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Toy Boy from Malabar and his Journey to Wine Cheese and Chocolates

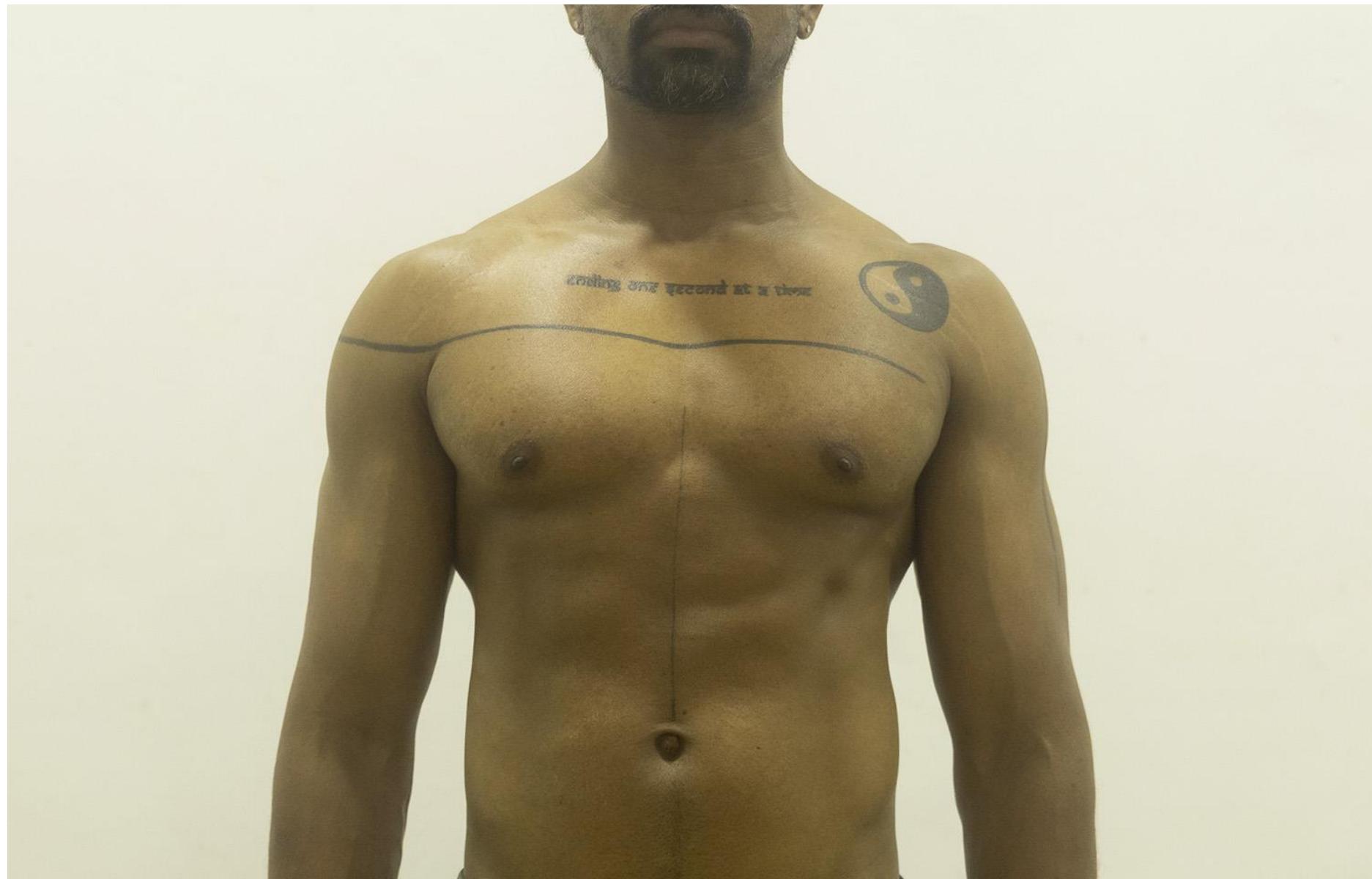
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About the show:

Thoughts about the future used to be magical when I was a teenager Going somewhere far away where you will not be judged Friends coming over for birthdays, smearing cake on your face, popping a bottle of champagne. fairy lights the future was a cinema playing in my head. There are times when you lose the ability to imagine a future and times when you can barely sleep. The cinema suddenly stops playing in your head. You are not a hero anymore, just a utility Then, you choose a life where you can dream again. Where you don't need fancy foreign degrees though the journey is uncertain in the city, people can make you feel like you don't belong there. Wine, cheese platters, and jargon-filled white walls. How strong is your desire to get to the other side? I want to be on the other side. So, I grabbed a knife, a fork, learned some jargon, and rolled my tongue when required. Toy Boy from Malabar and his Journey to Wine Cheese and Chocolates is a restaging of the growth of a young queer Thiyya boy through conflict, fragility, resilience and love.



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Pigment ink on Archival paper

11 x 16 inches

Unique print

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'Only Muscles No Brain'

Pigment ink on Archival paper

16 x 23 inches

10 editions + 1 A/P

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IDENTITY, SPACE SUBALTERN, BODY
QUEER, MEMORY
TIME, CONTEXT, COMPLEXITIES, RELATIONSHIP
JUXTAPOSITION, SOCIETY, CLASS, CONCEPTUAL
REFLECTION, PATTERN, BODY, POLITICS,
REDEFINE, IDENTITY, STATEMENT,
REFLECTION, MUNDANE, OBJECTS, GRANT
CRITIQUES EPHEMERA, IDENTITY
SUBALTERN, RELEVANT, TRACES

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