

**Soraya Sikander's floral symphony**  
19 to 26 February 2010



**Soraya Sikander** paints a series of floral art works, including roses, lilies, carnation, gladiolas, hydrangea and baby's breath.

The artist draws her inspiration from nature, which result in a wide variety of visually stunning and harmoniously conceived compositions.

Through her paintings, the artist captures the magnificence of the floral kingdom and describes her work as:



*"Depiction of a magnificent being, nature. A larger than life, immeasurable world summed into a picture. Mother Nature cannot be captured entirely without being overwhelmed, therefore, humbly; I break down the beauty, bit by bit, piece by piece.*

*So we admire, a solitary rose, a leaf, an entire tree beaming with sunlight or covered in the shade - as scenery, from the vast grandeur of the eternal, nature. "*– **Soraya Sikander**.

\* Soraya exhibited her paintings at *National Art Gallery of Bangladesh*, Dhaka, Oct 09 and in *Unicorn Space*, Dubai, Dec 08.

\* She has exhibitions coming up in the U.K. and Middle East.

\* And graduated from *Beaconhouse National University*, Lahore in 2008.