

A WALK IN THE MIDDLE EAST

MIREILLE GOGUIKIAN



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Mireille Goguikian
Solo Exhibition

**Opening Thursday, November 12, 2026
6 PM – 8 PM**

Kalim Bechara Art Gallery
Noor Gardens 1 Building, Omar Daouk Street, Downtown, Lebanon

Gallery Opening Hours

Monday 11 AM – 7 PM
Tuesday 11 AM – 7 PM
Wednesday 11 AM – 7 PM
Thursday 11 AM – 7 PM
Friday 11 AM – 7 PM
Saturday 10 AM – 2 PM
Sunday CLOSED

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Mireille Goguikian (b.1964) is a Lebanese-Armenian visual artist whose semi-abstract work explores memory, identity, architecture, and belonging. A graduate of the Lebanese Academy of Fine Arts (ALBA), she has participated in more than 50 international exhibitions and presented over 16 solo exhibitions.

Her distinctions include the Samir Tabet Prize (1988), the Special Prize at ARTEX in London (2003), the Jury Prize at the Florence Biennale (2021) for Éclats de Beyrouth, and the International Prize Barcelona Trophy (2023).

Her works are held in prominent public and private collections, including the Modern Art Museum in Yerevan, the Dalloul Art Foundation in Beirut, the Museum of the Orthodox Academy of Crete, the Museum of the Catholicosate of Cilicia, and the Mtein Museum. In 2025, several of her artworks were selected for the residence of the U.S. Ambassador at the U.S. Embassy in Beirut.

Through expressive color, layered textures, and architectural forms, Goguikian transforms personal and collective experiences into visual reflections on memory, cultural heritage, identity, and the enduring relationship between people and place.



A Walk in the Middle East is a deeply personal journey through a region I hold close to my heart. At a time when conflicts cast long shadows across its landscapes, I turn to painting as an act of tenderness, a way of keeping beauty visible and giving hope a place to live.

My journey begins in Beirut, my beloved home and the emotional heart of this exhibition. When I paint Beirut, I return to the light upon its buildings, the meeting of sea and sky, and the quiet poetry of its everyday life. For me, the city carries both the warmth of belonging and the edge of uncertainty. Its beauty lives in this intimate contrast, in what remains, in what changes, and in the memories we carry within us.

From Beirut, I invite you to walk with me toward Jerusalem, Riyadh, Dubai, and Kuwait, and through the landscapes of Turkey and Amman. Each place has its own rhythm, its own history, and its own way of holding the light.

Through luminous colour, flowing movement, and expressive forms, I bring these places into conversation, imagining how their differences might enrich a shared horizon.

Through A Walk in the Middle East, I offer you a moment to pause, to look with affection, and to imagine with me what might still be possible. As you walk through these paintings, I hope you find something that stays with you: a familiar feeling, a new connection, or a little light to carry beyond the gallery.

