

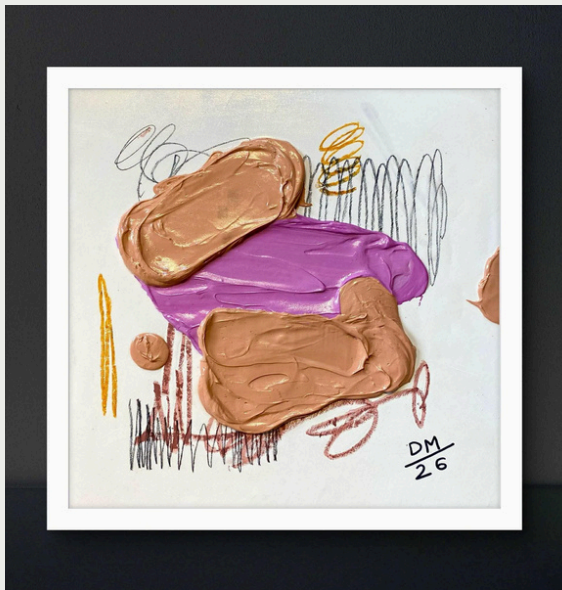
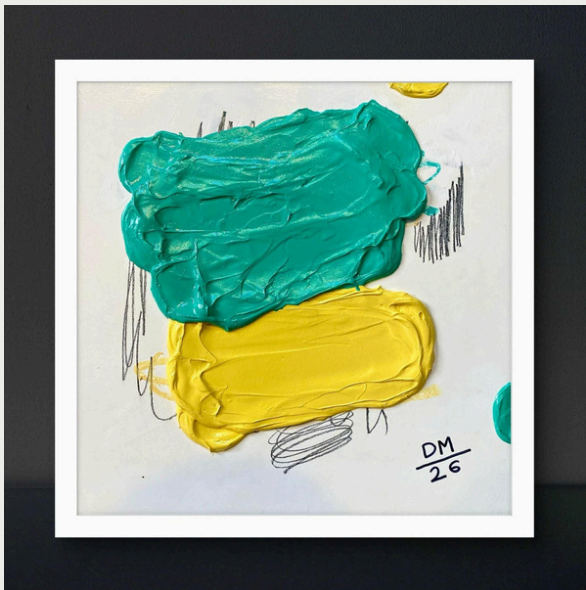


Sweet Journey Dennis Morante

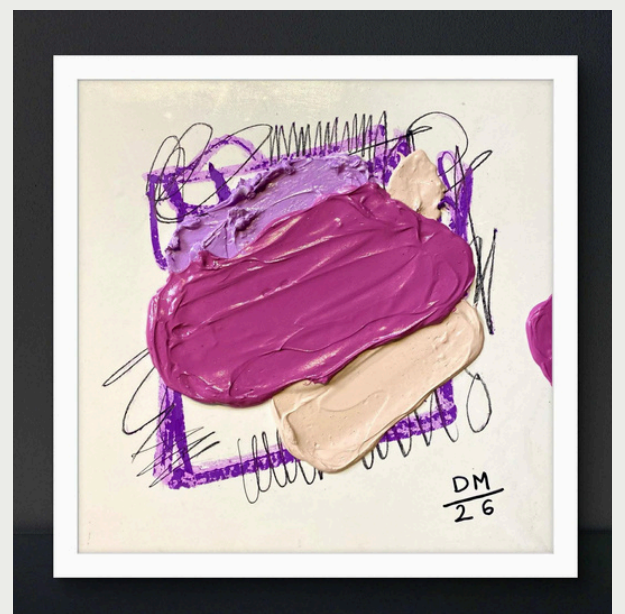
CATALOG

June 5- JULY 22

Cache Coffee and Cocktails,
L/G, The Belamy House,
Jupiter St., Bel-Air Village, Makati City



Inner Joy
1 to 10 series
Dennis Morante
Charcoal, oil pastel, and acrylic
on canvas
12" x 12"
2026



