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ArtScape Gallery

Fine Painting, Photography, Assemblage and Sculpture

532 El Dorado Street Rear, Pasadena CA 91101, Tue-Sat 12-6
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located one block east of the Pasadena Hilton hotel
 on the south-east corner of Oakland and El Dorado
 in the rear building



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ArtScapE Gallery is proud to announce its grand opening art show. The Premiere Exhibition displays creations from five members of the Pasadena Society Of Artists:

- Mark Smollin – paintings and constructions
- Chris Mathis – multi-media-assemblage
- Victor Picou – stone and terra-cotta sculpture
- Robert Michael Sullivan – nature and architecture photographs
- Linda Ternoir – fanciful acrylic paintings

5 PSA MEMBERS: Premiere Exhibition, 17 June - September 26
 Receptions: Friday 1 August 6-8 pm -&- Saturday 2 August 3-6 pm
 Join us for champagne, good conversation and great artwork

YELLOW CAR – 24" X 18" – ACRYLIC ON CANVAS



Linda Ternoir

Linda's acrylic paintings are characterized with a whimsical sense of life as displayed in her portraits and landscapes

DRILLED – 10" X 8" – ACRYLIC ON MASONITE



Mark Smollin

Light and drama dance in an evolving series of skyscapes heralding the magnificence of clouds

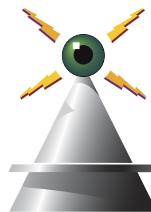
FIVE PREMIERE ARTISTS

ELEPHANT DREAM – 26" X 39" X 6" – ASSEMBLAGE



Chris Mathis

Imagination and found objects combine for a mind-bending series of multi-media assemblages



WINTER SUNSET – 18" X 12" – PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINT



Robert Michael Sullivan

Meticulous attention to detail and clean color are documented in this series of photographs on environmental subjects

PASSAGE – 15"W X 12" H X 6" – ALABASTER



Victor Picou

Graceful forms in natural materials mark Victor's work with organic abstractions and representational sculpture

DIRECTOR'S STATEMENT

I want to make it possible for everyone to afford a great piece of original art, and I am committed to offering beautiful things that bring meaning and joy to living.

Exhibitions are held quarterly at the ArtScapE studio gallery, representing my work and other talented members of the Pasadena Society Of Artists. Our artworks are made to thrill you; with craft, expression, slices of insight, and a sheer sense of beauty.

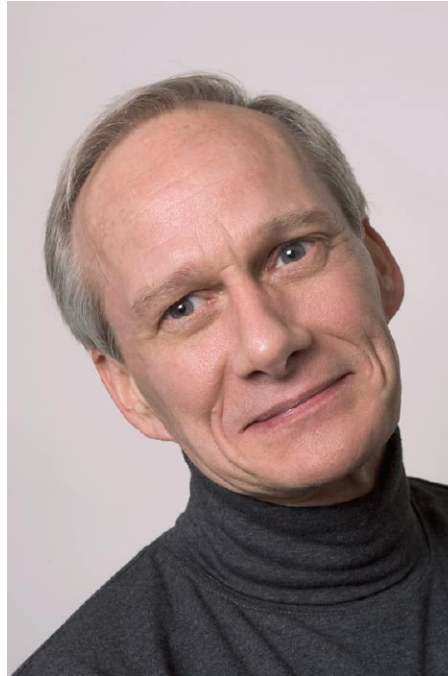
The gallery will display a discriminating selection of fine American Art to include; paintings, sculpture, photographs, assemblage, fiber-art, note cards, greeting cards and lithographs at any given time. Select pieces will represent different artistic disciplines such as watercolor, oil, acrylic and others, with a broad range of prices.

Visitors are welcome to enter our monthly Free Art Contest with the opportunity to win a limited edition lithograph, poster, or original painting.

Since limited wall space prevents showing the entire collection at one time, please visit smollin.com to view all available inventory, new works, and to stay abreast of the latest exhibition.

Art consulting services are available to enhance commercial and residential spaces. We also assist interior designers looking to generate visual excitement in their interior and exterior projects. Commissions are accepted for originals and upscale reproductions, with portfolios of over fifty artists to choose from. Please inquire by telephone or email about your specific requirements.

Commercial reproduction rights are also available for all of the pieces in the collection. Please contact us for a quote and include a complete description of the intended use.



Art appreciation is a very personal 'thing' because we evolve from different experiences and cultural backgrounds, so the gallery strives to provide enduring work that resonates with the human spirit. After all, art is a form of expression that others can relate to, which transcends the high-art-market and the opinions of experts. I extend a warm invitation to collectors and those looking to expand their interest in art.

A handwritten signature in a cursive script that reads "Mark".

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ABOUT THE DIRECTOR

Mark Smollin is an American painter who spent his childhood in Westport Connecticut where he was inspired by creative parents, famous local artists, and an exceptional high school art teacher who revealed the creative consciousness behind artwork. Following his initial interest in graphics, three years of experimental portrait painting were conducted in a hall closet after work to build his portfolio for college. It was only big enough to place a card table inside, so self-imposed assignments were performed sitting or standing in the hallway. The artist now makes his home in Pasadena California where he graduated from Art Center College of Design. His paintings have been reproduced in national publications, supporting the advertising industry, book publishers, motion picture studios, actors and musical talents. He is the recipient of awards from the Society Of Illustrators New York, the Society Of Illustrators Los Angeles and the California Art Club among others. Now that the ArtScapE Gallery is a dream realized, Mark is focused on the opportunity to represent fine creative talents from the Pasadena Society Of Artists and across the nation, while developing his series of skylscapes.