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MID-SEASON CONTEMPORARY AUCTIONS

TOTAL \$24,342,500



ANDY WARHOL (1928-1987)
\$ (1): one plate
unique screenprint in colors, on Lenox Museum Board, 1982, signed in
pencil, numbered 29/60
Estimate: \$40,000-60,000
Price Realized: \$87,500

Contemporary Edition 10am and 2pm | New York | 4 March

Sale Total: \$2,385,750

Sold by value: 97% | Sold by lot: 93%

View Results

Christie's <u>Contemporary Edition</u> auction on Wednesday, 4 March achieved the highest ever sale total for Contemporary Edition sales, with a combined total of \$2,385,750. The top lot of morning session was <u>Jasper Johns</u>, *Figure 5, from Color Numeral Series*, which achieved \$43,750. The top lot of the afternoon session and sale was <u>Andy Warhol</u>, \$ (1): one plate, which realized \$87,500. Other exceptional prices were achieved for <u>David Hockney</u>, *Sun State I* which realized \$68,750 and <u>Richard Diebenkorn</u>, *Touched Red* which achieved \$50,000.



ROBERT INDIANA (1928-2018) LOVE oil on canvas Estimate: \$1,000,000-1,500,000 Price Realized: \$1,335,000

Post-War to Present

10am and 2pm | New York | 5 March

Sale Total: \$21,956,750

Sold by value: 87% | Sold by lot: 84%

View Results

Christie's <u>Post-War to Present</u> auction on Thursday, 5 March totaled \$21,956,750, selling 87% by value and 84% by lot. The top lot of the sale was <u>Robert Indiana's</u>, *LOVE*, which realized \$1,335,000. Exceptional prices were also achieved by <u>Kenny Scharf</u>, *LOVE*, which realized \$525,000 against a high estimate of \$50,000 and set a new auction record for the artist and <u>Charles White's</u>, *Brother John Sellers*, which achieved \$187,500.

The sale saw very strong results for female artists, including the second top prices for <u>Alma Thomas</u> with *Flash of Spring*, which realized \$819,000, (following her top price set at Christie's in November 2019) and <u>Mary Bauermeister</u> with *Peng-Cil*, which sold for \$162,500, more than doubling its high estimate. Works

by <u>Julie Curtiss</u>, <u>Nina Chanel Abney</u> and <u>Shara Hughes</u> also surpassed their high estimates.

The group of Artwork To Benefit BOMB Magazine's Endowment Fund was 100% sold, as was the selection from the The Collection of Richard L. Weisman that was included in the sale, continuing the collection's ongoing success at Christie's.

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