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Art Rx

by Jillian Steinhauer on February 12, 2013

□ Chinese Democracy

When: Opens Saturday, February 16, 6–8 pm

Where: Postmasters (459 West 19th Street, Chelsea, Manhattan)

What is "Chinese democracy" supposed to be — a pun? If you want to find out, then be sure to check out New York—based Italian artist Federico Solmi's exhibition at Postmasters Gallery, mysteriously titled *Chinese Democracy and the Last Day on Earth*. Replete with crazy videos, crazy paintings, and crazy drawings, this outlandish show comically explores the decline of all Western civilizations through a buffet of symbolic characters and apocalyptic scenarios. —JDS

