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Behold Your Heart:
Dante Biennale

An exhibition of works inspired by the life and writings of
Dante Alighieri.



Sidney Nolan, *Inferno VI*, 1967, screenprint, 102 x 69 cm

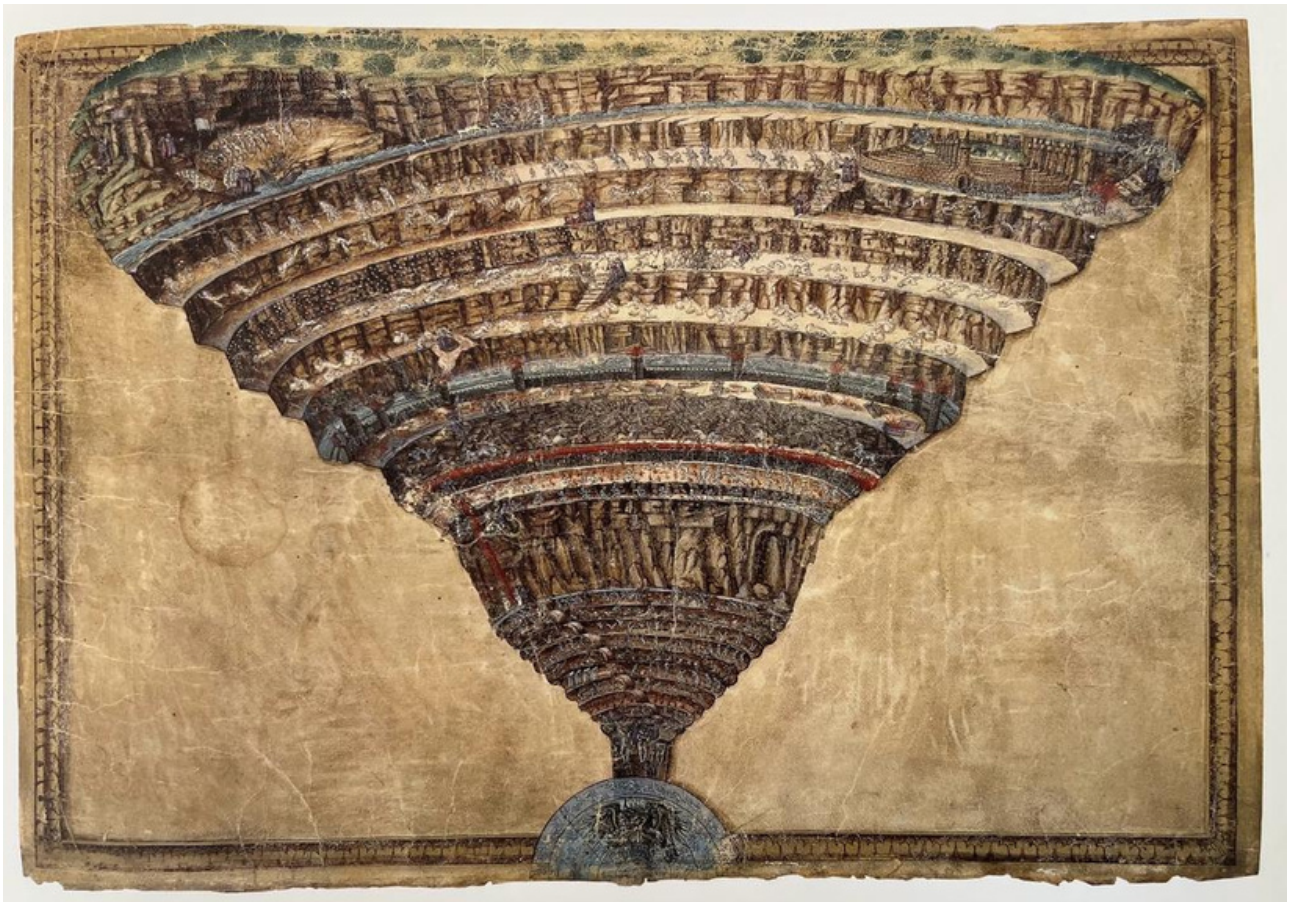


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Few writers have had such a profound influence upon Western visual culture as Dante Alighieri. His great poem, *The Divine Comedy* (as it is now known), has inspired artists almost since the time of its completion in 1320: from Giovanni di Paolo and Sandro Botticelli, through William Blake and Dante Gabriel Rossetti, to Robert Rauschenberg and Sidney Nolan. And it continues to inspire artists to this day.

About the Rebecca Hossack Art Gallery:

The Rebecca Hossack Art Gallery is a contemporary art gallery challenging trends. Over the course of three decades the gallery has built an international reputation for innovation, individuality, energy and excellence. The gallery regularly curates interdisciplinary cross-cultural shows around important themes and figures (William Blake, Poetry and London amongst them), as well as hosting a series of *Conversaiones* with leading intellectual and environmental figures - including Jane Goodall, Satish Kumar and Julian Spalding.



Sandro Botticelli, *La Mappa dell'Inferno*, 1482-90, Frontispiece for Dante's *Divine Comedy*. Biblioteca Apostolica Vaticana, Vatican.

Listings information:

Dante Biennale

9 March - 28 April 2024

Rebecca Hossack Art Gallery,
2a Conway Street, Fitzroy
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admission

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Gallery opening times:

Monday - Saturday: 10 am - 6 pm

Closed Sunday