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Just when you thought it was safe to go back into an art show, the Last Rites Gallery is bringing New Yorkers an exhibition of the extreme just in time for Halloween!

The famous venue is holding its Fifth Annual “The 13th Hour” exhibit, presenting a wide variety of dark surrealism artwork on multiple mediums, including paintings, drawings and sculptures. Whether you’re a fan of the Gothic or the grotesque, “The 13th Hour” is guaranteed to please any horror fan, celebrating an array of works from acclaimed artists from around the world. Join the horror and surrealistic art communities in this celebration of beauty within the darkness in this one-of-a-kind display of mind-bending madness. Artists include Markus Blanchard, Scott G. Brooks, Matt Buck, Robert Craig, Matt Dangler, Darwin Enriquez, Jason Goldberg, Handiedan, Naoto Hattori, Scott Hove, S. Jenx, John John Jesse, Joe King, Luke Kopycinski, Mark Kostabi, Jean Paul Mallozzi, Chris Mars, Menton, Mr Mead, Anthony Pontius, Michael Ramstead, Zac Shiffer, Richard Williams, Jasmine Worth, Zane York and makeup artist Chet Zar.

Open to the public from October 26 to November 30, the Last Rites Gallery is located at 511 West 33rd Street in the (bleeding) heart of Manhattan. For more info, go to the gallery’s official website
or call (212) 529-0666, and check out a preview of pieces from Chris Mars, Handiedan, Naoto Hattori and Matt Danger, respectively, below.