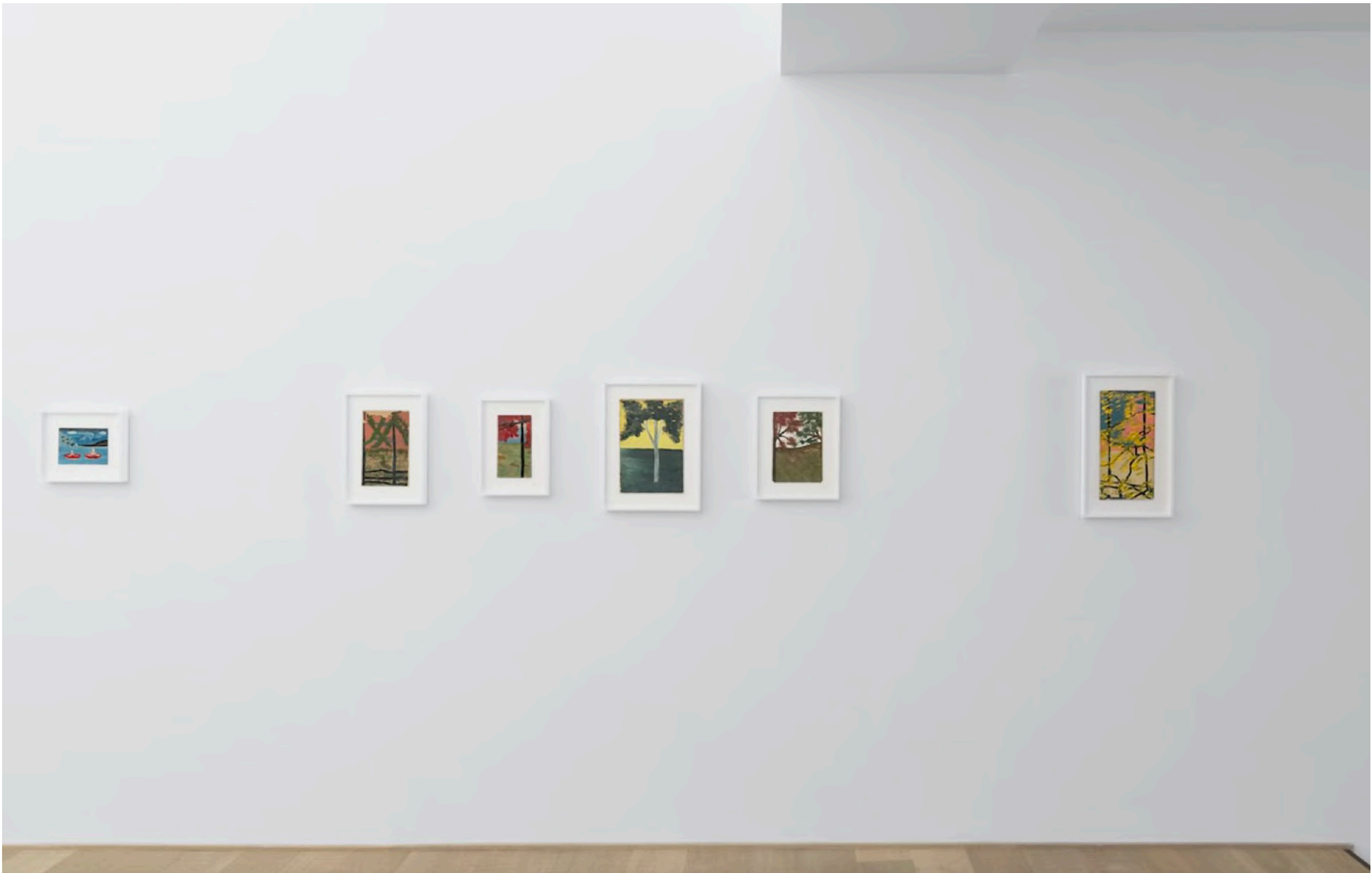


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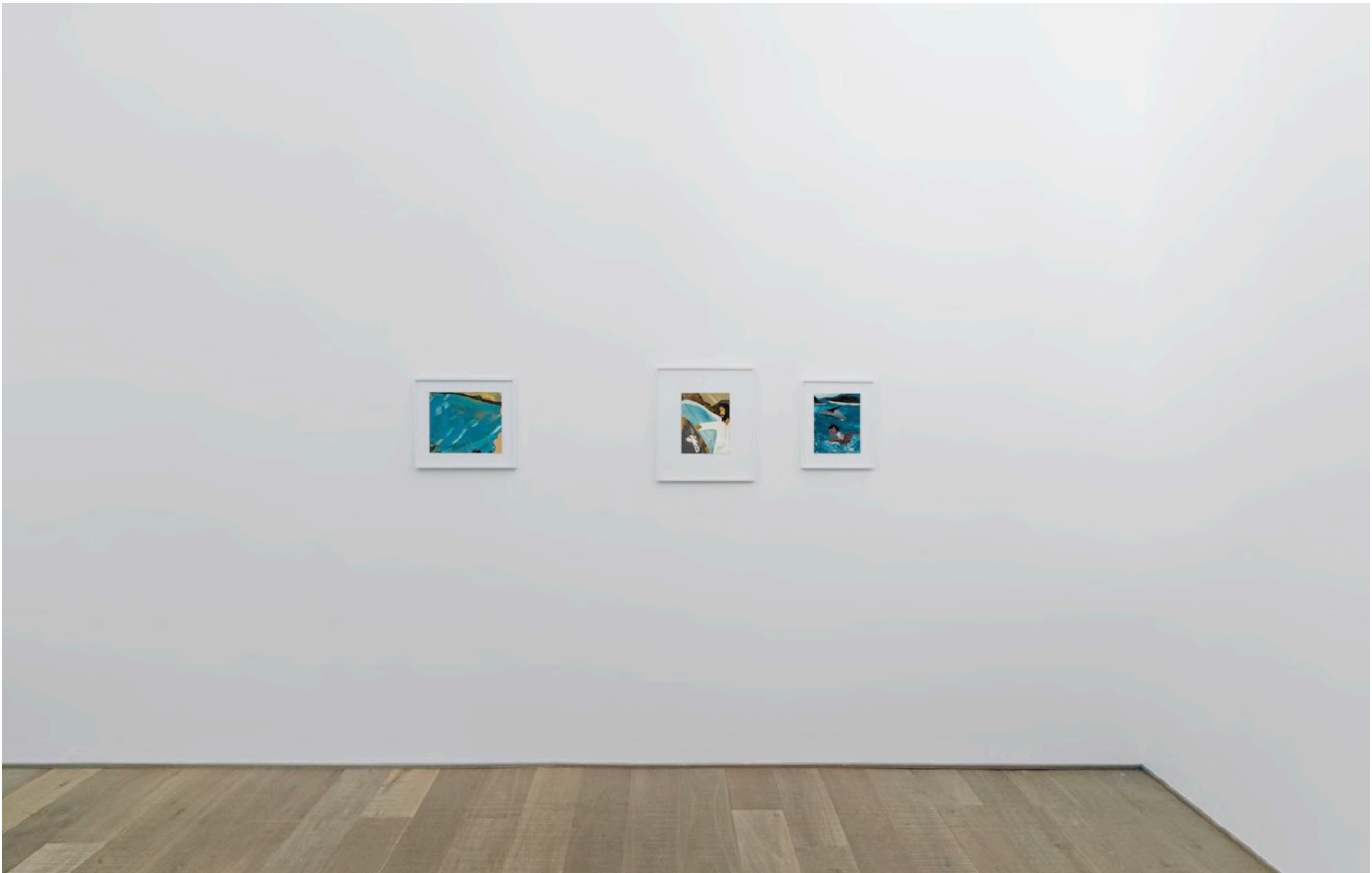
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Frank Walter's Chessboard
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Frank Walter
Untitled (Tourists on Paddleboats), n.d.
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on beige cardstock]
13.2 x 17.8 cm [5 1/4 x 7 1/8 in]



Frank Walter's Chessboard

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Frank Walter
Jesus in Antigua, n.d.
Óleo sobre papel fotográfico [Oil on photograph]
25.3 x 20.1 cm [10 x 7 7/8 in]

