

JAY SAMIT
***DOTS & PIXELS: POP ART REFLECTIONS
OF DIGITAL LIVES***

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IN THE FUTURE, EVERYONE WILL WANT
TO BE ANONYMOUS FOR 15 MINUTES



POP CULTURE IS NO LONGER A MASS MEDIA SHARED EXPERIENCE, BUT RATHER AN ALL TOO ALIENATING PRIVATE INTERACTION MANIPULATED BY POWERFUL TECHNOLOGY DESIGNED TO DOMINATE HOW WE LIVE, LOVE, WORK, AND THINK. ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE INFLUENCES WHO WE DATE, WHAT WE CONSUME, WATCH, AND BELIEVE. THIS COLLECTION OF WATERCOLOR PAINTINGS REINTERPRETS THE FAMILIAR IMAGERY OF THE POP ART MOVEMENT FROM HALF A CENTURY AGO AS A REFLECTION OF WHAT OUR LIVES HAVE BECOME (AND WHAT WE HAVE LOST ALONG THE WAY).

HAVING BEEN FORTUNATE
TO START WORKING ON
THE INTERNET IN 1978,
I SPENT DECADES
INNOVATING AND
CREATING THE VERY
TECHNOLOGIES THAT
NOW CONTROL US.



IN 1968, WHEN ANDY WARHOL
PROCLAIMED THAT "IN THE
FUTURE, EVERYONE WILL BE
WORLD-FAMOUS FOR 15
MINUTES", HE COULDN'T HAVE
IMAGINED A WORLD WHERE
UNPLUGGING AND BECOMING
ANONYMOUS WOULD BECOME
A LUXURY. TINDER, NETFLIX,
BEAUTY FILTERS, AND ALEXA
PROVIDE VALUE TO USERS,
BUT AT WHAT COST?



EACH OF MY WORKS ARE
COLORFUL THREADS UNRAVELLING
FROM THIS ONE SARDONIC
TAPESTRY OF THOUGHT. MY
PAINTINGS EXPLORE THIS VALUE
EXCHANGE OF PRIVACY FOR
CONVENIENCE, INTIMACY FOR
POPULARITY, AND TRUE
CONNECTIONS FOR LIKES.





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WHAT CONVINCED YOU TO SWIPE RIGHT, July 18 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

JS_00062

\$ 4,500

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NETFLIX AND CHILL, July 20 2022
Watercolor on paper
12h x 16w in (30.48h x 40.64w cm)
JS_00073

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IS YOUR HUMAN A RESCUE TOO, July 23 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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STILL NO TOMATOES, July 24 2022

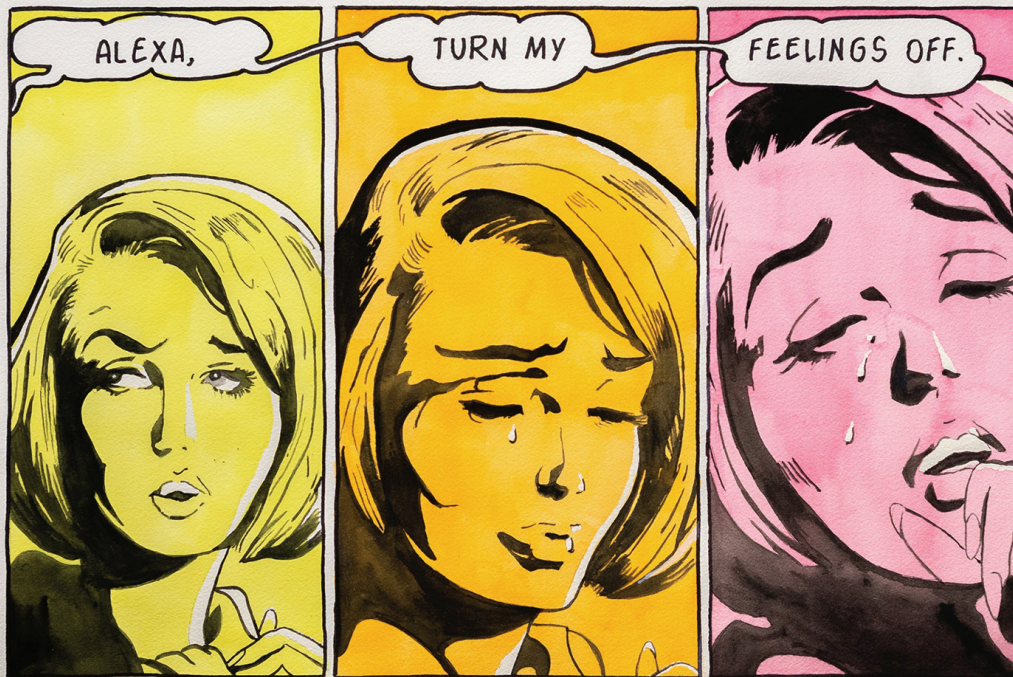
Watercolor on paper

12h x 16w in (30.48h x 40.64w cm)

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ALEXA TURN MY FEELINGS OFF, July 25 2022

Watercolor on paper

18h x 24w in. (45.72h x 60.96w cm.)

