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DENNIS OPPENHEIM
(American)

Scale model for *Engagement*

1995

copper, plastic, glass, wood, 30" x 30" x 25"

Gift of the Artist

Drawing study for *Engagement*

1995

pencil, colored pencil, pastel on paper,

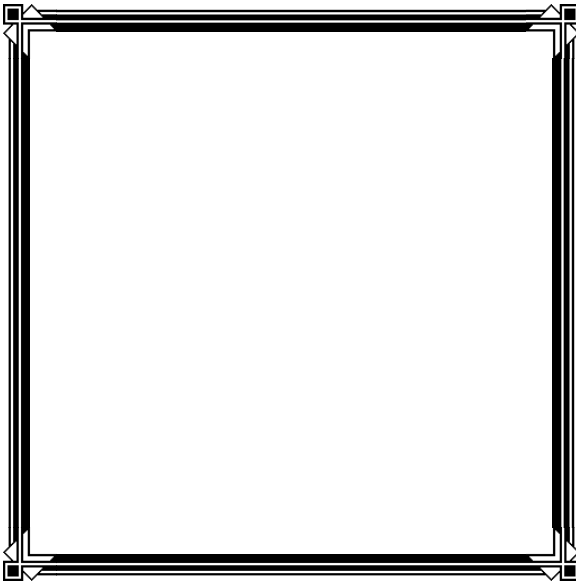
50" x 38"

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Oppenheim uses everyday things, like the rings to explore issues common to all people. In *Double Rings* he explores relationships.

Shown here is a drawing study and a scale model. The final version of this sculpture stands 30 feet high.

Make a drawing of an everyday object using colored pencils. Using materials such as recycled styrofoam, cereal boxes, and old egg cartons create a 3D model. Remember to include people to give a sense of scale.



Sculptors often draw to get ideas and then make 3D models of the sculptures.