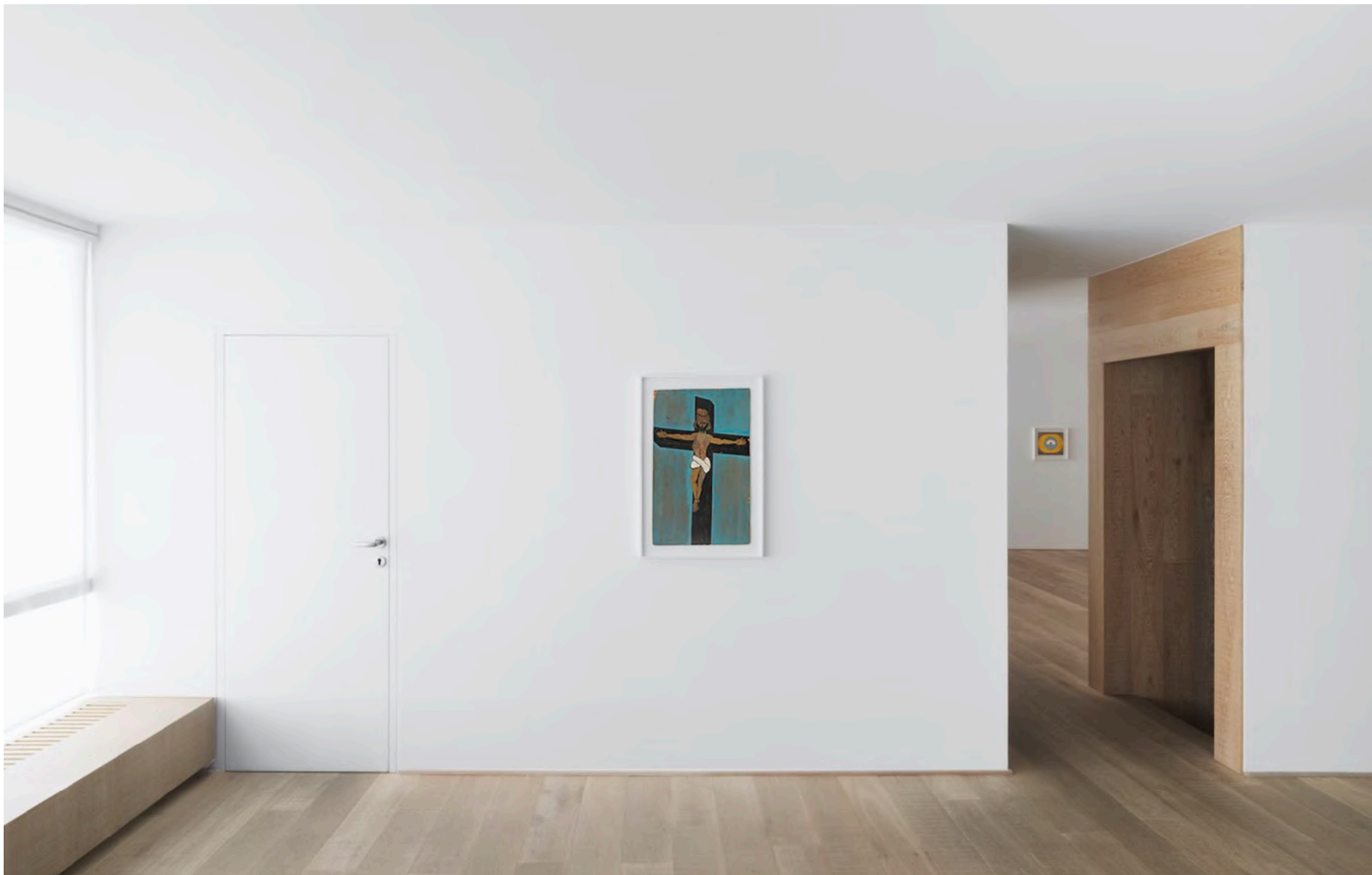


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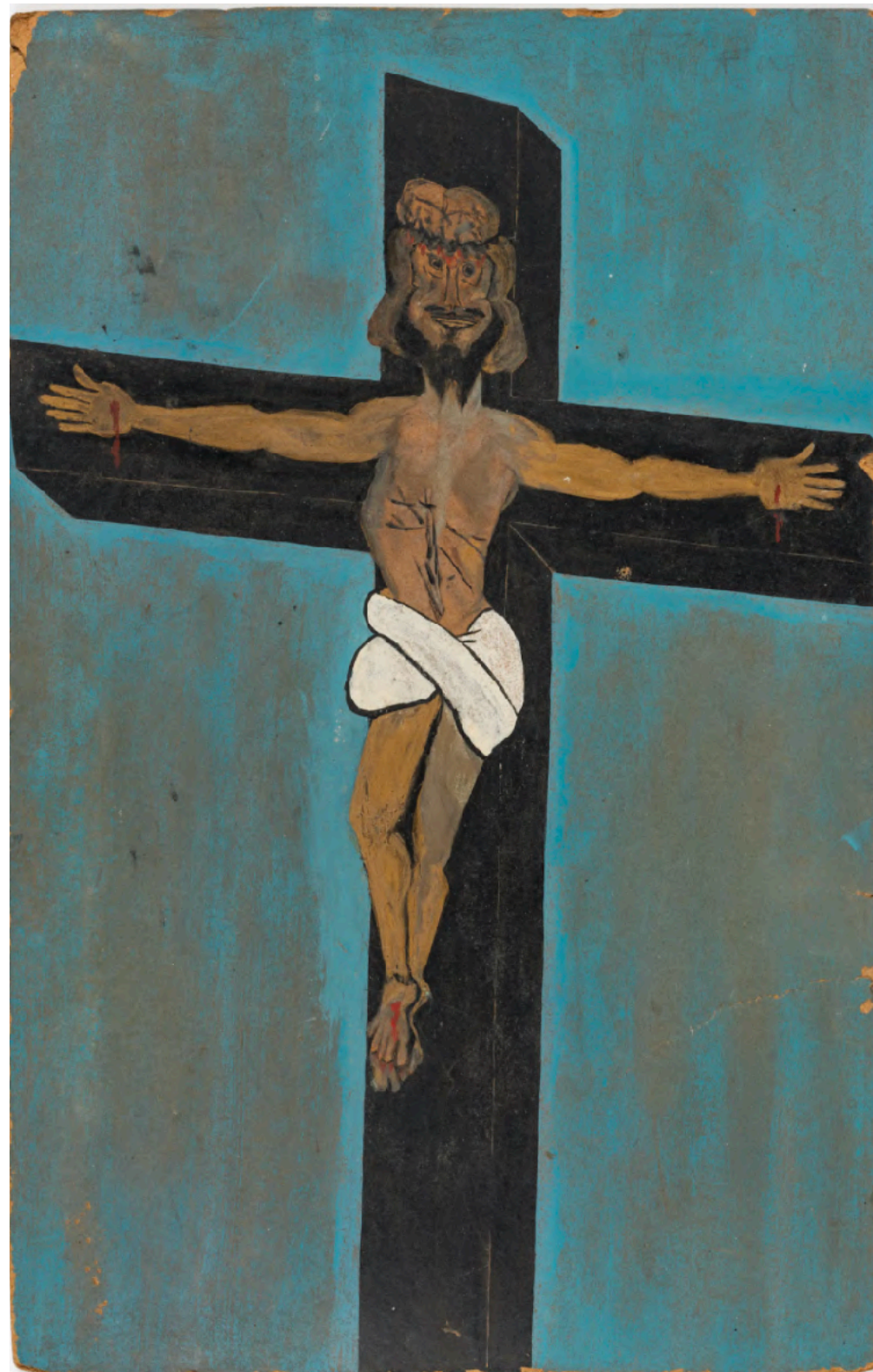
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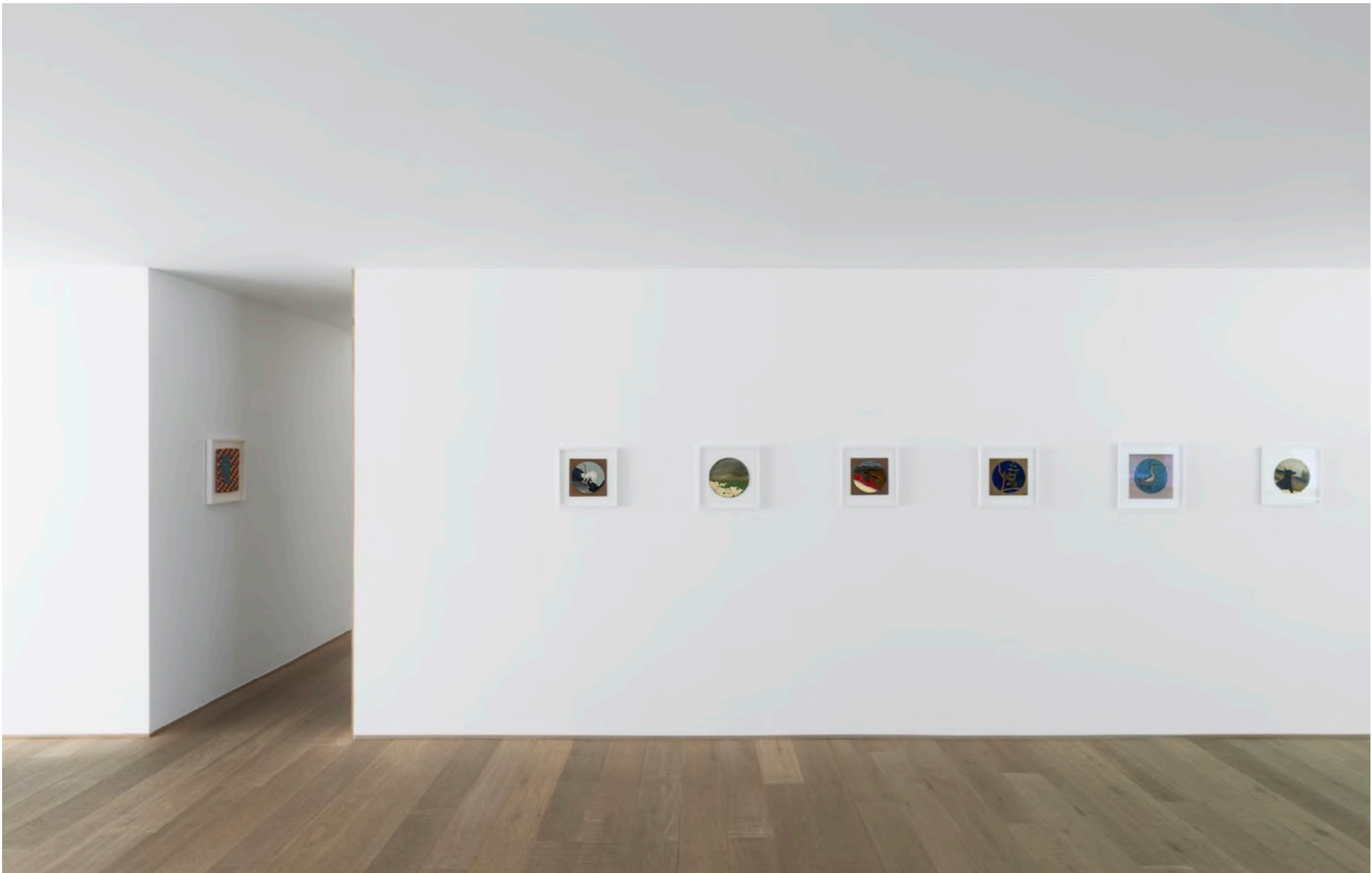
Frank Walter
Untitled (Abstract Stars), n.d.
Óleo sobre lâmina de madeira [Oil on Masonite]
30.4 x 24 cm, 12 x 9 1/2 in.



Frank Walter's Chessboard
Xavier Hufkens | Brussels, Belgium, 2022



Frank Walter
Jesus in Antigua, n.d.
Óleo sobre papel fotográfico [Oil on photograph]
25.3 x 20.1 cm [10 x 7 7/8 in]