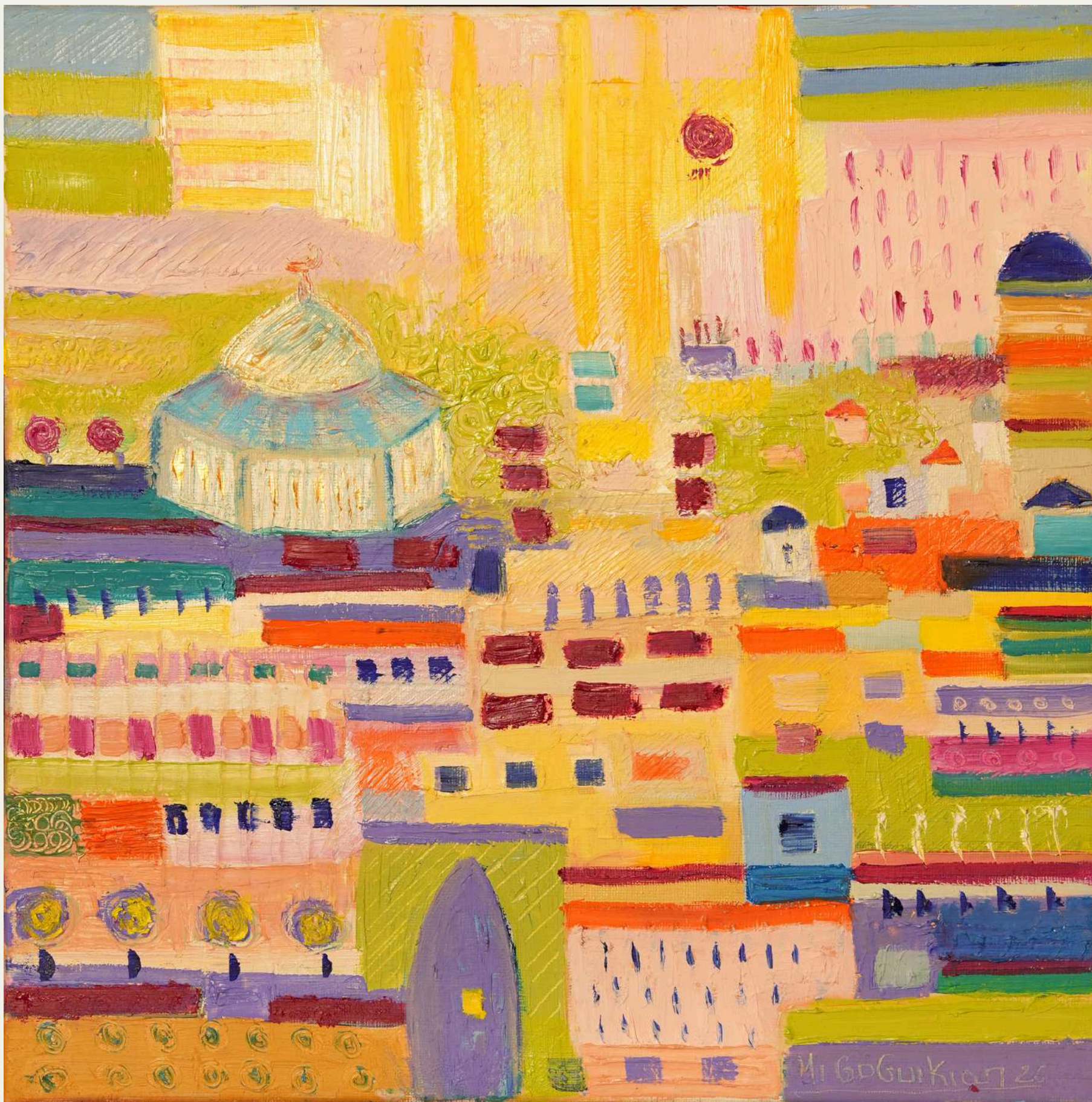
Mireille Goguikian



Kuwait

2026
Oil on canvas
30 x 30 cm

USD 800



Al Kuds I

2026
Oil on canvas
35 x 35 cm

USD 800



Al Kuds II

2026
Oil on canvas
35 x 35 cm

USD 800



Echos of Sandstones I

2026
Oil on canvas
45 x 35 cm

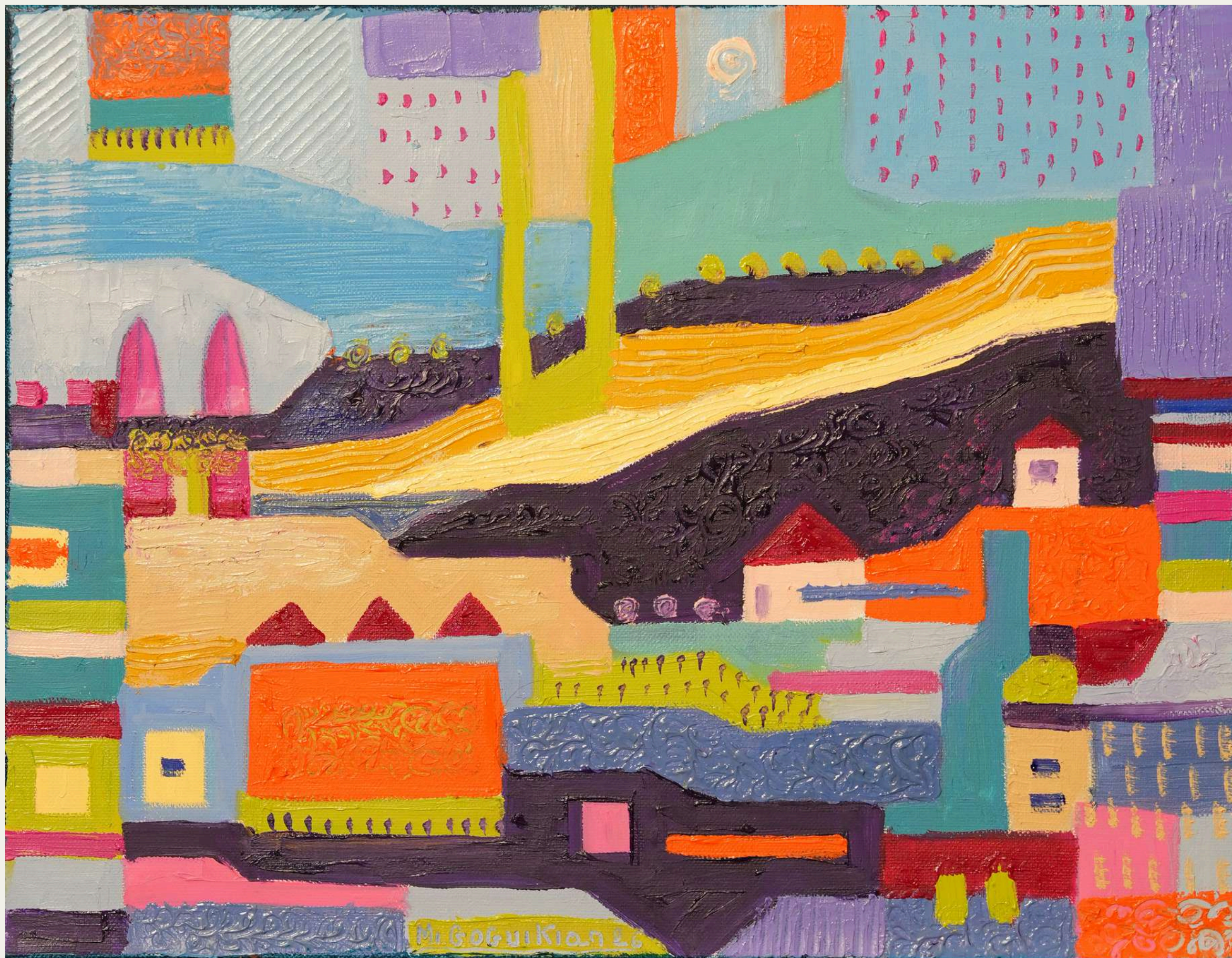
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Echos of Sandstones II