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\$ 6,500

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ALL I WANT IS SOMEONE WHO WANTS TO BINGE, July 27 2022

Watercolor on paper

24h x 18w in (60.96h x 45.72w cm)

JS_00092

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I'M GETTING WASTED, July 28 2022

Watercolor on paper

18h x 24w in (45.72h x 60.96w cm)

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YOU MAKE ME FORGET MY PRONOUNS, August 8 2022

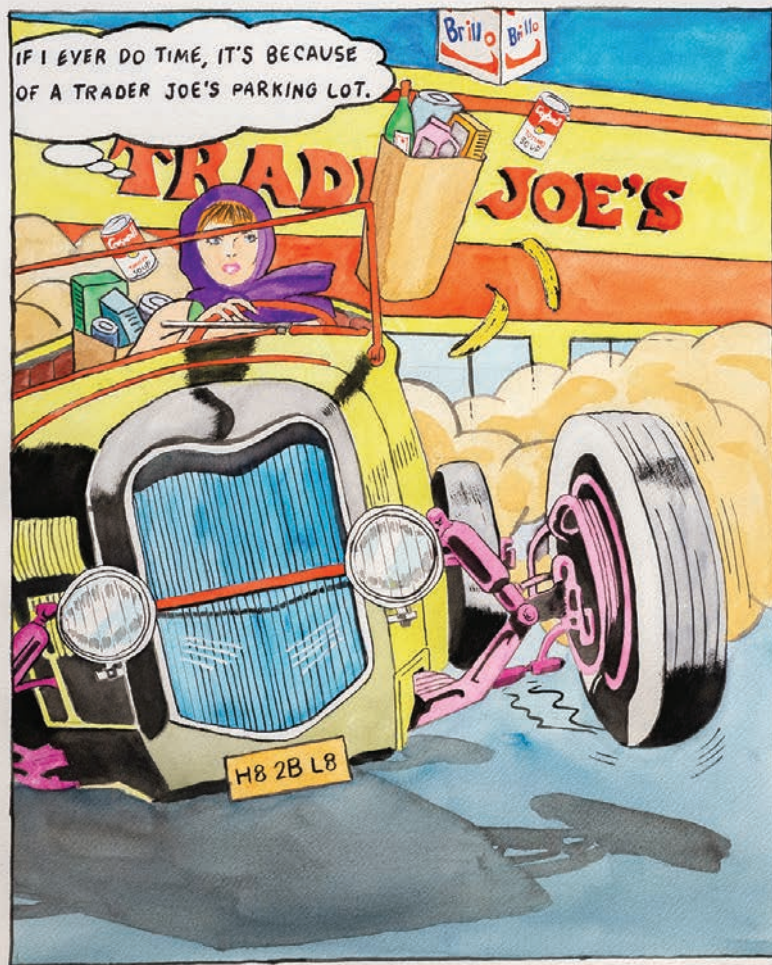
Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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If I Ever Do Time, August 10 2022

