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Presents Kristian Glynn: And Again Another Crippling Love Story: Part 3

August 30 – September 26, 2016 Opening Tuesday, August 30, 6:00 – 9:00 PM

(August 25, 2016) Gitler &_____ is proud to present *And Again Another Crippling Love Story: Part 3*, from Australian-born artist **Kristian Glynn**. Glynn has exhibited regularly with Gitler over the years, dating back to the gallery's days as a pop-up. This is the artist's fourth solo show with the gallery and the final installment in the trilogy. *Part 1* premiered in December 2014 and *Part 2* in June 2015. *Part 3* will run from August 30 to September 26, 2016.



 $\frac{1}{2}$ Butterfly (Wounded Air), 2014; mixed media, 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ x 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ in.

In Glynn's extensive collection of paintings, one discovers a melancholy universe of lovers, travelers and performers, all wayward souls in their own right, framed askew and sublimely vulnerable. Combining the seductive portraiture style of Schiele, the biomorphic terror of Bacon, and his own penchant for poetry and heartache, Glynn has created one-off storyboards that speak volumes. Glynn wears his heart on his sleeve, and allows narrative to inform each work—"In my chest I was a child"; "Show off all your dead flowers"; "Today I beg you away"—as much as form and compositional style. If Kafka had been a romantic, his drawings may have resembled these.

Glynn has described his process as like "playing with fog," and will often have several drawings and shadowboxed vignettes underway at the same time. Lyrical and uninhibited, Glynn's work comprises sporadic leaps "between happy, sad, messy, [and] clean...," as any crippling love story well should. *And Again Another Crippling Love Story: Part 3* will open on Tuesday evening, August 30, beginning at 6:00 PM.

Gitler &_____ is located in Hamilton Heights, NYC. The gallery dedicated to showcasing rising artists from around the world. For more info visit www.gitlerand.com

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