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MIGUEL CABRERA (1695-1768)
The Immaculate Conception with Saints Anne and Joaquim
oil on canvas
331/8 x 24 in.
\$120,000-180,000

New York – Christie's online-only sale of <u>Latin American Art</u> features a wonderful selection of art, ranging from the colonial era to the present day, providing both emerging and seasoned collectors an exciting opportunity to explore the diverse category.

The sale is highlighted by a robust selection of important Mexican and South American colonial paintings, including the top lot of the sale, Miguel Cabrera's *The Immaculate Conception with Saints Anne and Joaquim* (\$120,000-180,000). Also offered in the sale are modern and contemporary pieces by artists such as Miguel Covarrubias, Wifredo Lam, Francisco Toledo, Matta, Fernando de Szyszlo, Rogelio Polesello, and others.

A notable collection included in the sale is A Poet's Legacy In Art: The Collection of Ricardo Pau-Llosa including works by Agustín Cárdenas, Rogelio Polesello, Wilson Bigaud, among others. The renowned Cuban-American poet and art critic's interest in Latin American art began in the 1970s, when he frequently traveled to Latin America and built friendships with many artists. Pau-Llosa credits the visual arts of Latin America as central to his sensibility as a writer and shaping his imagination as a poet. Further works from Pau-Llosa's collection will be offered in the live sale of Latin American Art on March 11.

Another highlight of the sale is the collection of Dr. Romeo and Linda Montalvo. The collection reflects the couple's passion and commitment for Latin American modern and contemporary art honed over the course of several decades. Based in the southwest, the Montalvo's extensive collection includes fine and popular arts with a particular focus on figurative works by such notable artists as Rodolfo Morales, Ángel Botello, Rafael Coronel, Eduardo Kingman, Rómulo Macció, and Arnaldo Roche-Rabell.

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ANONYMOUS (MEXICAN SCHOOL, 17TH CENTURY)

Penitent Mary Magdalene
oil and inlaid mother of pearl on wood panel
(enconchado)
17½x 24½ in.
\$40,000-60,000



RODOLFO MORALES (1925-2001)

Funeral de perros oil on canvas 39% x 31½ in. \$35.000-45.000



FRANCISCO TOLEDO (1940-2019)

La muerte agachada oil and sand on paper 10% x 14% in. \$40,000-60,000



RÓMULO MACCIÓ (1931-2016)

Porfuera y pordentro acrylic and ink on canvas 25½ x 36 in. \$15,000-20,000



AGUSTÍN CÁRDENAS (1927-2001)

L'homme tonnerre bronze 18 x 7 x 3 in. \$18.000-22.000



MIGUEL CABRERA (1695-1768)

The Virgin of Guadalupe oil on copper 16½ x 12½ in. \$20,000-25,000

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