

Canvas Paper and Stone Gallery

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Vilomorph, black wood painted by Joseph Paul Fox

Join the Journey of The Mystical Traveler

(April 18, 2008 — **New York**) Canvas Paper and Stone Gallery is pleased to feature Joseph Paul Fox in *Mystery In Black: A Cosmic Journey* in which he engages us on a mystical journey through his sculptures and collage. The Opening Reception will be held on Friday, May 2, from 6:00 - 9:00PM. The exhibition will run from May 2 through May 24, 2008 in the Gallery at 2611 Frederick Douglass Blvd, Studio 2N in Harlem, New York 10030. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Saturday, Noon to 6PM, and by appointment.

On first viewing Fox's work one is struck by the depth of feeling and sense of mystery evoked in each piece. His use of black and the complex construction strike a chord so that his description of himself as an "esoteric artist" feels authentic. While his work, like all good art, is thoughtful, this art transports you to a more spiritual place, a more meditative stance where everything is one thing and all things are connected — people, places, past, present — all things.

Joseph Paul Fox – The Mystical Traveler

Fox describes himself and his art this way:

I am forever grateful for this ongoing journey of the spirit and the co-creative energy that was given to me which enabled me to produce my sculptures, writings and music.

In my works of art, I reinterpret history, culture and the spiritual traditions of many cultures of people throughout the vast chain of time which shows that we are all linked together sharing the same story hued with many colors, shapes and symbols that are vehicles to empower the human spirit.

About the Gallery

Canvas Paper and Stone Gallery continues to lead the way in Harlem's cultural arts renaissance by producing an ever-changing array of imaginative and thought-provoking contemporary exhibits by established and emerging artists. Past exhibits include work by TAFE, Deborah Willis, Ray Llanos, Eric Henderson, Diane Waller, Dianne Smith, Mary Heller, Francks Deceus, Charly Palmer and Aleathia Brown. Viewers are welcome to access additional information and a copy of this press release on canvaspaperandstone.com.

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