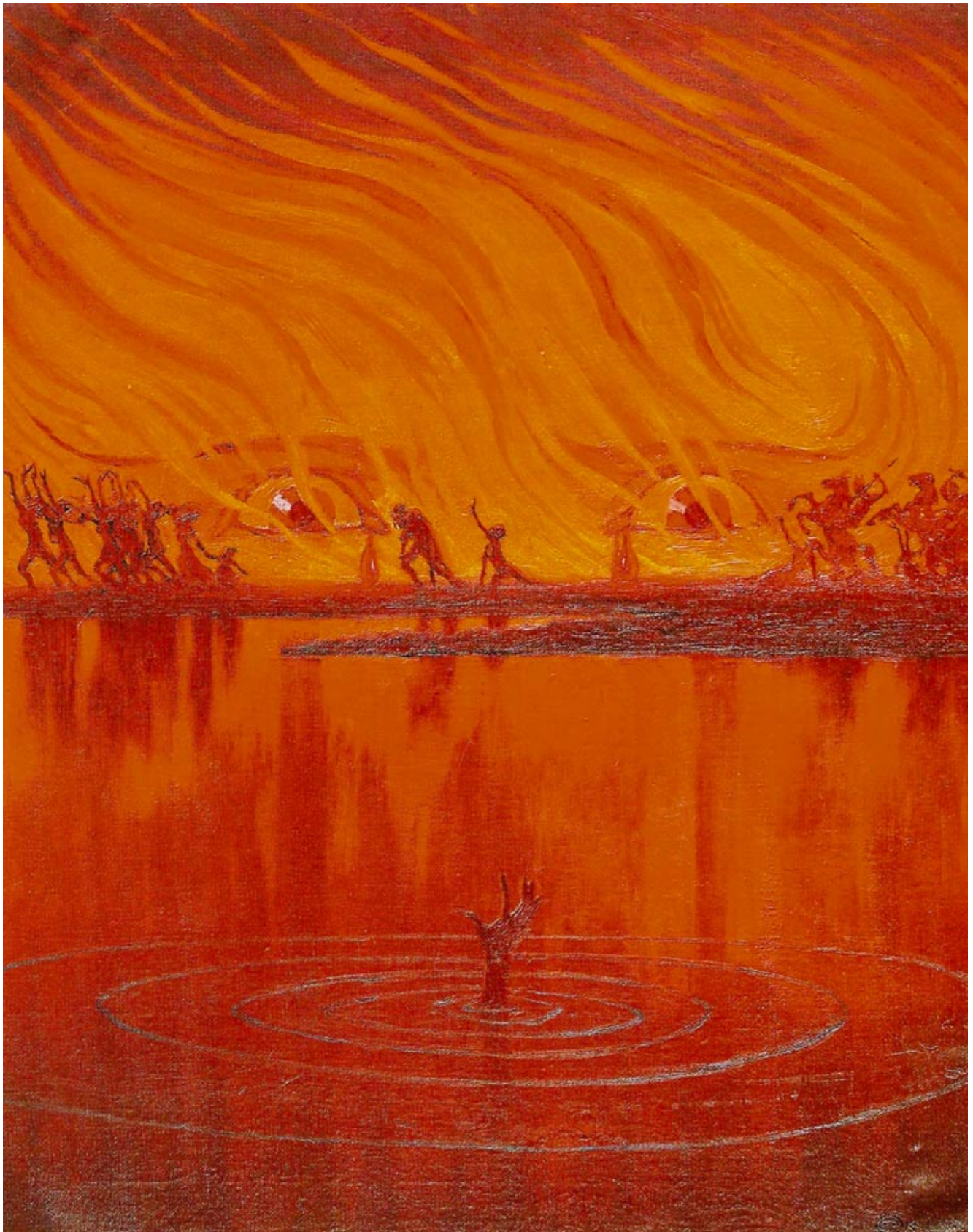


Not Everything in New York is Poetry

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With the Smoke of Fires, Edward Okun, 1916

“...little Eichmanns...”

The World Trade Center;

hit that day with two airliners,

smokes its inhabitants like a cigarette,

illuminating

the jumpers

who had no time for lunch,

and who slipped off the side

into the breach,

where no net could possibly save them.

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