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## EXHIBITION

### SONGS OF NATURE

Mumbai-based artist, Shukla Chowdhury, presents an exhibition titled 'The Phoenix Sings a Song' at the Open Palm Court Gallery\*, Delhi from the May 19-24.

The visual information in each painting is dense yet simple in form. The narrative is intimate yet vivid in its description. The exhibition attempts to celebrate nature as an unbound free spirit, unfettered and liberated.

Through Shukla's works, we are drawn into a world

that celebrates life in all its varied nuances.

In the words of the artist, "The phoenix sings a song whenever it encounters the richness of nature. These songs reveal to the phoenix and to the viewer too, that there is a hidden beauty in everything and everyone. One needs to search and look beyond the surface because underneath the surface exists a wonderful world, untouched and beautiful. The phoenix, through its songs, conveys that aesthetic beauty is not the only means of being attractive. Inner beauty matters far more."