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CHRISTIE'S FALL SALES OF PRINTS AND MULTIPLES TOTAL \$21,439,875



CY TWOMBLY (1928-2011)

Untitled I

aquatint, on J Green English handmade paper, 1967

Price Realized: \$437,500

A Graphic Dialogue: Prints from the Collection of Lois B. Torf | 15 September 2021

95% sold by lot | 136% hammer above low estimate

A Graphic Dialogue: The Collection of Lois B. Torf totaled \$5,469,125 across dedicated <u>live</u> and <u>online</u> sales. One of the most significant collections of Prints and Multiples to come to market in the United States, the collection sparked competitive bidding globally, including 16% of registrants who were new to Christie's.

Notable results include the top lot of the sale, a rare impression of Cy Twombly's *Untitled I*, which achieved \$437,500 and Robert Rauschenberg's *Booster*, which realized \$275,000. Both lots set new auction records for prints by the artists.



PABLO PICASSO (1881-1973)
Séries 347
the rare complete set of 347 etching and aquatints, on Rives paper, 1968
Price Realized: \$2,190,000

Prints and Multiples | 21-22 October 2021

92% sold by lot | 142% hammer above low estimate

The live sale of <u>Prints and Multiples</u> totaled \$14,651,375, the highest sale total since 2007. The sale was led by Pablo Picasso's *Séries 347*, which realized \$2,190,000, the sale was 96% sold by value and 92% sold by lot. Among the wide selection of works were highlights from Andy Warhol, *Myths*, which achieved \$930,000; Edvard Munch's *Madonna*, which sold for \$870,000; and Henri Matisse's *Jazz, Tériade, Paris, 1947* which realized \$774,000.



ROY LICHTENSTEIN (1923-1997)

Brushstroke
screenprint in colors, on wove paper, 1965
Price Realized: \$40,000

A Graphic Century - 1875-1975 | 4-18 November 2021

90% sold by lot | 141% hammer above low estimate

The online-only sale of <u>A Graphic Century – 1875-1975</u> achieved a sale total of \$1,319,375. Leading the sale were Joan Miro's *Pic de la Mirandole* and Henri de Toulouse-Lautrec's *Napoléon* both of which achieved \$50,000. Following the pair of top lots was Pablo Picasso's *Nature morte à la pastèque*, which achieved \$43,750, and Roy Lichtenstein's *Brushstroke* which achieved \$40,000.

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