2026
Oil on canvas
45 x 35 cm

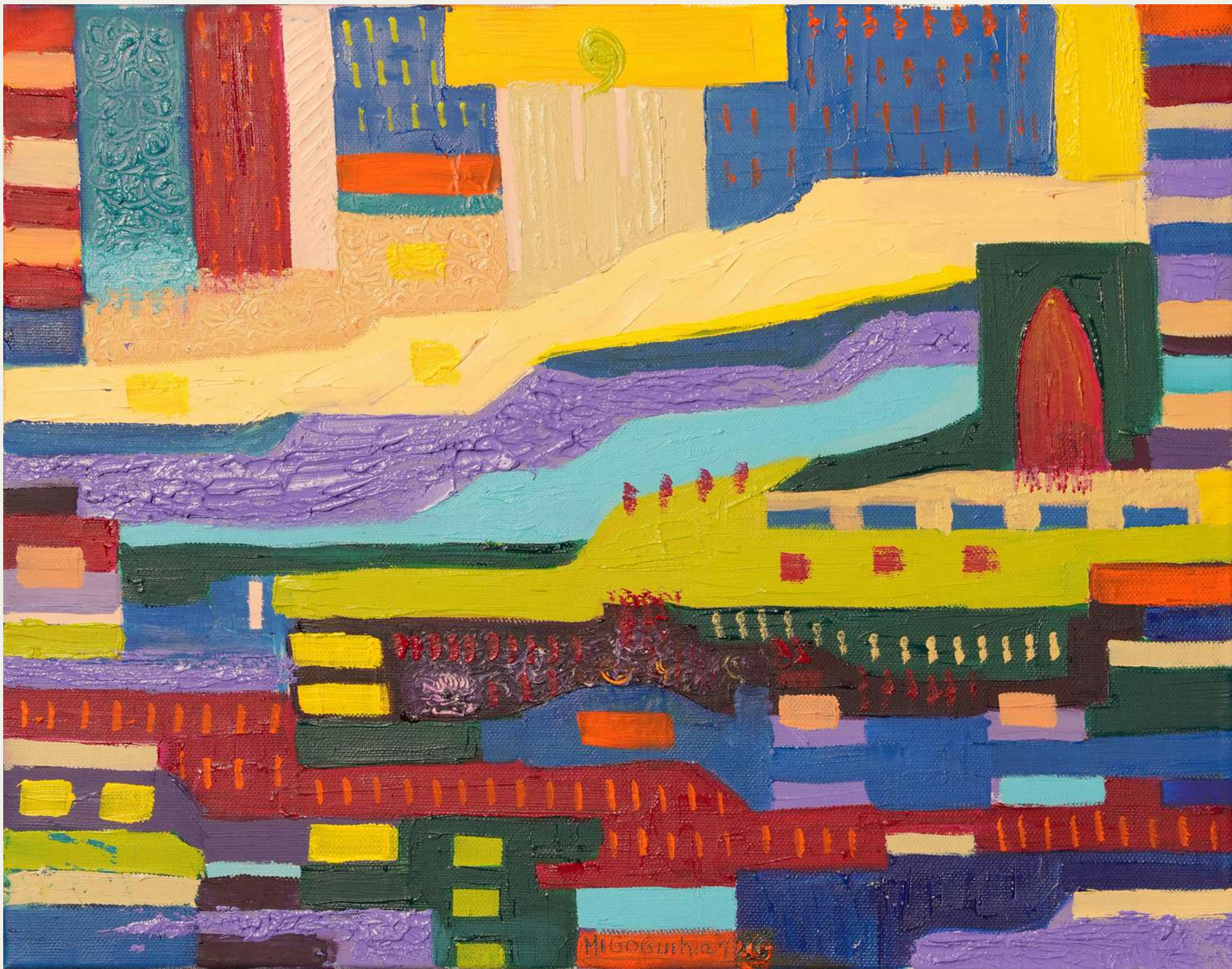
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Echos of Sandstones III

