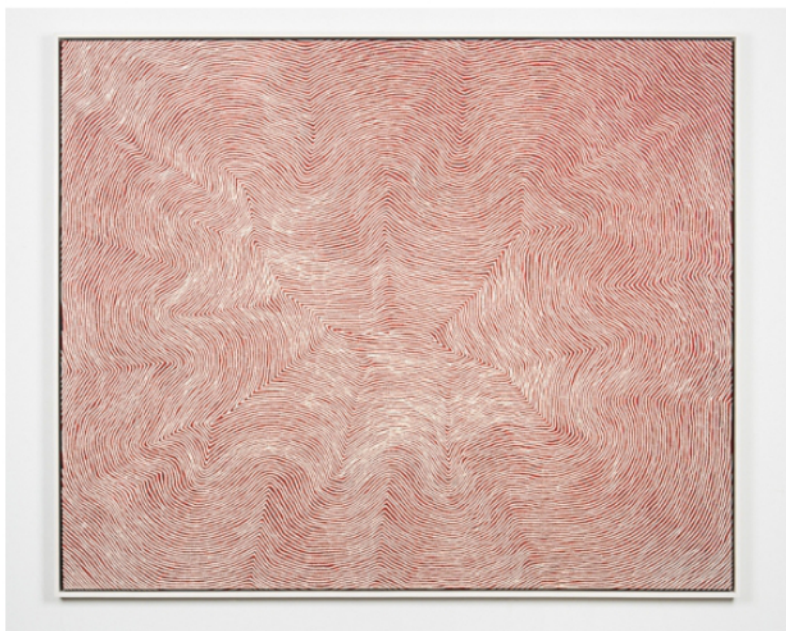


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### The Must Be Scene: 10 NY Art Shows to Catch This Fall

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**Warlimpirnga Tjapaltjarri, Untitled, 2014. (Photo: Courtesy of Salon 94)**

#### **Warlimpirnga Tjapaltjarri at Salon 94**

Now for something completely different. "Warli," as I'll call him, is an Australian aboriginal artist who hadn't even met a non-aboriginal until the age of 25. Born sometime in the '50s, he didn't start painting until 1987, but quickly started showing and selling his linear abstractions that create buzzy Op Art effects. The canvases also double as sacred stories and songs about sacred beings or sites. Ever since his inclusion in the 2013 Documenta exhibition in Germany, the international art world has been eyeing this marvel, and finally a high-profile gallery has committed to this (for lack of a better word) "outsider."

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