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Art project at the time of Covid-19

This painful global experience must leave us something.

So I thought of sharing short reflections on my work useful for the project of a better future in which to live. Because this challenge is ours. History tells us. Let's live it in the awareness of being the protagonists of the whole of humanity.



Ikaros

2019 - 170x550 cm, h550cm - stainless steel mirror finished by hands Daniele Basso

Ikaros is the metaphor of flight beyond the boundaries of the imagination. Beyond fear. Far beyond ourselves. Towards new awareness. Towards tomorrow. Between the myth of Icarus and the flying machines of Leonardo da Vinci, in the 500th anniversary of the master's death, it celebrates the Italian identity that expresses itself in the irrepressible and powerful impulse to flight inherent in the human soul... They are wings stolen from the mythology and the intelligence of the great men that transfigured by the emotions of art become a physical and metaphorical tool of awareness, improvement and growth for Man. The strengthening of the imagination to which we owe the development of Humanity itself. It is an invitation to everyone to attempt the flight. Beyond the contingent difficulties. Looking for our future.

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