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Saturday, May 1, 1 p.m.

Free to the public, refreshments

Seymour Rosen on the Watts Towers, 1 p.m. Built single-handedly by Simon Rodia over a period of 33 years, the Watts Towers consists of nine major sculptural forms made of steel, ceramic tile, pottery shards, sea shells, and broken glass embedded in mortar. Seymour Rosen is a leader and pioneer in art environment preservation.

Tom Patterson on Paradise Garden and Passaquan, 1:20 p.m. Scholar Tom Patterson discusses Paradise Garden, an art environment created by visionary artist Howard Finster in Pennville, Georgia. Patterson will also discuss the Passaquan environment created by Eddie Owens Martin.

Jo Farb Hernandez on Josep Pujiula I Vila's cabins in Spain, 1:40 p.m. Curator and author Jo Farb Hernandez will discuss Josep Pujiula I Vila's labyrinthine cabins, created over twenty years in northwestern Catalunya, Spain.

Terri Sweig on The Garden of the Luna Rossa in France, 2 p.m. Scholar and art therapist Terri L. Sweig will discuss the Garden of Luna Rossa, an open-air garden in Normandy, France. It is a collection of rescued and reassembled sculptural art environments from the greater Normandy region.

For more information, please contact Intuit at 312.243.9088 or intuit@art.org.

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