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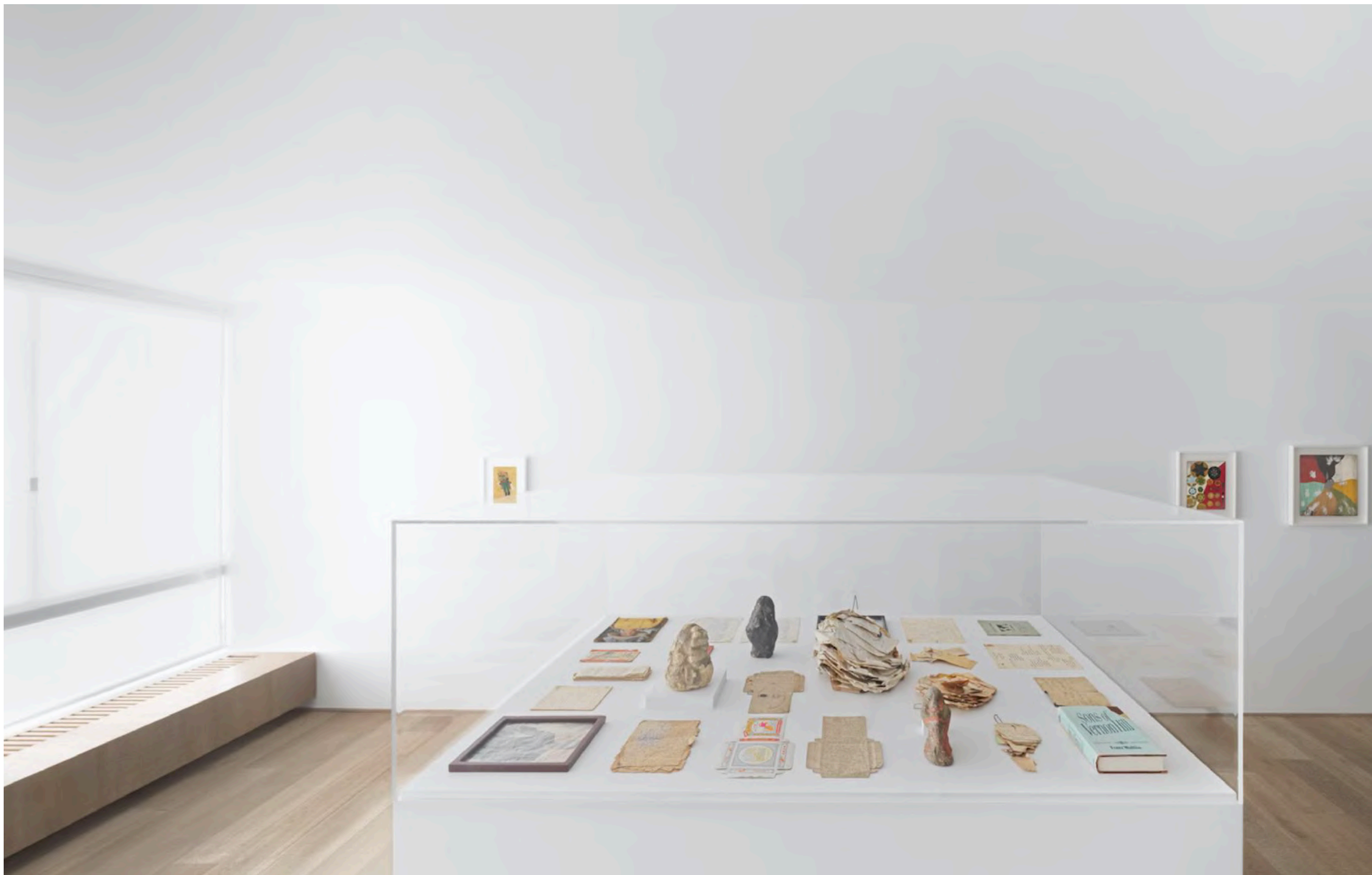


Frank Walter

Untitled (Shark), n.d.

Óleo sobre material biodegradável [Oil on biocomposite material backed with masonite]

19.8 x 19.8 cm, 7 3/4 x 7 3/4 in.



Frank Walter's Chessboard

Xavier Hufkens | Brussels, Belgium, 2022

Thaddeus Mosley and Frank Walter; Sanctuary

St James Catholic Church | Thomaston, USA, 2022



Thaddeus Mosley and Frank Walter; Sanctuary
St James Catholic Church | Thomaston, USA, 2022



Frank Walter

***Untitled (Sailboat)*, ND**

Óleo sobre papel cartão [Oil on card stock]

31.75 × 31.45 cm [12½ × 12⅜ inches;]



Frank Walter
***Untitled (Changing Man Blue Grey)*, ND**
Óleo sobre madeira [Oil on wood]
27.94 × 20.32 cm [10⁷/₈ × 7⁷/₈ in]



Thaddeus Mosley and Frank Walter; Sanctuary
St James Catholic Church | Thomaston, USA, 2022



Thaddeus Mosley and Frank Walter; Sanctuary
St James Catholic Church | Thomaston, USA, 2022



Frank Walter
***Untitled (Arawak Ceremony)*, ND**
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on single-ply cardboard]
27.64 × 44.15 cm [10⁷/₈ × 17³/₈ in]



Frank Walter
Untitled, ND
Óleo sobre papelão [Oil on cardboard]
25.40 × 17.78 cm [10 × 7 in]



Thaddeus Mosley and Frank Walter; Sanctuary
St James Catholic Church | Thomaston, USA, 2022



