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Berlin's Weekend Gallery recently hosted an exhibit of 13 paintings by Palestinian artist Jad Salman, titled "The Wild Beasts are Hungry."



«The Wild Beasts Are Hungry» by Jad Salman

Born in 1983 in the West Bank city of Tulkarem, Salman has lived in Paris since 2007. In this collection of paintings, Salman speaks to his personal view of the Arab world nearly two years after the outbreak of the revolutions.

"The idea behind the exhibit was not merely to react to what is going on. Rather, it was the outpouring of the personal pain I feel when I see the daily killing. So I decided to end my silence," said Salman.

The actual work on the paintings took one month, from early July until August 2012.

"I am with the revolutions but I am also with the people. Today, there is a process underway whereby beasts are riding the coattails of these honorable revolutions and their only concern is settling scores," he said.