2026
Oil on canvas
45 x 35 cm

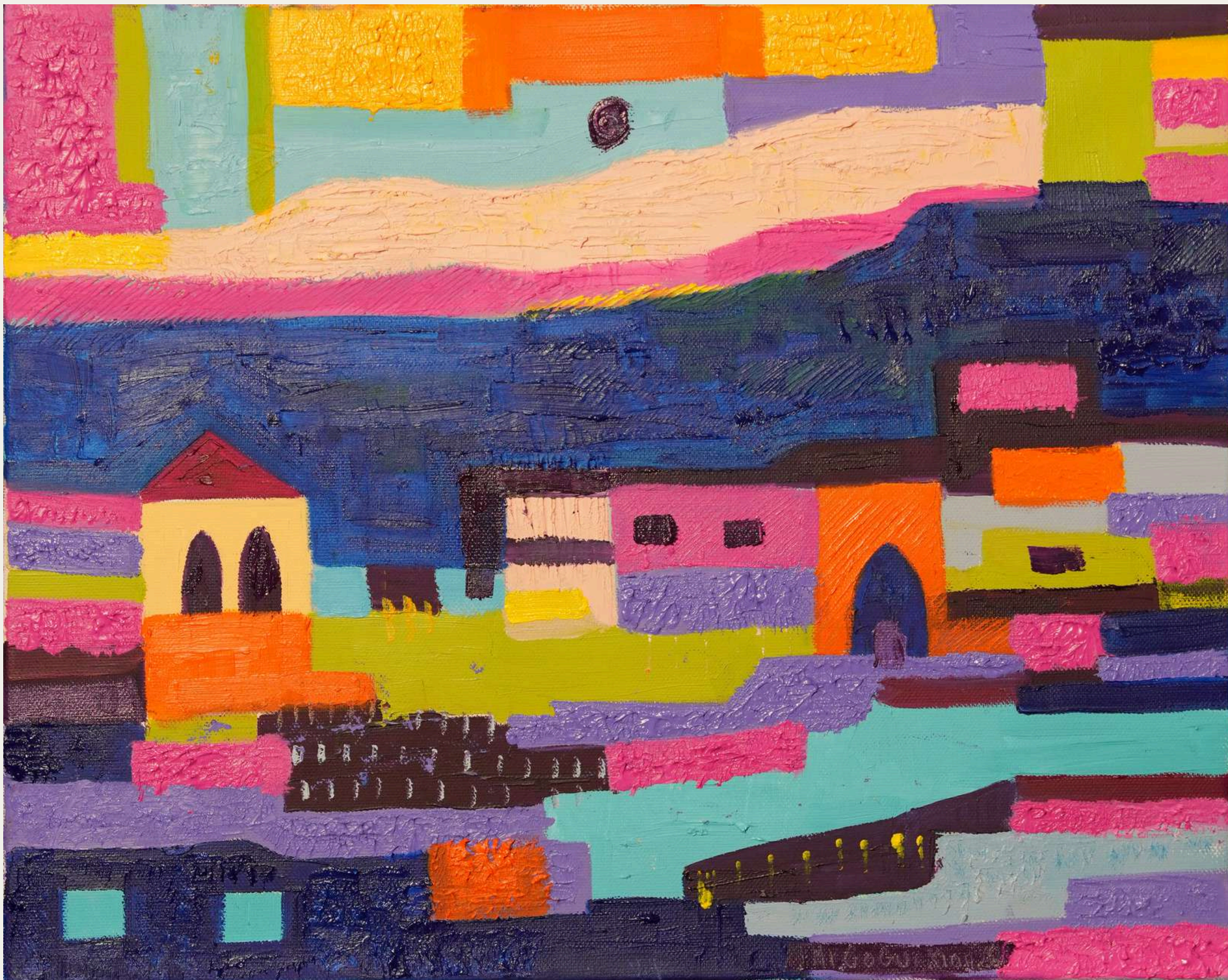
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Echos of Sandstones IV

