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Natan Elkanovich's "Lionel Messi" is on display during a VIP preview as Art Miami 2023 on Tuesday, Dec 5, 2023, in downtown Miami



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### Renowned Israeli Artist Natan Elkanovich Takes Center Stage at Art Miami 2023

Miami, Florida: November 2023: Globally renowned contemporary artist Natan Elkanovich will captivate the art world once again as he embarks on his journey from Israel to Miami for the highly anticipated Art Miami 2023 exhibition. Acclaimed, Heralded, and Collected. The Artist: School: Intelligence Officer in The IDF, 25 Years as a Costume Designer for motion pictures and TV drama series and awarded four (yes 4) Academy Awards for Best Costume Design: the equivalent of the American Oscar.

**THE ONE TO WATCH.** His charismatic and thought-provoking mixed-media works. Off the chain. An immersive, tactile "Touch my paintings" experience. Elkanovich will accompany his extraordinary and highly curated Collection at this premier international art event.

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As a son of a Holocaust survivor and a prisoner of Stalin's communist regime, Natan chose to celebrate life and the gifts it brings and portray it in his art. Embedded in his art is a genuine appreciation for humanity. Identifying as a humanist, Natan seeks to emphasize and explore the beauty in humanity, together with the elements of love, nostalgia, longing, appreciation, honor and gratitude. His works represent disparate themes, thoughts, and emotions: yet all are characterized by a harmonious interplay of media, form, texture, and color, and offer a fresh perspective that challenges preconceived notions and encourages dialogue.

Hailing from Tel Aviv, Natan Elkanovich has become a prominent figure in the global art scene, pushing boundaries with his distinctive style that seamlessly blends traditional techniques



"BROTHERHOOD" NATAN ELKANOVICH

with a modern aesthetic. His diverse portfolio reflects a profound exploration of cultural, social, and personal narratives, making him a sought-after artist among collectors and enthusiasts alike.

Art Miami, recognized as one of the leading international contemporary and modern art fairs, provides the ideal platform for Elkanovich to unveil this new Collection. Visitors to the exhibition can expect to be immersed in a visual journey that transcends conventional artistic norms, as the artist delves into themes that resonate with the human experience.

Originally born in Moldova under the communist regime of the former USSR, Elkanovich had to be careful not to speak in such a way that could be considered subversive, for fear of authorities or whistleblowing neighbors. His solution was to bring his ideas to life through the expansiveness of his interior creativity.

As a youth, Elkanovich made his move to Israel for a new life. This enabled him to transmute his childhood innovations to art on canvas. Elkanovich's paintings are now shown in elite galleries throughout the world, sharing walls with leading masters of our time. Elkanovich's participation in Art Miami is a testament to the event's commitment to showcasing

groundbreaking talent from around the world.

Globally Renowned Contemporary Artist Natan Elkanovich's work showcases his unique and distinctive 3D painting technique, in which he painstakingly combines a myriad of plastic materials, which includes amongst others, silicon and acrylics. He applies them using kitchenware on canvas or aluminum. This medium creates a rigid 3D texture on the surface, which creates a stunning result. Using kitchenware as his painting tools stems from his deep-seated roots in the kitchen, embedded in him from early childhood. All his materials are applied with a laborious devotion, entirely by hand. There is no machinery involved in his process.

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Art Miami, located in the heart of the Wynwood Arts District, attracts art connoisseurs, collectors, and curators from across the globe. Elkanovich's exhibition promises to be a significant visual wonder, contributing to the rich tapestry of artistic expression that Art Miami has become known for.

The opportunity to experience Natan Elkanovich's avant-garde vision at Art Miami from December 5th to 10th, 2023. His space, #AM503, is a must-visit destination: an immersive and transformative art experience.

All artwork is on exhibition & available for acquisition and appearances are complimentary & open to the public. Private Appointments & In-Home Viewings Available. For more information and to preview the works, contact USA Publicist Allison Zucker-Perelman [allison@relevantcommunications.net](mailto:allison@relevantcommunications.net) or visit [natanelkanovich.com](http://natanelkanovich.com)



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