



**Elvis Irizarry** is a visual artist of Puerto Rican/ New York descent. His subject matter is representative of famous and not-so-famous personalities, personal acquaintances and literary figures. Influenced by the Mexican muralists Rivera, Siqueiros and Orozco, classical art, comics, pop art, graffiti and abstract expressionism, his work portrays the inner workings of his subjects as intensely visceral and out of the ordinary – a wave of magnitude beyond the normal: “I believe that my subject image is understandably underrepresented within time, placing them in the forefront of not just being an artist or a painter, but a complex visionary of sorts.”