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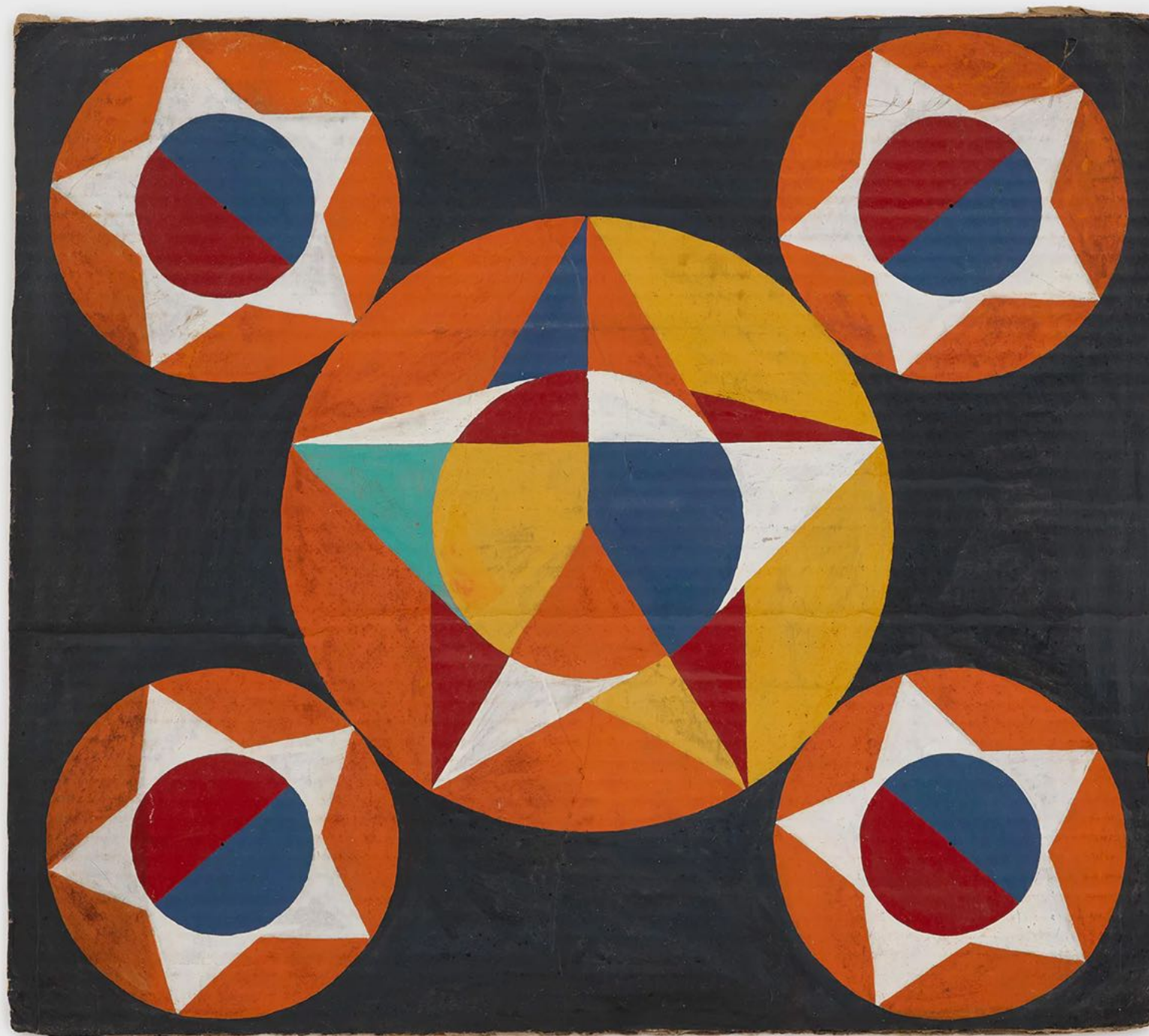
Untitled (Heraldic beast [Eagle]), n.d.

Óleo e guache sobre papelão [Oil and gouache on single-ply cardboard]

26 x 24.5 cm [10 1/4 x 9 5/8 in]



Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | London, UK, 2021



Frank Walter
Untitled (Psycho-Geometrics), n.d.
Óleo sobre papel cartão [Oil on cardboard]
31.8 x 35.9 cm [12 1/2 x 14 1/8 in]



Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | London, UK, 2021



Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | London, UK, 2021



Frank Walter
Untitled (Lavender sky, black bird formation), n.d.
Oil on Polaroid film cartridge box
10 x 7.9 cm [3 7/8 x 3 1/8 inches]



Frank Walter
Untitled (Red sunrise, orange sky), n.d.

Óleo sobre filme de Polaroid [Oil on Polaroid film cartridge box]

10 x 8.3 cm [3 7/8 x 3 1/4 inches]



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David Zwirner Gallery | London, UK, 2021



