

# Clay Nation: Indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for ALL!

featuring new work from:

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**Tuan Phan**  
**Kim Tucker**

**July 31 – August 28, 2010**  
**Reception: Saturday, July 31, 7 – 10 pm**

L2kontemporary is patriotically proud to present *Clay Nation: Indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for ALL!* The exhibition features new work from 10 top Los Angeles sculptors: Tetsuji Aono, Keiko Fukazawa, Joanne Horton, Jim Keville, Cindy Kolodziejski, Rich Mudge, Elaine Parks, Tuan Phan, Steve Rivers, and Kim Tucker.

As rugged individualists, they help form a more perfect union for the rest of us; a nation that is not only indivisible, but more importantly one that enables us to be free of the strictures of quotidian aesthetic expectations by exploring the concept of **3P** – the **Poised**, the **Precious**, and the **Preposterous** – in their work. I believe that theirs is some of the most adventurous sculpture to be found in these – or any other – disUnited States of America.

How do I know this? To know, know, know them is to love, love, love them and their work. It's visceral.

Hail! Hail! Rock 'n' Roll?  
Hail! Hail! To the Chiefs of Clay Nation!!!

*Ron Faranovich, curator*