



Jay Milder (b. 1934) 125th Street Subway, 1963 Oil on canvas 48h x 48w in

Signature

Signed "J. Milder 63" lower right. Inscribed "125th St. Subway/J. Milder/63" verso.



Provenance

Dorsky Art Gallery, NY (label verso)
Mr. & Mrs. Samuel Dorsky, gift to Weatherspoon Art Museum, 1976.
Weatherspoon Art Museum, UNC Greensboro (label verso). Accession#76.2917
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Notes on Samuel Dorsky, businessman, gallery owner, art collector, philanthropist. Samuel Dorsky was a self-made and self-realized individual who came to the art world relatively late in life after achieving success in the garment business. Emerging from the Great Depression, World War II, and the post-war boom years with the desire and the wherewithal to pursue both art and philanthropy, he opened an art gallery in 1963. Until his death in 1994, his gallery presented hundreds of exhibitions, featuring such well-known artists as Henry Moore, about whom Dorsky was a recognized authority, Richard Hunt, Willem De Kooning, Larry Rivers, and Robert Rauschenberg. Sam also generously championed the work of numerous lesser-known artists, whom he often befriended. The Dorsky gallery closed its doors to the public in 2001 after which Sam's children David, Noah, Karen, and Sara established Dorsky Gallery Curatorial Programs (DGCP) in Long Island City, a not-for-profit organization dedicated to promoting contemporary visual arts.

The dedication of the Dorsky Museum brought to fruition a project that had dominated the last decade of Sam Dorsky's life. Sam's lead gift to the SUNY New Paltz Foundation provided the impetus for the construction of the new museum building as well as the complete renovation of the former College Art Gallery to become part of the museum. The Dorsky Museum now comprises six galleries, offices, and a small teaching space.

The Dorsky family continues to be a major supporter of The Dorsky Museum and SUNY New Paltz. David, Karen, and Noah Dorsky serve on the Advisory Board of The Dorsky Museum. Karen and Noah also serve as trustees of the SUNY New Paltz Foundation.

Exhibitions

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Condition

Excellent.













