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VIDEO TRANSCRIPT

Alex Katz

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[Duration 1:03]

Anthony d'Offay:

We wanted to show Alex Katz, and then we closed the gallery. I wasn't able to do it. And Alex was incredibly generous and nice to us, and made available to us a whole group of oil sketches. They're inspirational. They want to make you skip home and get out your paintbox.

I mean, they look easy. Great art does look easy doesn't it? Great art doesn't look difficult. Does the sheep in formaldehyde look difficult? Not at all. It looks easy as pie. Of course, it isn't.

And now Alex Katz has offered us this wonderful work called Green Table which will be joining Artist Rooms later on of sculptures.