



**DINO PARAVANO**

Resides: Tucson, Arizona  
b. 1935, Rome, Italy

*Going Hunting*  
Cheetah  
Oil, 36 x 48

*From before sunset I followed these beautiful cats for miles as they scampered on mounds of high ground. Eventually, they came to rest on the one depicted and scoured the plains. Upon spotting a buck in the distance the mother ambled towards it, followed by her cubs, when suddenly she commanded them to*

*stop. She stalked stealthily then pounced into the high grass and came back carrying a small duiker in her mouth. She gave it to her cubs and lay down to watch them eat as there wasn't enough meat for her as well. It certainly made my day.*