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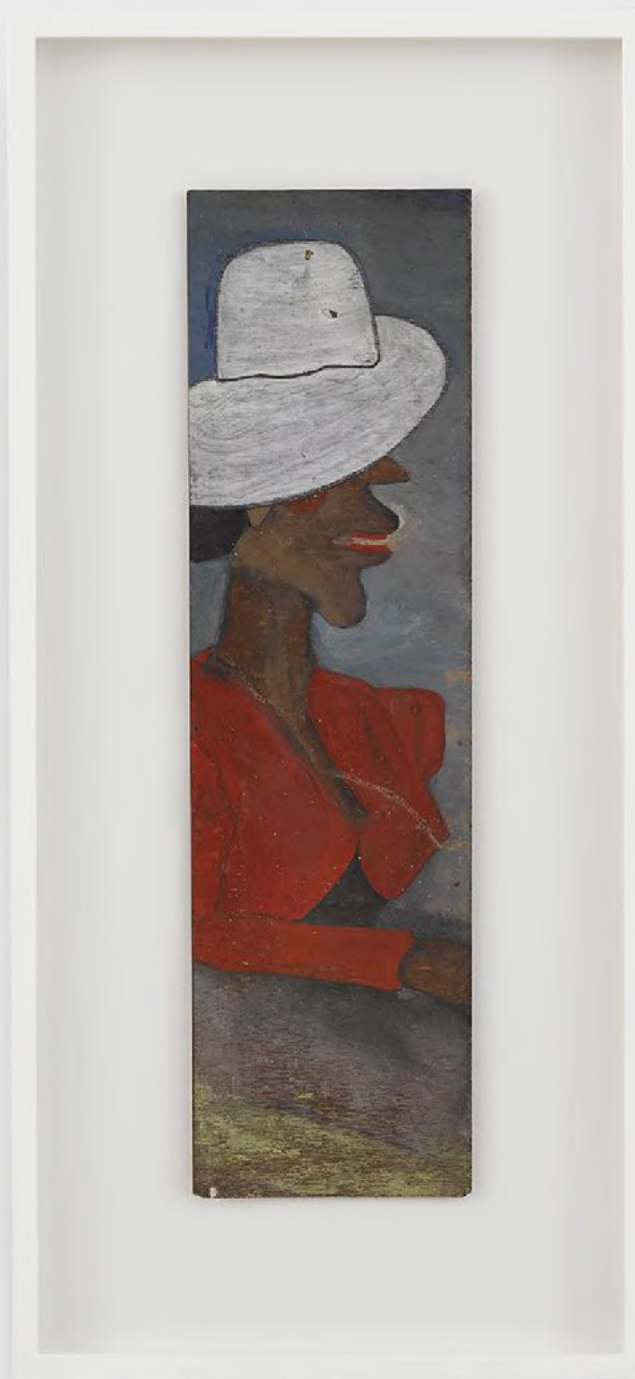
Untitled (Scotland with white river and trees and two birds in flight), n.d.

Óleo sobre filme de Polaroid [Oil on Polaroid film cartridge box]

10.2 x 8.3 cm [4 x 3 1/4 inches]



Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | London, UK, 2021



Frank Walter

Untitled (Lady with a white hat), n.d.

Óleo sobre lâmina de madeira [Oil on laminated wood panel]

43.2 x 12.1 cm [17 x 4 3/4 inches]



Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | London, UK, 2021



Frank Walter
Untitled (Yellow shirted man on green background), n.d.
Óleo sobre papel [Oil on paper]
25 x 20 cm [9 7/8 x 7 7/8 inches]



Frank Walter
David Zwirner Gallery | London, UK, 2021

Music of the Spheres

Ingleby Gallery | Edinburgh, Scotland, 2021



Music of the Spheres

Ingleby Gallery | Edinburgh, Scotland, 2021



Frank Walter
Untitled (Crescent Moon)
Óleo sobre material biodegradável [Oil on biocomposite material]
21.5 cm [8 in]



Music of the Spheres
Ingleby Gallery | Edinburgh, Scotland, 2021



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Ingleby Gallery | Edinburgh, Scotland, 2021



Frank Walter
Untitled (Hell's Gate Steel Band)
Óleo sobre material biodegradável [Oil on biocomposite material]
21.5 cm [8 in]

Frank Walter: A Retrospective

Museum für Moderne Kunst | Frankfurt, Germany, 2020



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Frank Walter
Untitled, n. d



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Frank Walter
Milky Way Galaxy, n.d.



Frank Walter
Centrifugal Sun Rockets, n. d.



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Untitled, n. d



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Frank Walter
Untitled, n. d



Frank Walter
Untitled, n. d

Blue Flowers

Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, Switzerland, 2019



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Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, Switzerland, 2019



Blue Flowers
Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, Switzerland, 2019



Frank Walter
Palm, Sand, and Sailboat, n.d.
Óleo sobre vinil [Oil on vinyl]



Blue Flowers
Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, Switzerland, 2019



Frank Walter
Coast with Grey Clouds, n.d.
Óleo sobre fotografia [oil on photographic paper]



Blue Flowers
Robert Heald Gallery, Wellington, Switzerland, 2019



Frank Walter
Brown Trunk, Yellow #4, n.d
Óleo sobre papel fotográfico [Oil on photographic paper]

The Last Universal Man

La Biennale di Venezia | Venice, Italy, 2017



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Lonely Bird

Hirschl & Adler Modern | New York, USA, 2016

*I was by now fast becoming a Lonely Bird, spreading my wings from field to field
behind the hills spotting everything with the Eagle's Eyes that I had developed. . . .*

Frank Walter, Antigua



Lonely Bird

Hirschl & Adler Modern | New York, USA, 2016



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Hirschl & Adler Modern | New York, USA, 2016



