

# **CHRIS BERENS CREATES NEW PAINTINGS FOR NEW YOUNG ADULT FICTION BOOK**

Dutch painter Chris Berens' work (featured in our book *Hi Fructose Collected 3*) can be described as storybook-like with a darker twist. His light, airy paintings have a luminescence about them, as if his figures and the spaces they inhabit have a crystalline translucency that imbues them a magical-feeling ambiance.

Berens recently collaborated with best-selling young adult fiction author Kami Garcia on an illustration project. An artist herself, Garcia is a long-time admirer of Berens and asked him to create three new paintings to be reprinted in her forthcoming novel, *Unmarked*.

We bring you a first look at these new pieces before they debut in the book, which hits stores later this week.





# UNMARKED

RECEPTION & BOOK SIGNING WITH  
artist **CHRIS BERENS** and author **KAMI GARCIA**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2

**One Night Only**

6:00-8:00 PM

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The paintings by Chris Berens are featured in *Unmarked* and will be on display and for sale.