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The Future is Bright with Vince Palacios

LaiSun Keane is pleased to present an exclusively online solo exhibition of California educator and artist **Vince Palacios** titled **BRIGHT** on view on our website and artsy.net from **January 9 through February 13, 2021**.

We are excited to usher in the new year with Palacios' vibrantly colored works to signify our outlook for the future. Perhaps it is not an understatement to posit that the entire world is ready to leave 2020 behind and look forward to a brighter 2021. Collectively as a society, we have grown and learned from one and another through the pandemic, issues of racial and social injustices and political differences. We cannot think of a better exhibition or artist to represent our hope for the future and to start 2021.

Vince Palacios was born in Flint, Michigan; he received his MFA at Alfred University, NY and has been the Ceramics Professor at El Camino State College, Torrance, CA for nearly 10 years. Palacios' art philosophy is rooted in growth. Experiences real and imagined inform his work. He wrote. "The emotions and images evoked by memories, be they real or perceived, have begun to hold great interest to me. It has been my intent to somehow bring to light these images."

The restrictions imposed by Covid19 for the most part of 2020 allowed the artist the opportunity to improvise and seek new ways to make art. Change and chance were embraced to allow the potential for new form and color. Most importantly, like a lot of us, humor was key to overcome challenges and look positively at the future. As Palacios bemused, "I have come to think of it as putting a pleasant face on the clown that can kill you."

Please join us to celebrate the opening of this exhibition on Saturday January 9 at 5pm EST with Vince Palacios and friends via Zoom. Guest panelist will be announced soon. Email us at info@laisunkeane.com for the Zoom link and for further details.