2026
Oil on canvas
45 x 35 cm

USD 1,000



Echos of Sandstones V

2026
Oil on canvas
45 x 35 cm

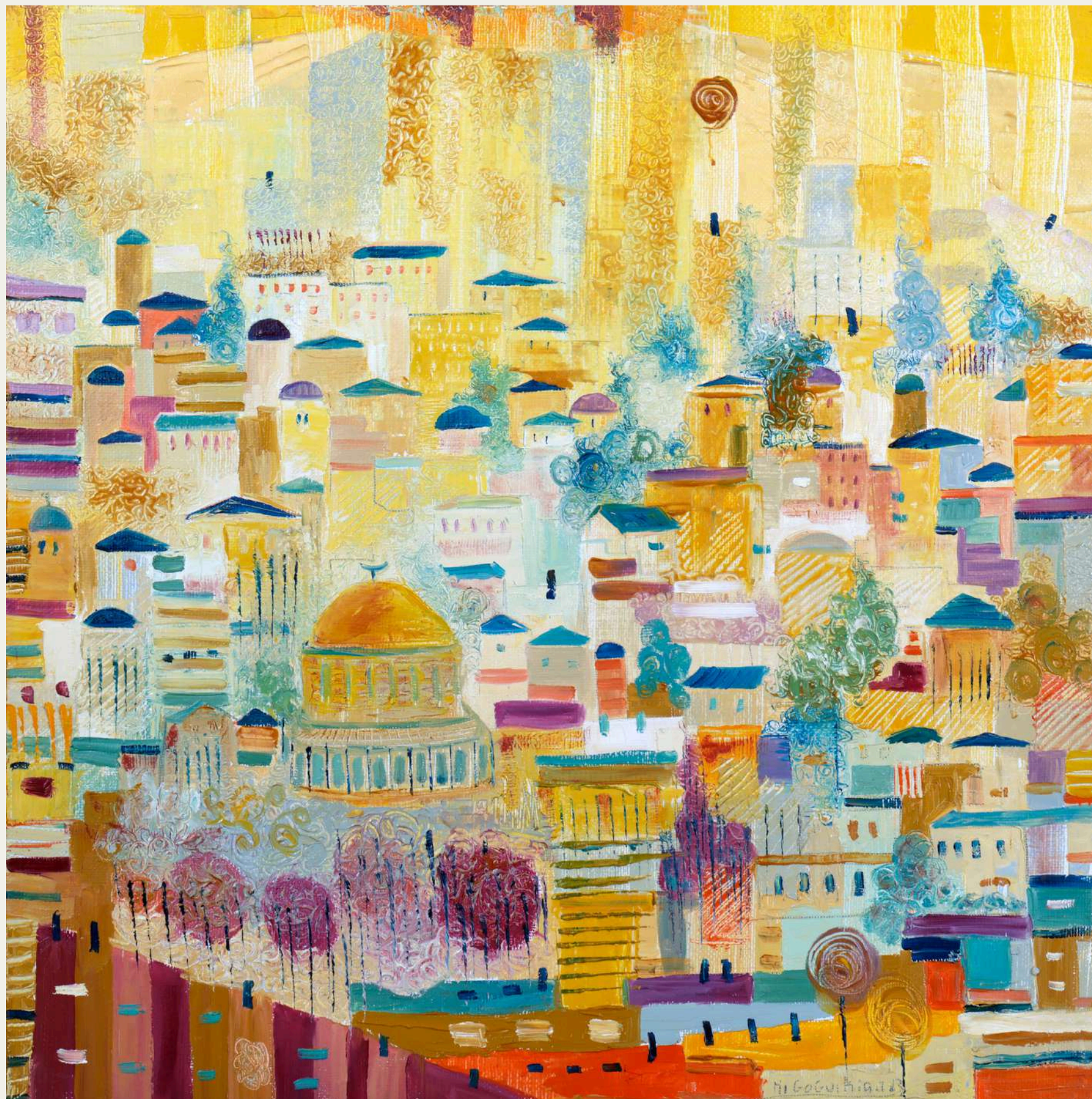
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Echos of Sandstones VI

