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12 Must-See Gallery Shows on the Upper East Side During Auction Week

See some of our favorite shows right now.

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Fall 2016 stands out for having a plethora of top-notch art exhibits—many of which focus solely on female artists—that is much needed, given the current mood after this election cycle.

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4. ***"Artists and Lovers"*** at ***Ordovas***

Location: 9 East 77th Street

Peggy Guggenheim's intimate world of artists, collectors and curators was the inspiration for "Artists and Lovers," organized by gallerist and former Christie's executive Pilar Ordovas. The show explores a number of the greatest artistic unions of the mid-20th century to suggest how love and friendship can shape creative process. Works on view include a major Frida Kahlo self-portrait that has not been publicly shown in the US for over 30 years, and (*Silver Square*), painted by Jackson Pollock circa 1950, a work that was hung in his wife Lee Krasner's New York apartment. Also on view are works by Elaine and Willem de Kooning; Robert Rauschenberg, Cy Twombly and Jasper Johns; Merce Cunningham and John Cage, and Donald Judd and Laretta Vinciarelli.