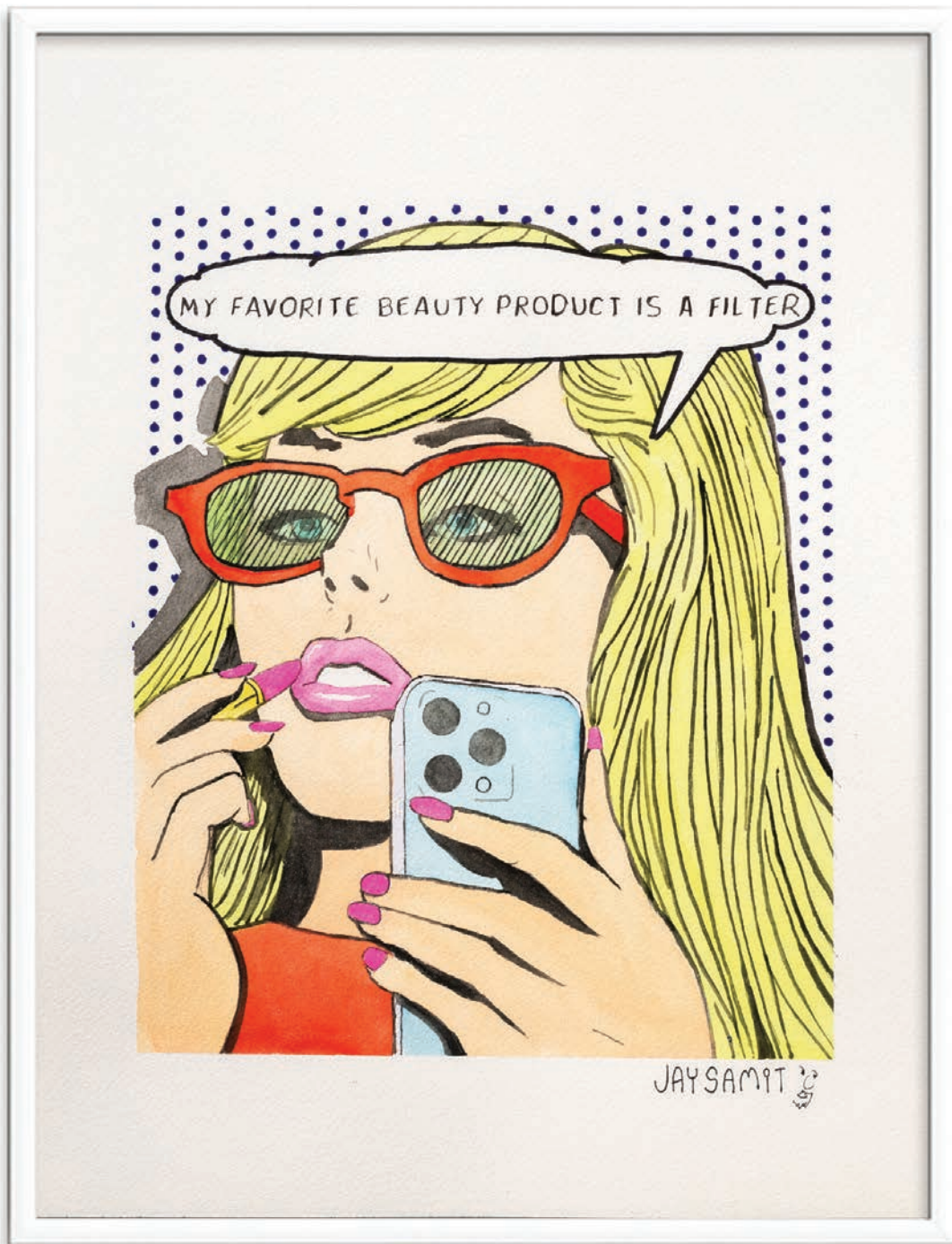
Watercolor on paper

24h x 18w in (60.96h x 45.72w cm)

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MY FAVORITE BEAUTY PRODUCT, August 11 2022
Watercolor on paper
16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)
JS_00074

\$ 4,500





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I SHOULD HAVE BOUGHT THE AUDIOBOOK, August 12 2022

Watercolor on paper

24h x 18w in (60.96h x 45.72w cm)

JS_00084

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I DONT MAKE AS MUCH AS A DOG ON INSTAGRAM, August 13 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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IN THE FUTURE EVERYONE WILL WANT TO BE ANONYMOUS, August 14 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

JS_00079

SOLD

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I SEE A LITTLE SILHOUETTO OF A MAN, August 15 2022

Watercolor on paper

12h x 16w in (30.48h x 40.64w cm)

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PREPARE TO HAVE YOUR FACE MELTED, August 16 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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MEANWHILE AT BLACK ROCK CITY, August 17 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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SOMETIMES YOU HAVE TO UNFOLLOW, August 18 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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ALL THE LONELY STARBUCKS LOVERS, August 24 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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IF YOU GHOST ME THEN STAY A GHOST, August 24 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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BITCOIN ISN'T BACKED BY ANYTHING, September 4 2022

Watercolor on paper

18h x 24w in (45.72h x 60.96w cm)

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WHY DO I DRINK AND PRIME, September 5 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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HURRY BEFORE THE NEXT PANDEMIC, September 6 2022