2026
Oil on canvas
45 x 35 cm

USD 1,000



Jerusalem I

2025
Oil on canvas
70 x 70 cm

USD 2,500



Jerusalem II

2025
Oil on canvas
70 x 70 cm

USD 2,500



Kuwait - Modern and Majestic

2026
Oil on jute
90 x 90 cm

USD 4,000



Saifi Village

2026
Oil on canvas
40 x 140 cm

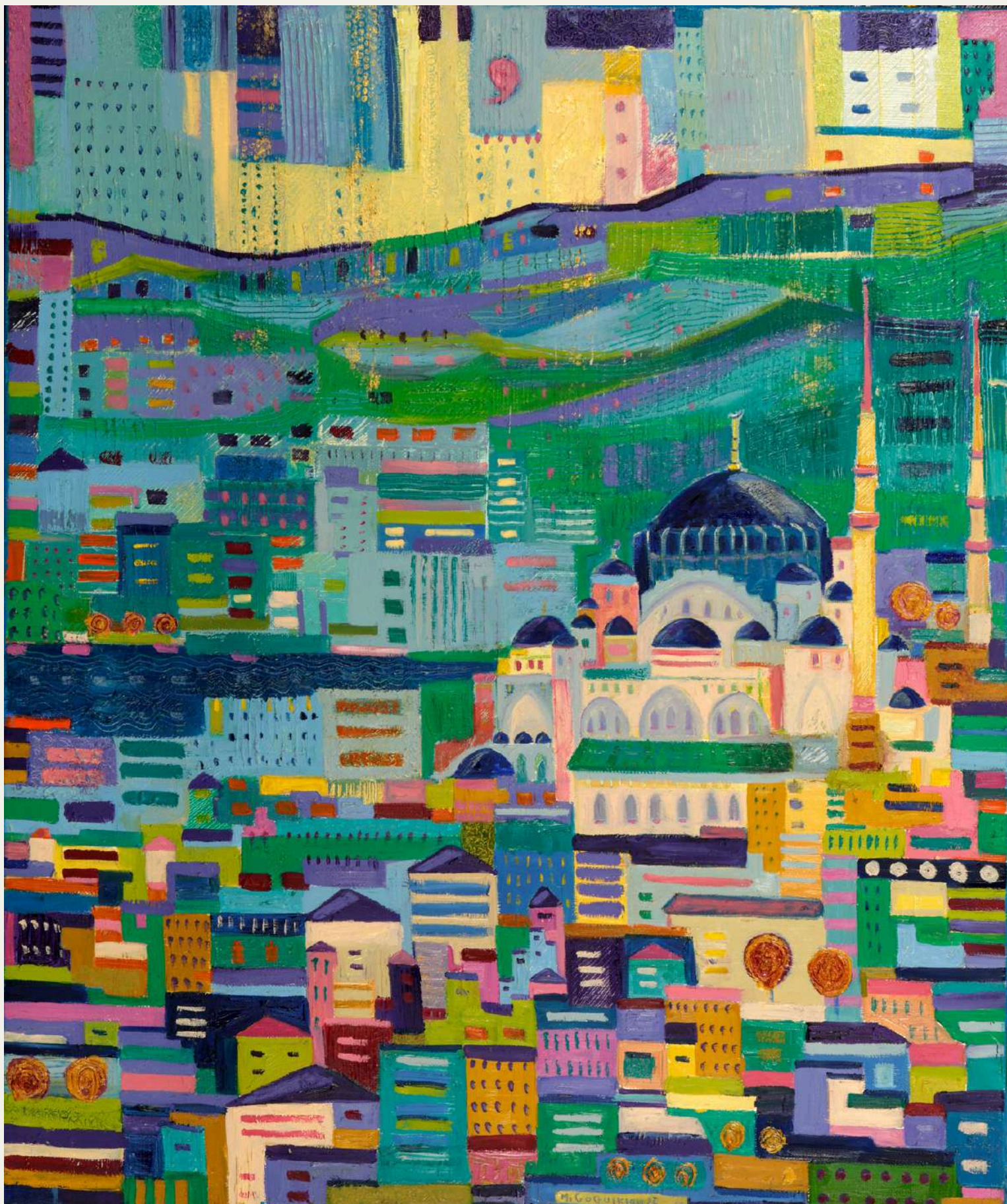
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Qatar - Gleaming Doha

2026
Oil on jute
100 x 120 cm

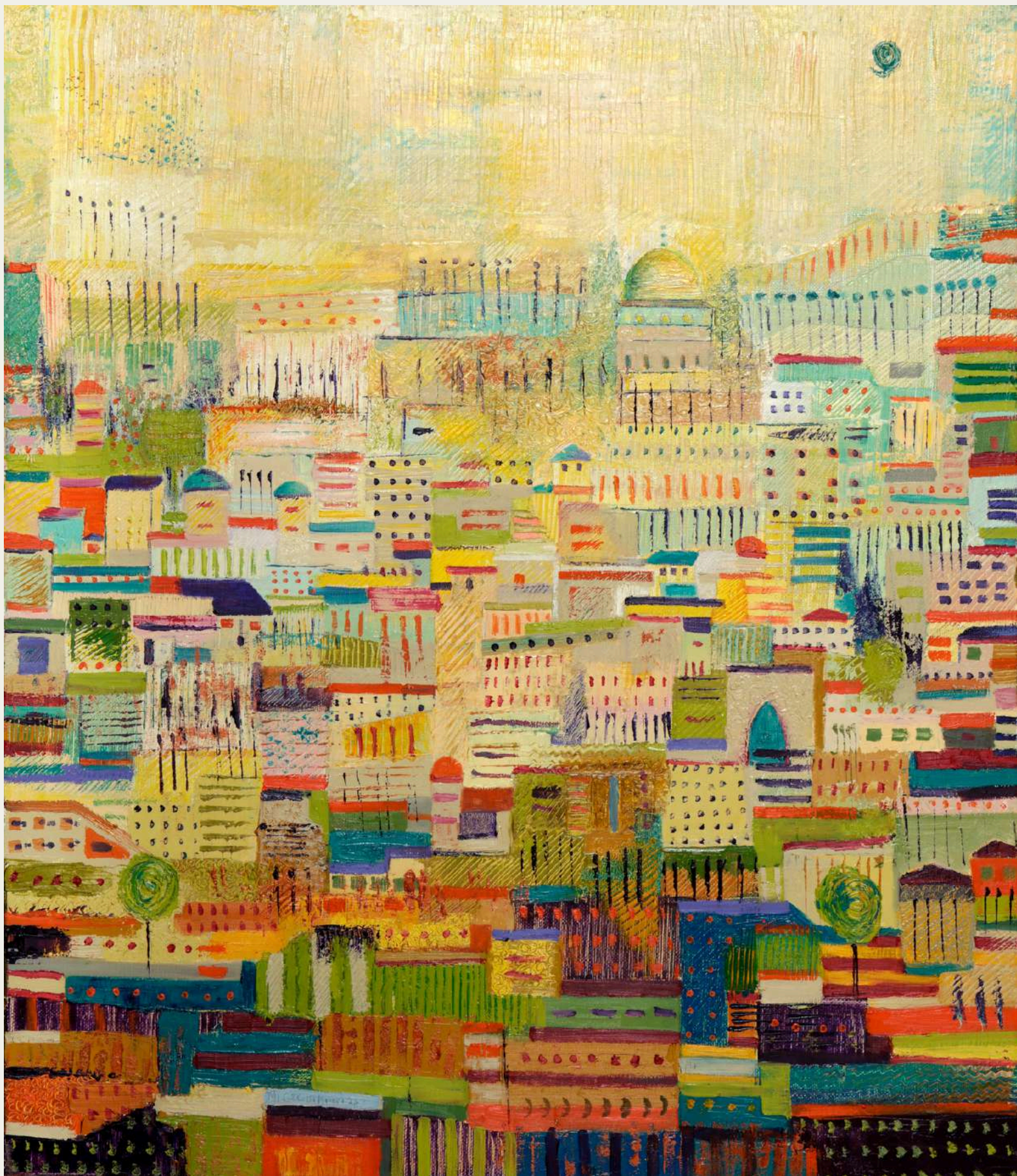
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Istanbul - A Touch of Blue

