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Karel Appel (1921-2006)

Femme-Soleil-Ville, 1950

Oil on canvas, 130 x 80.5 cm.

Estimate: €300.000-500.000

Amsterdam - Appel, Brands, Constant – it's the ABC of famous *CoBrA*-masters from the past. But sixty years after artists from **Copenhagen**, **Brussels** and **Amsterdam** founded the *CoBrA*-movement, their work is *red hot* at international auctions. As well as blue, yellow and green for that matter: the *CoBrA*-painters put no limit to the colors they threw on their canvas. Quite often, the throwing should be taken literally: Karel Appel's explosions in the classic Jan Vrijman **MOVIE** earned him the epitheton 'the beast of painting'. The beasts' comment would also run famous: 'I'm just messing around'. Wit or wisdom? Explore for yourself at Christie's Amsterdam 60 years anniversary auction **CoBrA Now!**

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