

Wills Odyssey

Arnaud Quercy



Where philosophy takes form—human will rendered in geometry and color

MEDIUM	Acrylic on Canvas
DIMENSIONS	50.0×70.0cm
YEAR	2023
ORIGIN	France
REFERENCE	Arnaud Quercy Creations / AQC0494 / 2023
SOLD	Suffolk, United Kingdom
CERTIFICATE	20231231-0081

CURATORIAL NOTES

This acrylic on canvas explores Nietzsche's philosophy through geometric abstraction, translating concepts of human will and self-determination into intersecting planes and architectural forms. Part of the Transcendence collection, the work constructs a visual field where shapes overlap, collide, and assert their presence against a

layered backdrop of blue and muted burgundy. The composition suggests both structure and flux—order emerging from, and dissolving back into, uncertainty.

Cool blue tones dominate the upper register and right side, ranging from pale sky blue to deeper slate, while a large burgundy-brown plane anchors the left portion of the canvas. Geometric forms—rectangles, triangles, and irregular polygons—stack and intersect throughout the composition. A striking orange element at lower left provides the most saturated accent, balanced by a soft pink sphere and smaller red-orange details that punctuate the cooler palette. Black linear elements and small dark rectangles create visual punctuation across the surface.

The large format of fifty by seventy centimeters gives these overlapping planes room to establish their spatial relationships. The acrylic medium allows for clean edges where forms meet, while softer transitions appear in the background passages. A pale, almost ghostly rectangular form near center creates depth, suggesting forms emerging from or receding into the pictorial space—a visual parallel to Nietzsche's concept of will to power manifesting through creative action.

The work includes certificate of authenticity #20231231-0081 and bears the artist's signature at bottom right. Now held in a private collection in the United Kingdom.

WHERE THIS WORK LIVES

PROVENANCE

Origin: Arnaud Quercy, Paris, France, 2023

Acquired: 2023-12-08 — Private collection — Suffolk, United Kingdom during *Transcendence – World Premiere of Ephemera Arts*

Series: Faith

Collection: Transcendence

Technique: Acrylic

EXHIBITIONS

Transcendence – World Premiere of Ephemera Arts (2023-10-29 → 2023-11-15, Koblenzer Kunstverein e.V., Koblenz)

OTHER WORKS IN THIS SERIES

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THEMATIC ELEMENTS

Nietzsche philosophy geometric abstraction Transcendence collection acrylic
on canvas intersecting planes cool blue tones orange accent contemporary
abstraction large format painting Arnaud Quercy

THE ARTIST



Arnaud Quercy

Arnaud Quercy is a Parisian artist working across painting, music, and sculpture. His practice is grounded in Idealism — the principle that a work of art does not carry meaning, but triggers it. Each piece is engineered to diffract differently through each person who encounters it.

FROM TRANSCENDENCE

Unveiling the Cosmos Dawning of Reason Acrylic on Canvas,
50.0×70.0cm NOT FOR SALE : [https://artquamanima.com/en/artworks/
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F# Major - Research on Harmony Acrylic on Canvas, 30.0×40.0cm
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I Too Rising Hope Acrylic on Canvas, 50.0×70.0cm
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artquamanima.com/en/artworks/2023/01/i-too-rising-hope_5l4.html](https://artquamanima.com/en/artworks/2023/01/i-too-rising-hope_5l4.html)

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