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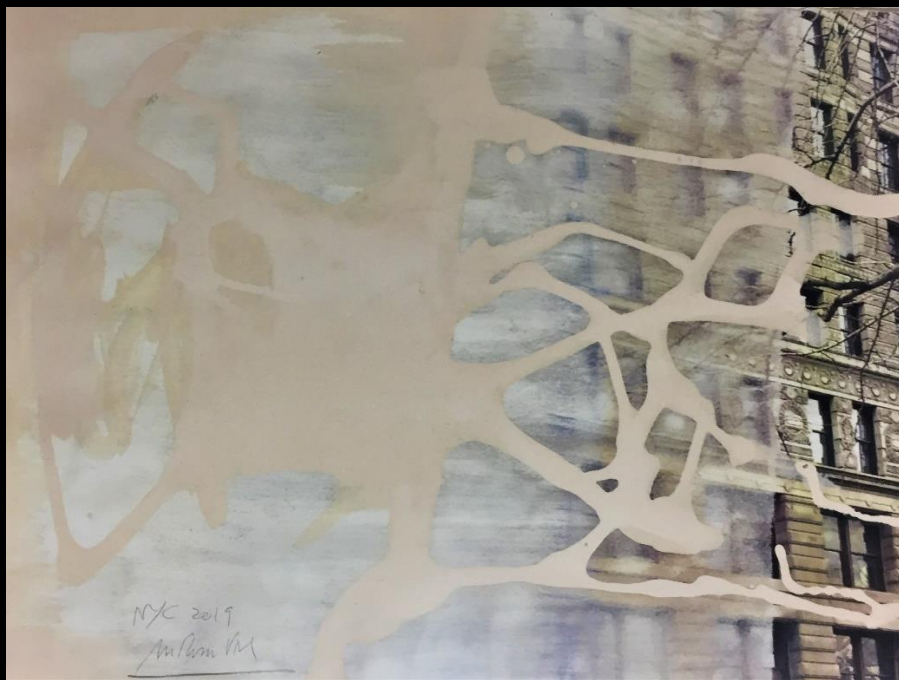
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One morning in NYC

Going down Fifth Avenue, almost to the end, touching Broadway and the 23 rd. street ... stop at Madison Square Park. Under the shelter of the narrow shadow of the Flatiron, stone and cooper, sitting on a rustic stool, in front of the window, I count the few neighbors who pass by while the snowdrifts cloud the perspective. On the palate the taste of salmon, avocado and bagel crumbs. Suddenly the snowy light turns pink, you and me. From there, everyone's land and mine too. On the stage of so many films, so many novels, so many heroes, so many admired artists ..., of so many nightly conversations that we shared hanging from the Bodes Cocktail bar in Barcelona, I raise my glass, a Manhattan. Sheers!
... so long X.G.

ROSA VIVES

Una mañana en NYC

Bajo por la quinta avenida, casi al final, entre Broadway y la 23... un alto en el Madison Square Park. Mientras los copos de nieve enturbian la perspectiva, al amparo de la estrecha sombra del Flatiron, piedra y cobre, sentada en un rústico taburete ante la ventana, cuento los pocos vecinos que van y vienen. En el paladar el sabor del salmón, del aguacate y de la pastosa miga del bagel. De repente la nevada luz grisácea vira al rosado, tú y yo.

Desde allí, tierra de todos y mía también, el escenario de tantas películas, de tantas novelas, de tantos héroes, de tantos artistas admirados..., de tantas conversaciones nocturnas compartidas colgados de la barra del Boades de Barcelona, levanto la copa... un Manhattan. Sheers!

...hasta siempre X.G.

ROSA VIVES