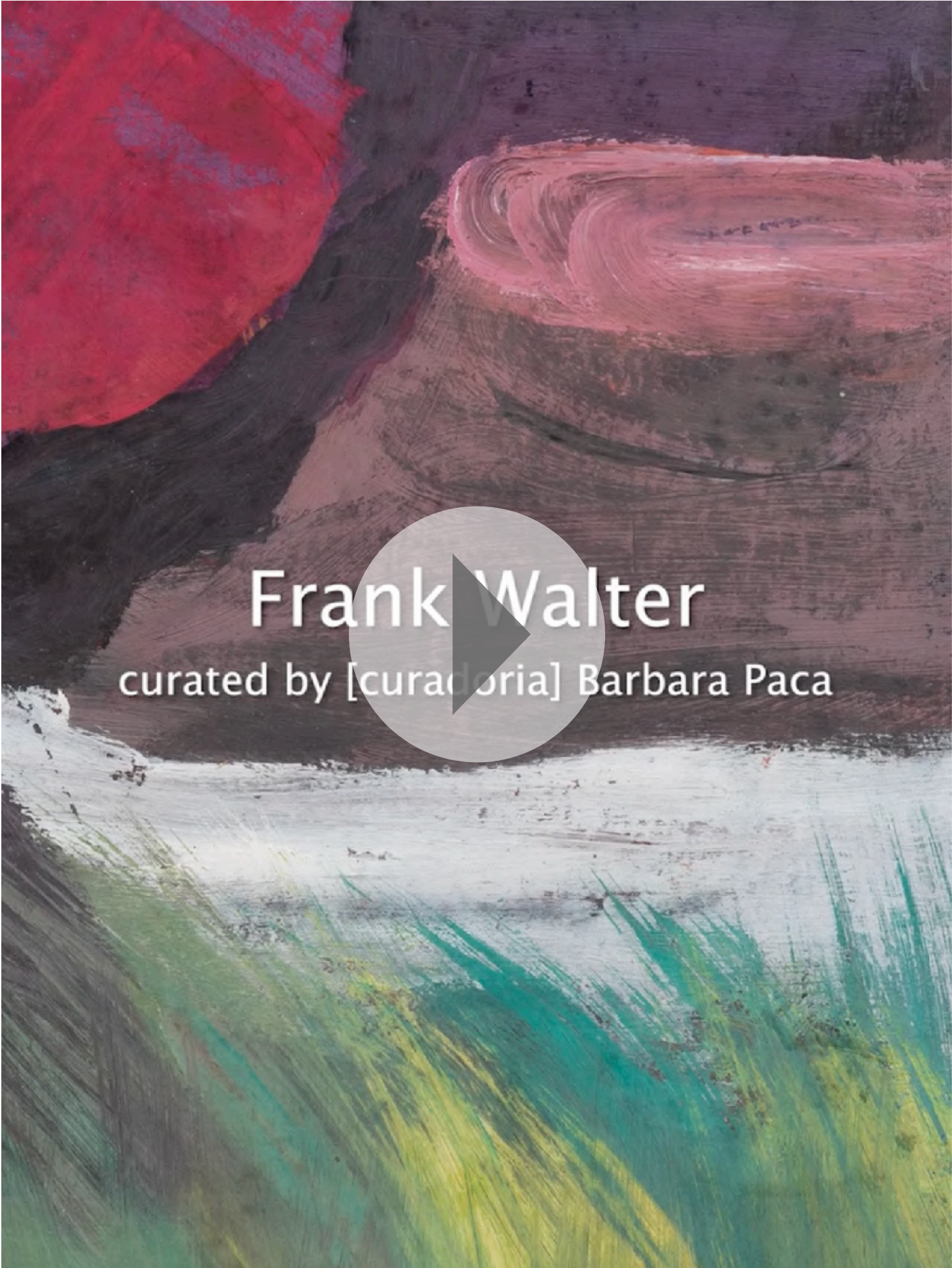
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Hirschl & Adler Modern | New York, USA, 2016



Lonely Bird

Hirschl & Adler Modern | New York, USA, 2016

Vídeos [Videos]



Frank Walter

curated by [curadoria] Barbara Paca

Trecho do poema "What Art Is", escrito e gravado em fita por [Excerpt of the poem "What Art is" written and recorded on tape by] Frank Walter
Produzido na ocasião da exposição [Produced on the occasion of the exhibition] Frank Walter na [at] Fortes D'Aloia & Gabriel, 2023

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(...) WHAT ART IS.

Art is a festival in which a narrative is told
It makes its drama constantly and speaks in human flesh
The actor ever bold
On canvas wood or paper
An audience it seeks
Cold stone or clay or wood or metal
The sculptor writes to some endearment of those
Who inevitably upon the scenes do call
Even when rude and vulgar lips comment
Just what one sees is what one sees
And seeing art is also
Having it and hearing it
Someone by nothing is not prone to find an ease
Nothing is seeing something
Yet not having a bit
Seeing a work of art is already having
Some are spontaneously cured
Of some depression
Of aches and pains
And many another hurting
Even an introvert
Does art extoll with passion
Hungry in wonderment spectators sit
Well to watch the works of dwellers in caves
Art is to all the civil and instructor's credit
The human mind for entertainment craves
We are all connoisseurs of art at any stage
Passified by art whether young or old
Art is a teacher
Adding much to knowledge
The comfort of the soul
When life grows cold
Religious or secular
Moral and Kind
Art is a talent bestowed by providence
Surely divine providence
The human design
To pursue art for delight
Something more than opulence
Labors and packagers of food and ware
Are decorated by art
To make them seen surely all human beings desire a share
Once art instruct the mind
How to be

An abstract painting featuring horizontal bands of muted green, yellow, and brown at the top, transitioning into darker, more turbulent bands of red, orange, and black towards the bottom. Numerous dark, irregular splatters and blotches are scattered across the entire surface, particularly concentrated in the lower half. Overlaid on the center of the painting is a semi-transparent white circle containing a dark grey play button icon.

Fortes D'Aloia & Gabriel presents Frank Walter

Frank Walter: vida e paisagem [life and landscape]

Produzido na ocasião da exposição [Produced on the occasion of the exhibition] Frank Walter na [at] Fortes D'Aloia & Gabriel, 2023

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