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North Truro, MA- Fields Publishing announces the release of “Grillo: Abstract Expressionism- The Formative Years 1946-1948,” with a foreword by Susan Landauer. This collection, featuring more than 60 color plates, presents John Grillo’s evocative works from a critical period in the career of one of the finest "action painters" in the postwar West Coast scene.

Vivid and stimulating, this lush monograph focuses on the watercolors that Grillo created during his three years in San Francisco, his major but heretofore unrecognized contributions to the abstract expressionist movement.

“Grillo: Abstract Expressionism- The Formative Years 1946-1948,” explores in great depth this largely unknown yet groundbreaking time when his work, “paralleled, and in some cases anticipated, vanguard developments in the East,” as Landauer writes, “opening fresh possibilities for a new free-form, non-objective expressionism.”

Art students working in watercolor media, art historians of abstract expressionism, and collectors of abstract expressionist art will be thrilled by this brilliant new contribution to Grillo scholarship.

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