# CHARLOTTE JACKSON FINE ART PRESENTS:

## **JOAN WATTS**

### Poems and More



June 1 - June 30, 2012

#### **Artist Statement:**

The body of work featured in the exhibition, poems and more, continues my ongoing exploration of painting as process and meditation.

Luminosity has been central to my work with its various fluctuations of waves that offer constant change. These streams of light/dark offer infinite possibilities for reflection within embodied form. The partial circle also reflects light and appears to continue into space beyond the confines of the canvas.

The small paintings called "poems" represent the most intimate experience. The larger paintings allow more space to enter. The square shapes suggest equilibrium and equanimity. The diamond shapes move dynamically. All are different ways to give form to the formless.

#### Joan Watts 4-2012











poem 3, 2010 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW071



poem 17, 2011 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW082



poem 18, 2011 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW083



poem 2, 2010 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW070



poem 4, 2010 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW072



poem 5, 2011 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW073



poem 1, 2010 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW069



poem 7, 2011 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW075



Untitled 19, 2010 oil on canvas 36 x 36 inches JW064



Untitled 18, 2010 oil on canvas 36 x 36 inches JW063



Untitled 17, 2010 oil on canvas 36 x 36 inches JW062



Untitled 21, 2011 oil on canvas 36 x 36 inches JW066



Untitled 23, 2011 oil on canvas 36 x 36 inches JW068



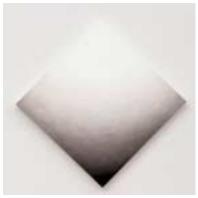
Untitled 22, 2011 oil on canvas 36 x 36 inches JW067



Diamond 1, 2010 oil on canvas 51 x 51 inches JW059



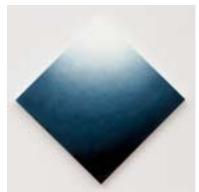
Diamond 2, 2010 oil on canvas 51 x 51 inches JW060



poem 13, 2011 oil on board 17 x 17 inches JW086



poem 16, 2011 oil on board 17 x 17 inches JW087



poem 19, 2011 oil on board 17 x 17 inches JW088



Untitled 20, 2010 oil on canvas 36 x 36 inches JW065



poem 11, 2011 oil on board 12 x 12 inches JW078

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