Php. 18,000 each



Eyes Candy
9 & 10 series

Dennis Morante
Charcoal, oil pastel, and acrylic on canvas
24" x 24"
2026

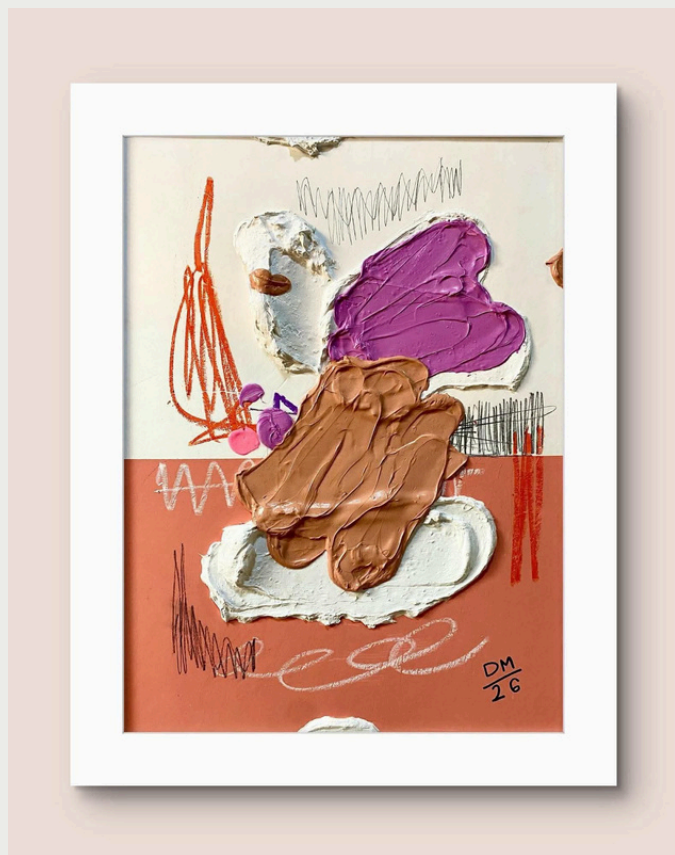
Php. 50,000 each



Boarderless
1 & 2 series

Dennis Morante
Charcoal, oil pastel, acrylic on canvas
36" x 36"
2026

Php. 95,000 each



Yummy Colors
1 to 5 series

Dennis Morante
Charcoal, oil pastel, acrylic on canvas
25" x 18"
2026

Php. 35,000 each

Sweet Journey

by Dennis Morante



Green Path

Dennis Morante
Charcoal, oil pastel, and acrylic on canvas
48" x 36"
2026

Php. 120,000

Dennis Morante is a Filipino visual artist known for his abstract works rooted in his philosophy of “free stroke,” where painting becomes an unrestrained expression of emotion and identity. His compositions invite multiple interpretations, reflecting his belief that abstraction cannot be confined to a single perspective. Through color and movement, his works translate personal experiences into visual narratives.

Morante grew up in Alang-Alang, Leyte, but moved to Manila at age 13. In the city, he supported his family by assisting in a vulcanizing shop, grocery store, and welding work. All the while, he continued his studies and discovered his artistic ability through cartooning competitions in high school. These early experiences of perseverance later inspired the title of his exhibition, *Sweet Journey*—a reflection on how life’s bitter beginnings can eventually lead to sweet triumphs.

Morante pursued a Bachelor of Fine Arts major in Advertising from Eulogio “Amang Rodriguez” Institute of Science and Technology, where he supported himself by creating and selling canvases to established artists. He eventually left college to commit fully to his own artistic career and in 2018, he decisively shifted toward an abstract style. His art has now evolved with a layered tactile quality, created from oil pastels, charcoal, and acrylic, that distinguishes itself from his earlier pieces.

At the heart of Morante’s practice is the inspiration from his personal adversities that have shaped his journey into one made alive by hope and hard work. His life experiences remain his primary motivation, alongside the unwavering support of his family—especially his wife, whom he considers his first audience and most honest critic. Through each exhibition, what Morante hopes to share alongside his art, is the encouragement to remain hopeful and persistent in pursuing one’s dreams.

Today, Morante has established himself in both local and international art scenes, participating in events such as Art in the Park and Art Fair Philippines, with exhibitions extending to Germany and the Netherlands. His works have been featured in numerous galleries, including Galerie Roberto, Arte Bettina, and Gallery Anna. Through his practice, he continues to turn personal experiences into meaningful works of art that celebrate endurance, transformation, and the sweetness found at the end of a difficult journey.