

ARTISTS & PUBLISHERS

McCallum Gallery Opens in Toronto

Gary McCallum has fulfilled an adventure his soul has long craved with the opening of McCallum Gallery on Yonge Street, Toronto. Owner of Artistic Connections, publisher and artist



Gary McCallum, left, owner of McCallum Gallery, with Carlos Rodriguez, center, of Fotiou Frames and collector Ken McIver.

representative, Mr. McCallum's 1,100-square-foot gallery has an international flavor with artists Yana Movchan, Oksana Movchan, Vitali Movchan, Kornelija Ozolina, Tatiana Baker, Mr. McCallum himself, and illustrator Walter Lantz, as well as mouth-blown chandeliers from Ireland, Latvian ceramics, and Russian folk art. Call (416) 590-1704, www.mccallumgallery.com.

Brilliance in Color Hosts Hart Exhibit

Brilliance in Color recently conducted a large and historic event featuring the bronze and acrylic sculpture of Frederick Hart (1943- 1999).



"Daughters of Odessa" by Frederick Hart.

The gallery is one of four locations owned and operated by the Cutter family of St. Augustine, FL. The 5,000-square-foot gallery was filled with 70 bronze and acrylic elements, and a large group of Frederick Hart collectors attended two private dinner parties honoring his prestigious career. Also in attendance were Lindy Hart, widow of Frederick Hart, and Bob Chase Sr. of Chase Art Companies, representative of Hart's work. For Chase Art: www.chaseart.com; Cutter & Cutter, www.cutterandcutter.com.

Alvar's Work at Biblical Museum

Following his early creation of two Biblical themed lithograph suites, Alvar, whose work is represented by DE Fine Art, has turned his focus to creating a series of



a religious nature. Three of these works have subsequently been hung at the Museum of Biblical Art in Dallas. In related news, DE Fine Art is partnering with American artist Joe McFadden to represent his work in the U.S. The artist's oil paintings, featuring saints from daily life and historical significance, capturing humor and whimsy, retail for \$2,850 to \$12,750. For more information, call DE Fine Art, Atlanta, at (770) 300-9733 or visit the website: www.de-fineart.com.

Relationships Are Everything!

Arts Exclusive Gallery in Simsbury, CT, partners with several non-profits in the area believing that relationships are paramount. "That is what keeps different organizations alive," says Philip Janes, gallery owner. One such partnership his gallery has is with the Faith Mulira Health Care Center Inc., a U.S.-based not-for-profit that supported the construction of a new health-care facility in Masooli, Uganda. Today, monies raised go towards operating costs of the clinic. Through the partnership with Arts Exclusive, anyone purchasing a painting or sculpture who wishes to support the cause receives a 10% discount with another 10% going to the Masooli clinic. To reach Arts Exclusive, call (860) 651-5824 or visit: www.arts-exclusive.com.



"The Story Teller" by Jerry Geier, terracotta, (\$3,400).