

## Probing the Universe

What am I curious about as I try to probe the universe basically the reason for being. What is it that is happening? Why are we for this limited period of time here, and for me to make some sense of it. A lot of people have the same conundrum and I am fortunate to have some sort of a talent to exploit my abilities to make symbols and vehicles to try to understand what that is all about, and try to convey that to other people. So I see it not so much on a normal level, between myself and the rest of society, but basically on higher and larger planes and issues dealing with the universe and cosmology.

The theories that inform the kind of work I do on the land and in my photo works, are often influenced by certain theories and thoughts in theoretical physics, which as you know is basically a mathematical language. It is very hidden, it is kind of an occult society in fact. And because it has gotten so rarefied, there has been made attempts to make this very much available to people through popular magazines and such, and this is where I basically clue in to this kind of information, and I even further simplify it into something that is more understandable. Mind you, I am not a scientist, I am a visual artist. So my concern is to make something that will make a contact to people in a visual way, but still carry the message of some theoretical physics thought, who are basically

our new priests, teachers and such of today's society. They are greatly involved with also trying to find out what is out there. What is it that is around us? What governs our being, etcetera. I am trying to convey that also with my art.

The main theory would be... there's such a thing called the anthropomorphic principle in consciousness, which means that the universe and the things about you really don't really exist unless you are there to perceive it. So I am trying to make the best of my perceptions while I am here.

