# HOUSE OF ITA

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### ABOUT ITA



Margarita (Ita) Aleksievska Sclavi, aka "House of Ita", is a multimedia textile artist of North Macedonian origin.

Following an interlude in the United States and England, Ita moved permanently to Rome, where she handcrafted hand-painted tapestries and home textiles in limited editions, alongside collectible items of furniture.

What distinguishes her work is the measured contamination of traditional and contemporary elements, in a game of union and contrasts.

Ita breathes life into a delicately mysterious iconography, infused with a sense of unreality and surprise, which winks at surrealism and reveals influences ranging from Naïve Art to Magical Realism, from Russian Constructivism to Ornamentalism and mythology. Ita's creations, which honour her Macedonian roots and multicultural background, are the result of a unique design style that arises from the encounter between East and West. The slight variations and slight imperfections of each piece are a sign of their singular quality.

Her production intersects multiple levels and displays a complex and highly expressive language. An eclectic style, to which the dualistic nature of her career contributes: in addition to her artistic vocation, Ita is also a practicing psychiatrist, convinced that both activities are

a powerful means of fostering the narration of individual and collective experiences.

Each House of Ita collection is a visual poem, a narration and reflection of the artist's imaginary world.

Entering the House is like stepping into Wonderland and embarking on an extraordinary journey of fantasy.

# BIRDS & FLOWERS HAND PAINTED RAW LINEN CUSHIONS

Numbered series of hand painted cushions on high quality raw linen originaly used by the italian army. The delicate drawings in graphite, gold, mettalics and bronze feels raised to the touch, an effect obtained with a bas-relief painting technique that adds a tactile texture of these exclusive cushions.

The cushions are poetic narration of dreamy impressions of nature, intuition, emotional triggers that become a bespoke interior piece for those drawn to the beautiful and unexpected.



THE ARTICHOKE, THE BIRD AND FLOWERS raw linen 75x45 cm



BIRD SMELLING ON IRIS FLOWER raw linen 75x45 cm





BIRD ON A GOLDEN LEAF BRANCH raw linen 90x55 cm



GOLDEN SNAIL & APPLES raw linen 62x50 cm



TURQUOISE POMEGRANATES AND GRAPES raw linen 75x45 cm



TWO BIRDS BETWEEN BRONZE STRIPES raw linen 62x50 cm



GOLDEN STRIPE raw linen 75x45 cm



THE BIRD AND POPPY SEED FLOWER raw linen 62x50 cm KISSING BIRDS raw linen 75x45 cm



WILD ARTICHOKES CUSHION hand dyed original military linen in natural shades of amaranth colour, hand pianted and decorated with bronze powder ; raw linen 75x45 cm h

# DEEP GRAY TABLE LINEN

HAND PAINTED TABLEWARE THAT CONVEY INTO AN ENCHANTING AND WHIMSICAL ATMOSPHERE IN THE ART OF DINING

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A STORYTELLING ON DIFFERENT LAYERS AND SURFACES BLENDING HERITAGE AND CONTEMPORARY INTERPRETATION OF AESTHETICS, SYMBOLS AND DECORATION.



Dimensions 260 x 210 cm

TABLE CLOTH IN DEEP GRAY ANTIQUE LINEN - HAND DYED WITH SHADES OF GRAY AND ENRICHED WITH BLUE METALLIC POWDER. PERCIEVING THE LINEN AS A CANVAS ITA PAINTS A STORY OF ALMOAST SURREAL PLAY OF FLOURISHES OF BRUNCHES, CURLICUE LEAVES, POMEGRANATES, SNAILS, BIRDS AND FLOWERS. THE DECORATIVE TECHNIQUE GIVES AN UNIQUE ALMOAST BASS- RELIEF EFFECT.







