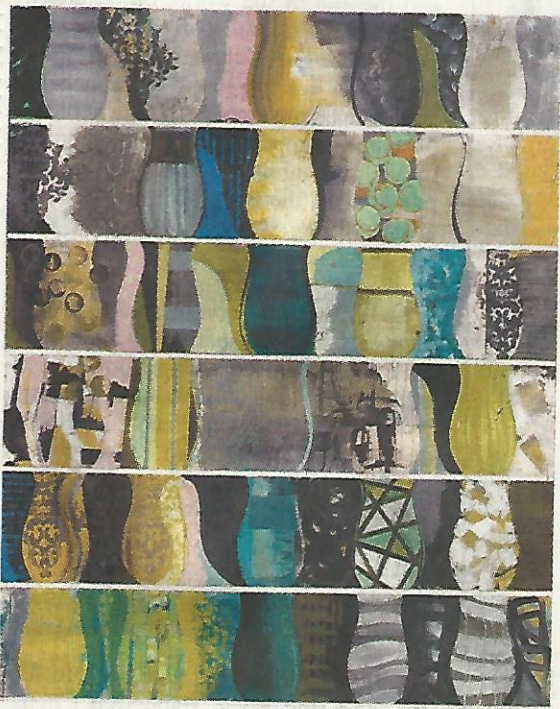


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Collector #3, 2013, acrylic on canvas, 60" X 48",
by Stanford Kay

"Collected Works"

Madelyn Jordon Fine Art will present the first solo exhibition of original paintings by contemporary New York artist Stanford Kay titled "Collected Works" from Jan. 31-March 15. An opening reception will be held tonight, Jan. 31, from 6-8 p.m. The artist will be present and the public is invited. Previews and private showings are by appointment only.

On exhibition will be 10 recent paintings from the artist's ongoing "Gutenberg Variations" series. A studio painter for more than 25 years, Kay is primarily known for lyrical, painterly canvases depicting books — rigidly standing straight up on bookshelves, sloppily piled on tabletops, or stacked in sections on thin shelves. This single subject has been the springboard for a rich body of work of formal beauty that simultaneously references larger societal issues. Using gridded compositions of thickly painted lines and riotous color, these paintings have the satisfying geometry of a fully stocked library, overflowing with ideas, adventure and knowledge.

Madelyn Jordon Fine Art is at 37 Popham Road. For information, call 723-8738.