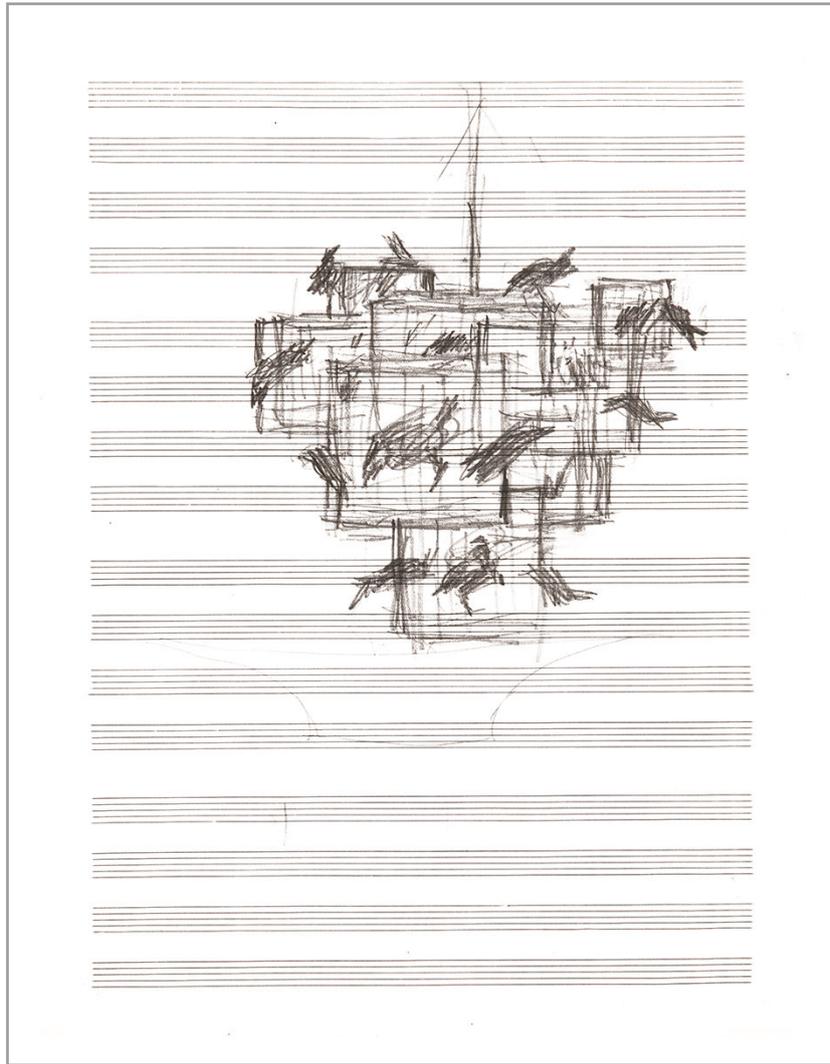


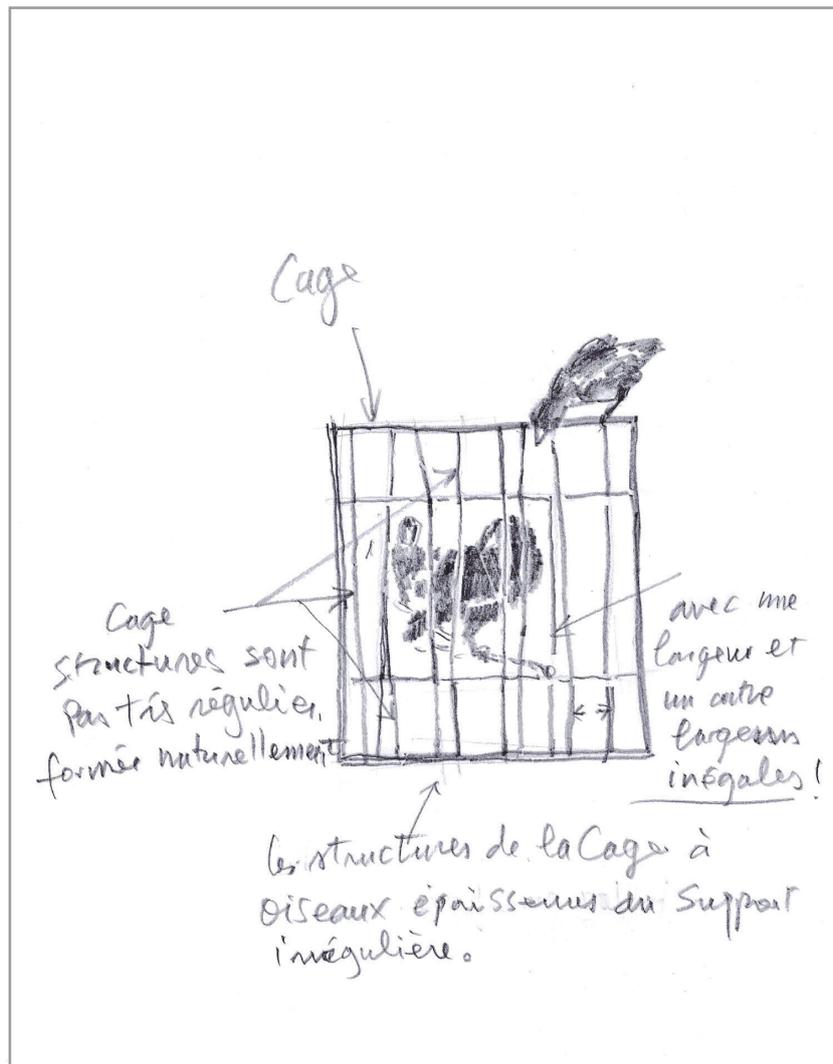
# About Concept

“Inside / Outside”



The birdcage symbolizes the choice between security and freedom.

Inside, the bird is protected, but it can neither fly nor dream. Outside, it faces risks, but it is free.



In the Garden of Eden, Adam and Eve lived without pain, but also without choice.

By taking a bite of the apple, they left that comfort to discover freedom — with its consequences.

Today, we often live in “invisible cages”: a stable life but without real freedom. Leaving them requires courage. Some prefer to stay inside, while others take the risk of living fully.



*Danger bird*  
2025  
oil on canvas  
130x195cm

But once outside, are we truly free? The free bird must learn, face the world, and sometimes get lost. Freedom is not easy, but it gives meaning to the flight.

“Biting the apple is a choice.  
And everyone, sooner or later, makes  
that choice.”

----- Ru Xiao Fan



*La tentation*  
2025  
oil on canvas  
150x200cm