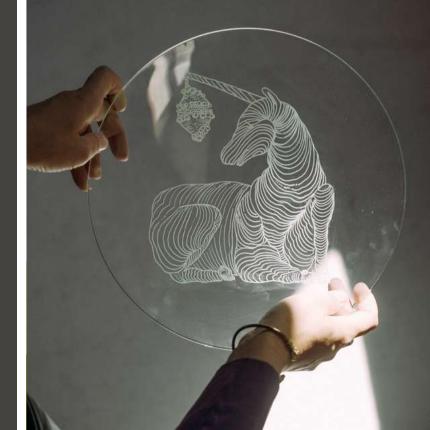
## ANIMALS & JEWELS PLATES COLLECTION

HAND PAINTED BOROSILICATED GLASS PLATES diameter 28 cm





TABLE COLLECTION INCLUDES A HAND-PAINTED TABLECLOTH AND A SET OF HAND-PAINTED BOROSILICATE GLASS PLATES (8 PIECES), DECORATED WITH FANTASTIC ANIMALS ADORNED WITH CROWNS AND PRECIOUS DETAILS, WHICH CREATE A DREAMY AND UNEXPECTED ATMOSPHERE. THE COLLECTION DRAWS INSPIRATION FROM MAGICAL REALISM AND ON THE ARTIST'NORTH MACEDONIAN ORIGINS. OFFERS A REINTERPRETATION OF MACEDONIA'S EARLY CHRISTIAN JEWELRY HERITAGE. THE UNICORN PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass



THE DEER PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass

THE SWAN PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass THE RABBIT PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass

THE LION PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass





THE DEER PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass



THE BIRD PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass

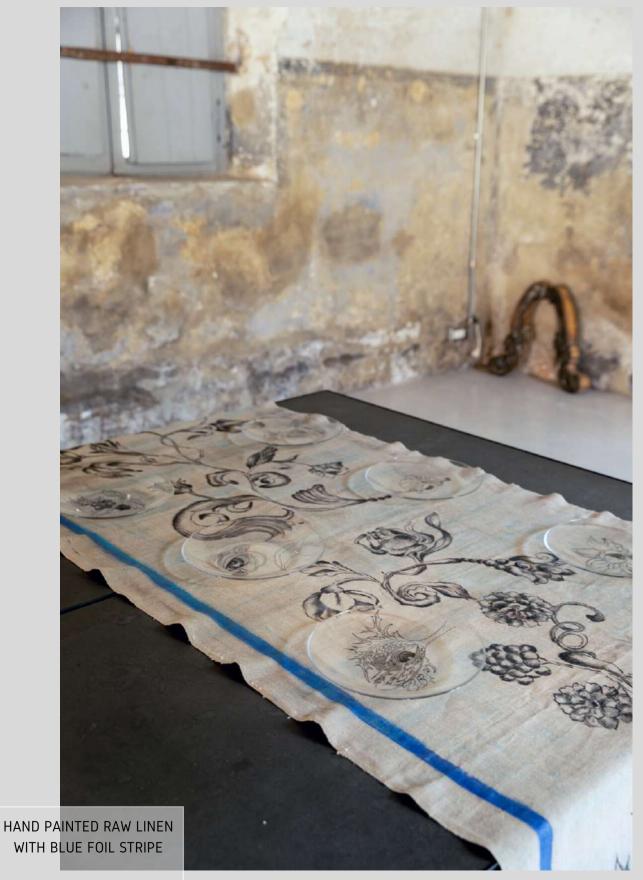


THE SHIP PLATE hand painted borosilicated glass





### SANDSTONE HAND PAINTED TABLE LINEN



dimensions 210x90cm

# EYE FLOWER

A whimsical, stravagant and surrealistic collection of 6 hand painted glass plates. A set of six flowers with six different eye expressions.

This is another Collage Table Story by House of Ita. Painted glass plates blend, appear and disappear in any setting, usually with ITA's hand painted tablecloths.and runners.

The Eye Flower collection reveals a irrational dreamy world, between the Nature and Psyche.

## THE AMARANTH TABLE LINEN



HAND DYED ANTIQUE LINEN IN SHADES OF AMARANTH COLOUR, SILVER FOIL AND HAND PAINTED DECORATIVE MOTIFS WITH FLOURISHES OF BRUNCHES, CURLICUE LEAVES, A DELICATE AND SURREAL INTERTWINED ATMOSPHERE OF FLORA E FAUNA.

