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Tickets Go on Sale to the Public on March 16, 2021 for The New York Botanical Garden's Exclusive Presentation of *KUSAMA: Cosmic Nature* Featuring New Work by Celebrated Artist Yayoi Kusama

Exhibition on view April 10—October 31, 2021. Tickets available at nybg.org/kusama



Credit: Yayoi Kusama, *Hymn of Life-Tulips*, 2007, Mixed media, Courtesy of the City of Beverly Hills

Bronx, NY—Advance, timed tickets go on sale to the public on March 16 for The New York Botanical Garden (NYBG) 2021 exhibition *KUSAMA: Cosmic Nature*, featuring work by internationally celebrated Japanese artist Yayoi Kusama. NYBG is the exclusive venue for *KUSAMA: Cosmic Nature*. On view April 10 through October 31, 2021, the exhibition will be installed across the Garden's 250-acre landscape, in and around the Enid A. Haupt Conservatory, and in the LuEsther T. Mertz Library Building. Highlights include new works made especially for NYBG. Spectacular seasonal horticultural displays will complement the artworks and an array of programs and activities will make each visit unique. Pictured above, *Hymn of Life-Tulips*, 2007, will be displayed in the Conservatory Courtyard Hardy Pool.

Visit nybg.org/kusama for additional ticketing information and nybg.org for more information about NYBG's offerings.

About The New York Botanical Garden

Founded in 1891, The New York Botanical Garden is the most comprehensive botanical garden in the world and an integral part of the cultural fabric of New York City, anchored in the Bronx. Visitors come to the Garden to connect with nature for joy, beauty, and respite, and for renowned plant-based exhibitions, music and dance, and poetry and lectures. Innovative children's education programs promote environmental sustainability and nutrition awareness, graduate programs educate the next generation of botanists, while engaging classes inspire adults to remain lifelong learners. The 250-acre verdant landscape—which includes a 50-acre, old-growth forest—and the landmark Enid A. Haupt Conservatory support living collections of more than one million plants. Unparalleled resources are also held in the LuEsther T. Mertz Library, the world's most important botanical and horticultural library with 11 million archival items spanning ten centuries, and William and Lynda Steere Herbarium, the largest in the Western Hemisphere with 7.8 million plant and fungal specimens. Committed to protecting the planet's biodiversity and natural resources, Garden scientists work on-site in cutting-edge molecular labs and in areas worldwide where biodiversity is most at risk.

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The New York Botanical Garden is located at 2900 Southern Boulevard, Bronx, New York 10458. For more information, visit nybg.org

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