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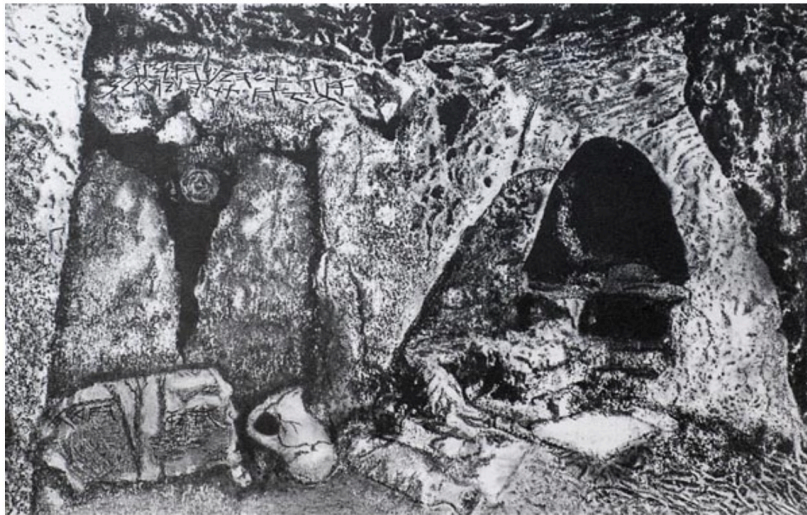
OUR MISSION IS TO PROMOTE ARTISTIC EXCELLENCE
ALL STYLES ~ ALL MEDIUMS ~ ALL ORIGINS

Congratulations. Your Art Has Been Selected for 'HerStory'

Thank You and Congratulations!

Your art has been selected for the Manhattan Arts International **"HerStory" 2020-2021** -- the best online exhibition and an important milestone for women artists!

Thank you for giving me the honor and pleasure of promoting you and your art. Since Dec. 14, I have devoted myself to organizing this exhibition. Now, I am ecstatic to share it with the world.



Esther Simonis - esthersimonisart.com

Babatha's Cache, drawing, charcoal, conté and ink on hahnemühle paper, 40" x 30"

It was an archaeological excavation which became the metaphor for a personal, introspective delving and searching process in my life. The dig's layers shaped my artwork into a series of layers and images representing a similarly broken and incomplete life. Lives forming battlefield's ruins, it's the stories of women overcoming the perils of war and conflict by standing in unity. No more victims, but critically re-evaluating their choices and perspectives. Now with strength for themselves, their families and societies.

An Exhibition of Art by Women December 30, 2020 – March 2, 2021

"HerStory" 2020-2021 presents art by 90 extraordinary women artists who express their unique creative visions with skill and originality. They have mastered their chosen styles and mediums. Their art has an immediate and lasting impact and transforms us in a visceral and/or thought-provoking manner. The final selections were based on the art and statements they submitted and visits to their websites to view their overall body of work and resumes. Because we received entries by very talented artists the selection process was extremely challenging.