

A ROOM FULL OF YUSKAVAGES

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Lisa Yuskavage, the painter of exaggerated soft-porn female figures had her first New York show since defecting from Marianne Boesky to the fast-expanding Zwirner empire. The evening of the opening (October 18, 2006) David Zwirner Gallery in Chelsea, was full of real and painted honey blondes, brunettes, and redhair women. The bad-girl of art's semi-nude women in absurd boudoir scenarios with their swelling breasts and bellies attracted Manhattan's finest from her A-list friends to former tennis champion John McEnroe.



1 Todd Eberle and Rachel Feinstein // 2 Leo Villareal and Yvonne Force Villareal // 3 The three directors of David Zwirner gallery // 4 David Zwirner and Lisa Yuskavage // 5 Cynthia Rowley and her daughter // 6 Rachel Lehmann // 7 James Truman and friend // 8 Chuck Close // 9 Mark Fletcher and Thelma Golden // 10 Tobias Meyer and John Currin // 11 John McEnroe and his wife Patty Smyth