2026
Oil on jute
120 x 100 cm

USD 6,000



Jerusalem Stone and Soul

2026
Oil on jute
116 x 100 cm

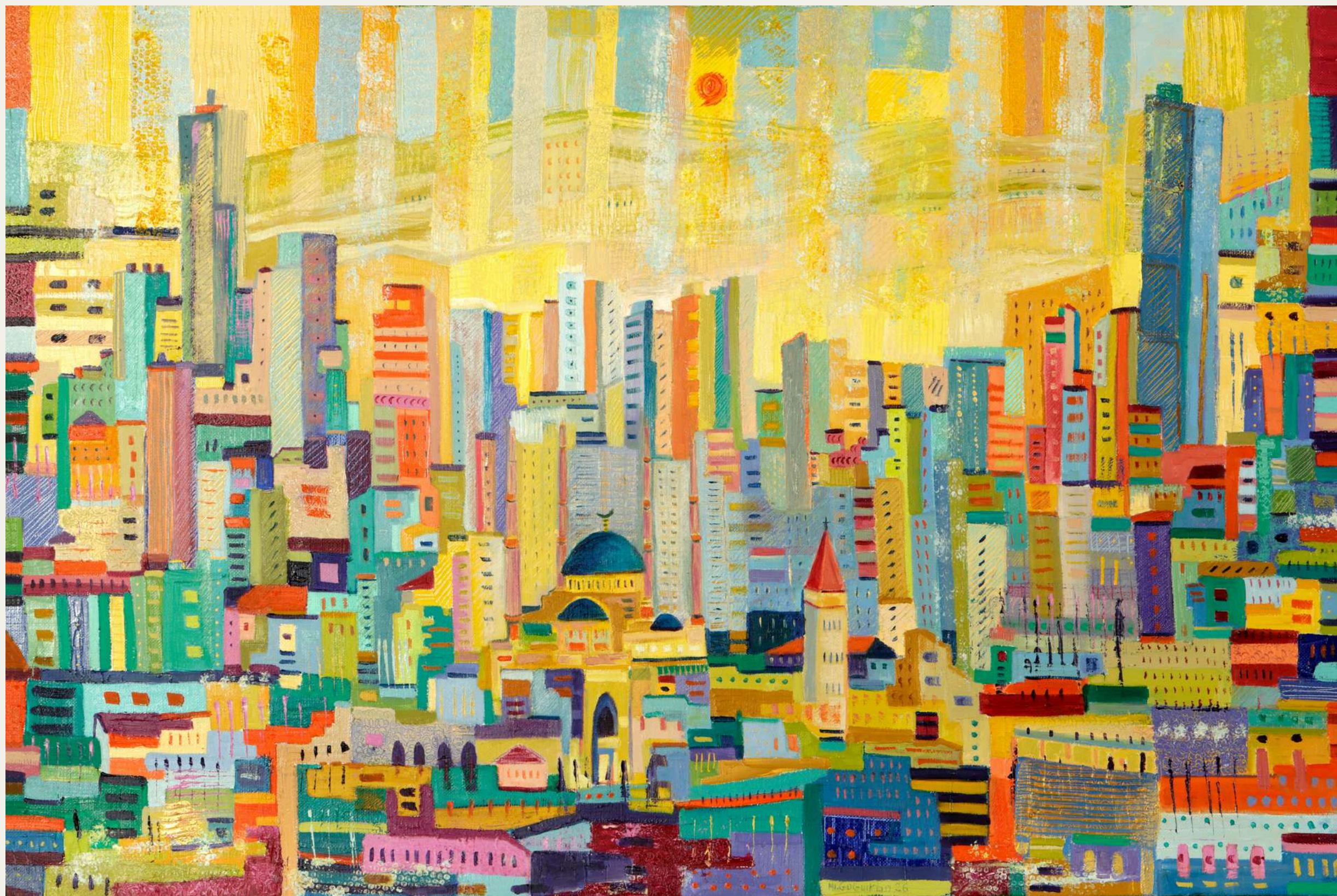
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Dubai - Oasis of Lights