dimensions 260x210 cm





### JEWELRY COLLECTION art home textiles

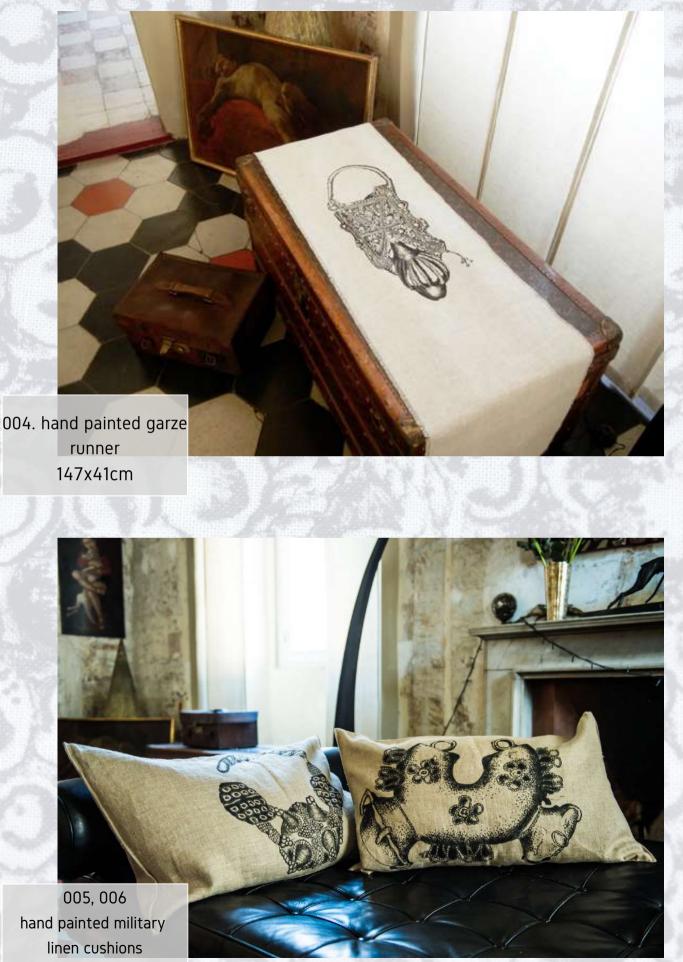
Unique home textiles hand painted on natural materials like silk, hemp, cotton linen. Designs are inspired by the medieval heritage of North Macedonia - 14th century jewelry and ornaments like earings, bracelets, necklaces, belt buckets, head ornaments made of gold, silver, semiprecious stones, coloured glass and mother pearl.





002. hand painted garze curtain





75x45 cm



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007. Earing Wallpaper black and sanguinea panels 53x200cm 

#### **EXHIBITIONS & EVENTS**

- 2022 Exhibition / Installation Embassy of North Macedonia to the Holly Sea , Vatican, Rome, Italy
- 2021 Exhibition/ Installation "TIMELESS (FEMALE DREAMS)"-"Appartamento" design gallery, Palazzo Brancaccio, Rome, Italy
- 2021 EDIT Napoli Design Fair, Complesso San Domenico Maggiore , Naples, Italy
- 2020 Exhibition "Particolare di Paesaggio" Contemporary Cluster, Rome, Italy
- 2020 EDIT Napoli Design Fair, Complesso San Domenico Maggiore, Naples, Italy
- 2019 EDIT Napoli Design Fair ,Complesso San Domenico Maggiore, Naples, Italy
- 2018 Cantiere Galli Gallery "Una stanza tutta per se", Rome, Italy
- 2017 Skopje Design Week, Public Room, Skopje, North Macedonia

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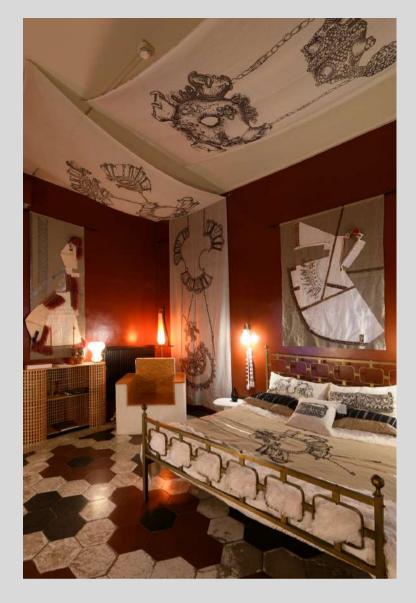
- DECO HOME MAGAZINE (Germany) july/august 2022
- LAMPOON MAGAZINE january 2022
- OBJECT INTERNATIONAL (The Netherlands) january 2022
- ELLE DECOR ITALIA december/ january 2021-2022
- AD ITALIA december 2021
- THE GOOD LIFE ITALIA december 2021
- STIR november 2021
- INTERNI MAGAZINE november 2021
- DOMUS november 2021
- Point Of Design ( Poland) november 2021



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"Apartamento" design gallery, Palazzo Brancaccio, Rome,Italy





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each piece has been hand made by order so please allow 3-6 weeks for delivery, any slight variation and inperfection are sign of their singular quality



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