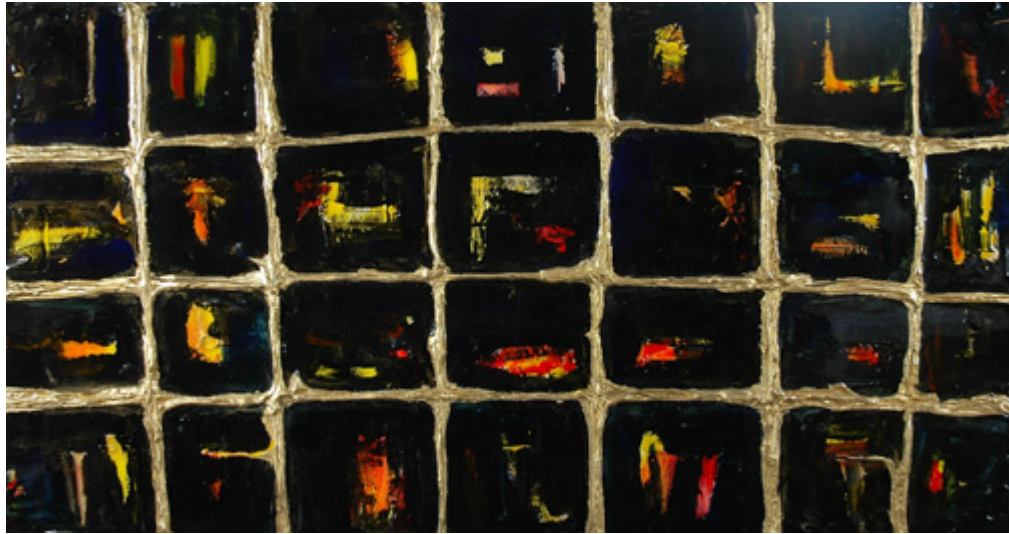


Gitmo nay forever



Title: Gitmo, Nay Forever

Orange forms overshadowed
in despair of innocent detainees
as darkness and hope of release
are quelled by midas might - nay forever

(Gitmo is a slang term for the USA's Guantanamo Bay interment camp in Cuba, whereas orange reflects the uniform of inmates)

Medium: Acrylic on plaster on board and resin

Size: 22 x 48 inches

Insight The concept of this rendering was to express the gloom and despair that one would experience, if willfully detained and stripped of some of your basic human rights, yet while hope remains.

The bright Caribbean colour's, and erratic shapes represent the location of the internment camp. Moreover, that of the individual human spirit in suppression within the dark shadows underling the 18 carat gold fence, signifying the power, the injustice that Midas governments can dispense or impose.