2026
Oil on jute
100 x 150 cm

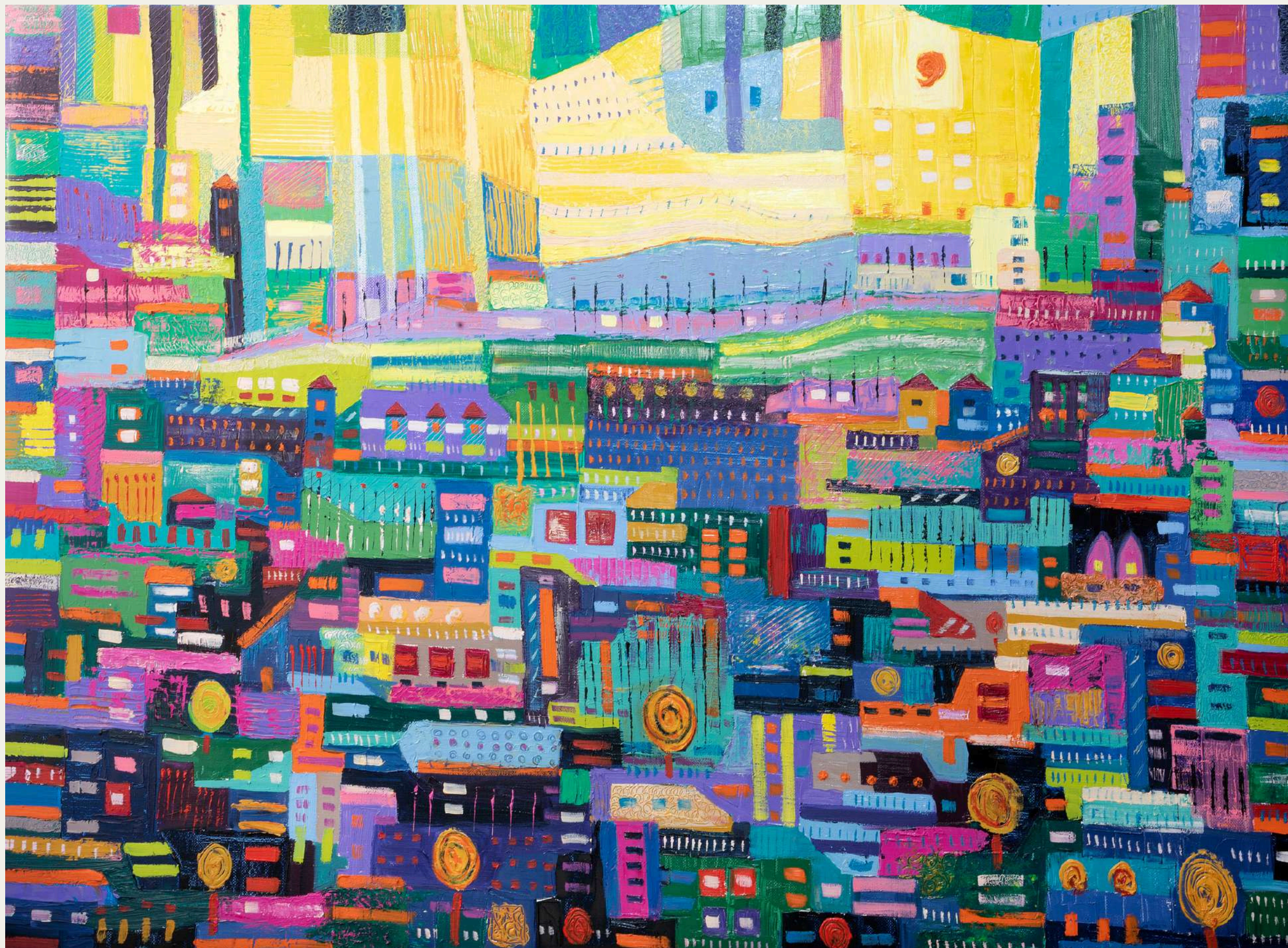
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Eternal Beirut

2026
Oil on jute
100 x 150 cm

USD 7,500



Art in Music

2025
Oil on canvas
135 x 180 cm

USD 12,200



The Rising Kingdom

2023
Oil on canvas
150 x 200 cm

USD 15,000

THANK YOU