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Amy Sherald: American Sublime Whitney Museum of American Art April 9–August 10, 2025

Exhibition Checklist



Amy Sherald *If You Surrendered to the Air, You Could Ride It,* 2019 Oil on canvas Overall: 130 × 108 × 2 1/2in. (330.2 × 274.3 × 6.4 cm) Purchase, with funds from the Painting and Sculpture Committee, Sascha S. Bauer, Jack Cayre, Nancy Carrington Crown, Nancy Poses, Laura Rapp, and Elizabeth Redleaf



Amy Sherald Hangman, 2007 Oil on canvas Overall: 100 × 67 × 2 5/8in. (254 × 170.2 × 6.7 cm) Collection of Sheryll Cashin and Marque Chambliss



Amy Sherald *Well Prepared and Maladjusted,* 2008 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x2.5in Private Collection

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Amy Sherald *The Rabbit in the Hat,* 2008 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of the Greene Family Art Foundation; courtesy Adam Green Art Advisory



Amy Sherald *They Call Me Redbone, but I'd Rather Be Strawberry Shortcake,* 2009 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in National Museum of Women in the Arts, Washington, DC; gift of Steven Scott, Baltimore, in honor of the artist and the 25th anniversary of National Museum of Women in the Arts



Amy Sherald *It Made Sense... Mostly In Her Mind,* 2011 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Nancy and Sean Cotton Collection



Amy Sherald *Guide Me No More,* 2011 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Gumbel

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Amy Sherald *Miss Everything (Unsuppressed Deliverance),* 2014 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private Collection



Amy Sherald *The Boy with No Past,* 2014 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private Collection



Amy Sherald Saint Woman, 2015 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private collection; courtesy Monique Meloche Gallery and Hauser and Wirth



Amy Sherald *The Bathers,* 2015 Oil on canvas 74 x 72 x 2.5in Private Collection

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Amy Sherald Freeing herself was one thing, taking ownership of that freed self was another, 2015 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of the Greene Family Art Foundation; courtesy Adam Green Art Advisory



Amy Sherald Innocent You, Innocent Me, 2016 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private Collection



Amy Sherald *Mother and Child,* 2016 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of Anita Blanchard and Martin Nesbitt



Amy Sherald All Things Bright and Beautiful, 2016 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of Frances and Burton Reifler

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Amy Sherald Listen, you a wonder. You a city of a woman. You got a geography of your own., 2016 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of Rashid Johnson and Sheree Hovsepian



Amy Sherald *A Golden Afternoon,* 2016 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private Collection



Amy Sherald What's different about Alice is that she has the most incisive way of telling the truth, 2017 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in The Columbus Museum, Georgia



Amy Sherald *Try on dreams until I find the one that fits me. They all fit me.*, 2017 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, Kansas City, Missouri; museum purchase made possible by a gift from the Bebe and Crosby Kemper Foundation

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What's precious inside of him does not care to be known by the mind in ways that diminish its presence (All American), 2017 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private collection; courtesy Monique Meloche Gallery, Chicago



Amy Sherald *Michelle LaVaughn Robinson Obama,* 2018 Oil on linen 72 1/8 x 60 1/8 x 2.5in National Portrait Gallery, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC; gift of Kate Capshaw and Steven Spielberg; Judith Kern and Kent Whealy; Tommie L. Pegues and Donald A. Capoccia; Clarence, DeLoise, and Brenda Gaines; Jonathan and Nancy Lee



Amy Sherald *Mama Has Made the Bread. (How Things Are Measured),* 2018 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private Collection



Amy Sherald She had an inside and an outside now, and suddenly she knew how not to mix them, 2018 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of Bill and Christy Gautreaux

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Amy Sherald She Always Believed the Good about Those She Loved, 2018 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private collection; courtesy Monique Meloche Gallery, Chicago



Amy Sherald *Planes, Rockets, and the Spaces in Between,* 2018 Oil on canvas 100 x 67 x 2.5in Baltimore Museum of Art; purchase with exchange funds from the Pearlstone Family Fund and partial gift of The Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts Inc.



Amy Sherald *The Girl Next Door*, 2019 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private collection



Amy Sherald Untitled (Opal), 2019 Oil on linen 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of Robert F. Smith

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Amy Sherald *There Is No Charm Equal to Tenderness of Heart,* 2019 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private collection



Amy Sherald *Handsome,* 2019 Oil on canvas 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of Anderson Cooper



Amy Sherald Breonna Taylor, 2020 Oil on linen 54 x 43 x 2.5in The Speed Art Museum, Louisville, Kentucky; purchase made possible by a grant from the Ford Foundation; and the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture, purchase made possible by a gift from Kate Capshaw and Steven Spielberg



Amy Sherald A Bucket Full of Treasures (Papa Gave Me Sunshine to Put in My Pockets...), 2020 Oil on linen 54 x 43 x 2.5in Private collection

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Amy Sherald Hope Is the Thing with Feathers (The Little Bird), 2020 Oil on linen 54 x 43 x 2.5in Collection of the artist; courtesy Hauser and Wirth



Amy Sherald *A Midsummer Afternoon Dream,* 2020 Oil on canvas 106 x 101 x 2.5in Private Collection



Amy Sherald As Soft as She Is..., 2022 Oil on canvas 54 1/8 x 43 1/8 x 2.5in Private collection



Amy Sherald For Love, and for Country, 2022 Oil on linen 123 1/4 x 93 1/8 x 2.5in San Francisco Museum of Modern Art; purchase, by exchange, through a gift of Helen and Charles Schwab

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Amy Sherald A God Blessed Land (Empire of Dirt), 2022 Oil on linen 96 1/8 x 130 1/8 x 2.5in Courtesy of the Tymure Collection



Amy Sherald *Kingdom,* 2022 Oil on linen 117 1/8 x 92 x 2.5in The Broad Art Foundation, Los Angeles



Amy Sherald In the Garden of Herself, 2024 Oil on linen 54 1/8 x 43 1/8 x 2.5in Collection of the artist; courtesy Hauser and Wirth



Amy Sherald *Trans Forming Liberty,* 2024 Oil on canvas 123 x 76.5 x 2.5in Collection of the artist; courtesy Hauser and Wirth

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Amy Sherald *American Grit,* 2024 Oil on linen 95 x 76.5 x 2.5in Collection of the artist; courtesy Hauser and Wirth



Amy Sherald *Ecclesia (The Meeting of Inheritance and Horizons),* 2024 Oil on linen, three panels 128 x 68 x 2.5in Collection of the artist; courtesy Hauser and Wirth



Amy Sherald As American as Apple Pie, 2021 Oil on canvas Overall: 123 × 101 × 2 5/8in. (312.4 × 256.5 × 6.7 cm) Private Collection