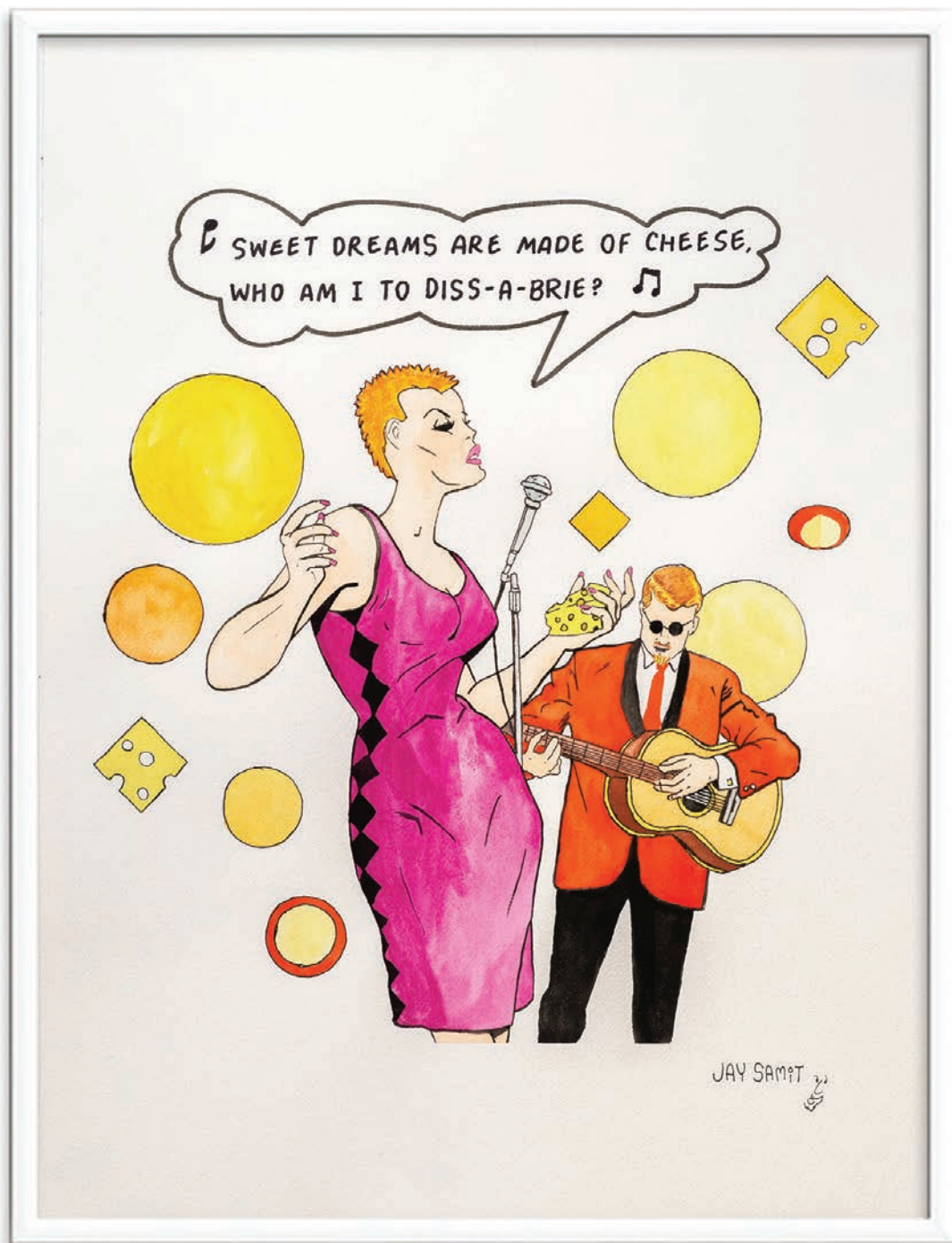
Watercolor on paper

18h x 24w in (45.72h x 60.96w cm)

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SWEET DREAMS ARE MADE OF CHEESE, September 8 2022

Watercolor on paper

24h x 18w in (60.96h x 45.72w cm)

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THE GRIDS DOWN, September 8 2022

Watercolor on paper

16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)

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IS EVERYTHING OKAY, September 9 2022
Watercolor on paper
16h x 12w in (40.64h x 30.48w cm)
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SAY WHAT YOU WANT ABOUT ONLYFANS, September 11 2022

Watercolor on paper

24h x 18w in (60.96h x 45.72w cm)

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BUT I'M STRAIGHT, September 12 2022

Watercolor on paper

24h x 18w in (60.96h x 45.72w cm)

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I WANT TO BE 16 AGAIN, September 16 2022

Watercolor on paper

18h x 24w in (45.72h x 60.96w cm)

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TELL ME HOW TO DEFEAT CAPTCHA, September 17 2022

Watercolor on paper

24h x 18w in (60.96h x 45.72w cm)

JS_00056

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REPRESENTATIVE, September 18 2022
Watercolor on paper
18h x 24w in (45.72h x 60.96w cm)
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***ROUGH NIGHT*, September 19 2022**
 Watercolor on paper
 18h x 24w in (45.72h x 60.96w cm)
 JS_00057

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