Name: Nicole ABE Titus – Gender: Female – Age:29

Location: Long Island, New York

Artist Statement

Nicole Abe Titus gravitated towards art at an early age. Her painting style can be described as abstract expressionism, while her overall art style is conceptual. Abe's artworks use strong color and line, coupled with bold choice of shape that create a movement on canvas. There tends to be many floral and botanical references in her newer works, following her move to Long Island. Nicole Abe was raised Pentecostal Christian, but gravitated towards a more spiritual outlook on life since going to college. Her fascination with discovering the truths of religion and adoration of Byzantine style artwork can be seen in many early pieces.

Artist Biography

Having grown up in foster care in Charleston, SC, Nicole Abe Titus gravitated towards art at an early age to escape her realities. ABE attended Ashley River Creative Arts Elementary School, deciding to become an artist at the age of 12. She was accepted into the Charleston County School of the Arts for high school where she was classically trained in visual arts; going on to attend Converse College in Spartanburg SC to receive a BA. During this transitory period in life, Nicole faced many hardships including homelessness and incarceration. Ms Titus moved to New York in 2019. The artist began to professionally exhibit in 2022, participating in the inaugural group show at Julia Seabrook Gallery. Nicole Abe Titus is working on her next solo show 'Spread Love'. She is an avid Matron of the Arts, an art writer and photographer, as well as a contributing member of many art museums and institutions. Nicole is also the owner and lead curator of Julia Seabrook Gallery, which is transforming into the Julia Seabrook Foundation of the Arts