

The opening of the Tibor de Nagy Gallery in Houston, Texas, provides an occasion for looking backward, as well as forward, at the rapidly changing art scene in America; and it provides a happy occasion for re-stating our philosophy as true today, as valid, as when this manifesto was issued a quarter-century ago:

ANNOUNCING THE TIBOR DE NAGY GALLERY 206 East 53rd St., New York, N.Y.

We want, and will do our best to make, a gallery that will be unique because it is a spot where people will come a little out of their way because something must be seen. This is our idea: beckoning vision. If it is good vision, new vision, vision that intrigues, art will take care of itself. Poets have called the world an hallucination. Certainly, mankind has made the world, at times, beautiful enough and terrible enough to seem fleeting, intangible. But a gallery is real, tangible. This gallery is designed for the special tangibility that is the love of looking. However small the open treasure, looking will magnify it as it magnifies all gifts for the eye. Not only will painting and sculpture be here but also anything that an astonished or adoring eye might select instantaneously from the cinema of life . . . profoundly useless things, things unseen before, things to stay with awhile or forever. Even if, like Blake's lost children, our visitors lose the world transiently to come here, they will surely find and be found. They will be objects trouvés among objects trouvés, beheld by one another in joy. It was Hegel who said of the Greek statue that it looks back at you with the eye of its whole body. Our gallery means to do that, to be a unit. That is why we are putting our whole soul in it.

The Tibor de Nagy Gallery opened in 1950, at the beginning of a fabulous decade in which American art values were turned upside down, sufficiently so that Europe and the world looked to Manhattan as the scene where art was happening, a historic change of focus from Paris and Rome and London; and we commemorate today in Texas another decade of ferment with our Houston gallery's opening exhibition dedicated to a continuance of our values, structured on the bones of proven quality.

You Are Cordially Invited To The Opening Exhibition
Of The Tibor De Nagy Gallery
Showing Paintings By
WALTER DARBY BANNARD
And Sculptures By
PETER REGINATO
On Thursday, November 29
from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M.
The Exhibition Will Continue to
January 5, 1974 at 1106 Berthea, Houston.

PETER REGINATO

CHRONOLOGY

1945 – Born in Dallas, Texas 1963-1966 – Studied at San Francisco Art Institute 1973 – Winner of Allen Center Sculpture Competition, Houston

ONE-MAN EXHIBITIONS

1971-1973 – Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York City 1973 – University of Rhode Island

SELECTED COLLECTIONS

Chase Manhattan Bank Storm King Art Center Allen Center, Houston Sam Kootz, New York Richard Brown Baker, New York John W. Garrow, Houston

CATALOGUE OF THE EXHIBITION

- 1. Cover: FLATLANDS, 1973, steel plate, 7"x18"x14"
- 2. ANOTHER VIEW, 1972, steel plate, 52"x138"x84"
- 3. ZOOM, 1973, stainless steel, 22"x55"x35"
- 4. JOHN DEERE, 1973, steel plate, 16"x37"x28"
- 5. PIES PARTY PALACE, 1973, steel plate, 9"x22"x19"
- 6. MANHATTAN RAINBOW, 1973, steel plate, 10"x17"x14"
- 7. MOUNTAIN, 1973, steel plate, 8"x15"x13"
- 8. EARTHMOVER, 1973, steel plate, 13"x14"x13"

(Dimensions: height x length x width)

WALTER DARBY BANNARD

CHRONOLOGY

1934 - Born in New Haven, Connecticut

1950-1952 - Studied at Phillips Exeter Academy

1956 - B. A. Princeton University

1968 – Visiting Critic, Columbia University

1968-1969—John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowship National Foundation of the Arts Award

1971 - New Jersey State Museum Purchase Award

1972—Contributing Editor, ARTFORUM

SELECTED ONE-MAN EXHIBITIONS

1965-1969 - Tibor de Nagy Gallery, New York

1965, 1968-1970 - Kasmin Limited, London

1969-1970, 1973 - David Mirvish Gallery, Toronto

1970, 1972-1973 - Lawrence Rubin Gallery, New York

SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS

Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo

The Baltimore Museum of Art

Cleveland Museum of Art

Fogg Art Museum, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Michener Collection, University of Texas

Museum of Fine Arts, Boston

The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston

The Museum of Modern Art, New York

The Toledo Museum of Art

Whitney Museum of American Art, New York

CATALOGUE OF THE EXHIBITION

- Cover: CAROLINA HIGHLIGHTS, 1970, 117"x58"
- 2. PERU, 1971, 96"x51"
- BLUSH AND FLAME #1, 1970, 30"x45"
- 4. TAYLOR PLAZA #2, 1969, 30"x45"
- 5. THE SEASONS #8, 1970, 66"x99"
- 6. BLUSH AND FLAME #1, 1970, 66"x99"
- 7. VIOLA SUDAN #10, 1970, 66"x99"
- 8. YOUNG PHOENIX #2, 1970, 66"x99"
- GARDEN BOUND, 1970, 105"x120"
 PERISHING LANDS, 1970, 78"x93"
- 11. AMAZON, 1971, 78"x93"
- 12. WOODLAND WINE, 1971, 78"x93"
- 13. FAST IRON, 1963, 32"x34"
- 14. THE SHADOW, 1964, 32"x34"
- 15. SEPTEMBER IN VENICE, 1973, 66"x41"
- 16. AZALEAN, 1973, 50"x66"
- 17. WINTER PARK, 1973, 66"x46"
- WINTER PARK, 1973, 40"x28"
- 19. VERNAL, 1973, 20"x30"
- 20. SONATINA, 1972, 14"x10"
- 21. AEGEAN, 1972, 20"x10"
- 22. APRICOT SUNDOWN, 1973, 44"x66".
- 23. BRONZINE, 1973, 30"x66"
- 24. ATALANTA, 1973, 60"x66"

