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PRESS RELEASE

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Auction:
Estate Auction
Featuring Fine Art, Decorative Arts, Jewelry and Asian Art
Monday May 1 at 10am

Previews:
April 29 – May 1

Location:
Alameda, CA

Eclectic Antiques at Michaan's Monthly Estate Auction on Sunday May 1

Michaan's May Estate Auction will be offering a wide range of property from estates, private collections and institutions throughout the United States. Jewelry will be highlighting antique and period pieces, wristwatches, natural jadeite jade and fine diamonds. Of special interest is Lot 105 a gorgeous Antique Sapphire, Diamond, Sterling Silver Gilt Pendant Necklace, Estimate: \$2,500 / 3,500.

Asian Art will be showcasing a number of fine ivory and jade carvings, porcelains, bronzes, glassware, scrolls and textiles including Lot 364 a 19th Century, Cloisonne-Enameled Box, estimated at \$500 / 700, Lot 351 a Lapis Lazuli Qilin with Books, shown striding while holding a stack of book upon a bed of swirling clouds, Estimate: \$500 / 700.

The Furniture and Decorative Arts portion offers silver, rugs and carpets, glassware, porcelains, figurines and American and European furniture. Lot 484 Vernis Martin Style Vitrine with cartouche top over a painted landscape frieze, Estimate: \$1,000 / 1,500.

Included is an array of Fine Art with a selection of paintings, sculptures, photographs and graphics. Among the many lots is a piece from the Collecton of Warren Cheney,

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Abraham Walkowitz, one of America's first modernist artists. Lot 772 Abraham Walkowitz (Russian / American, 1878-1965) "Isadora Duncan Dancing", Estimate: \$800 / 1,000.

The sale closes with auction lots of books, coins, pottery and collectibles including Tribal and Indian Art.

About Michaan's Auctions

Michaan's Auctions is a leading full service auction house on the West Coast. Specializing in the appraisals and sale of antiques and fine art, Michaan's has specialists in the fields of Furniture and Decorative Arts, Modern, Contemporary Art, European and American Paintings and Prints, Books and Manuscripts, Jewelry, Asian Works of Art and Ethnographic Art.

Established in 2002, Michaan's Auctions holds up to thirty sales each year attracting a broad base of buyers and consignors from all over the world. With one of the largest facilities in Northern California and the Bay Area's lowest buyers premium Michaan's offers buyers and sellers the opportunity to preview and bid on many unique and desirable property. Some of these pieces realized world record prices. In 2005 A.D.M. Cooper's oil painting, Three Graces 1915, sold for a record \$21,060 and an Eduard Gaertner oil, German City Street Scene 1831, sold for \$266,000.

Michaan's has built its reputation on its ability to accept single items, groups or entire estates with its "no risk consignment policy" free of hidden fees and charges. Michaan's specialists are dedicated to staying current on the latest issues and developments in the market and are committed to providing personalized and professional attention throughout the entire auction process.