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BORIS KARAFELOV

Boris Karafelov was born in 1946 near Tashkent, Uzbekistan. He graduated from Art College at Simferopol and worked as a stage and costume designer at the Tanganka Theater in Moscow from 1970 – 1980. He immigrated to Israel in 1990 and lives in Jerusalem. The works of Boris Karafelov can be found in the Pushkin Museum of Fine Arts in Moscow, the State Museum of Oriental Art (Moscow), Art Museum (Bratislava) and other galleries and private collections in Israel, Russia, USA, Canada, Holland, Spain, Germany, France, Belgium and other countries.

Immigrated to Israel in 1990, Boris Karafelov quickly became known as one of the young masters in contemporary Jewish Painting.” He is a persistent, academically trained painter, who speaks the language of Chagall and Kandinsky; however, he has forged ahead in a new direction that is captivatingly beautiful.

Karafelov utilizes an Impressionistic brush stroke and is an intensely brilliant colorist. His paintings consist of views of Russia and Israel; landscapes, biblical subjects and rich views of contemporary cultural life in Jerusalem. The newfound freedom in Israel has contributed joy and inspired light in his art .The traditions of the great Russian-Jewish painter are alive here. So is the innovation that stems from a reexamination of the previous century of art but with a fresh view point that indicates inimitable style.”

From Russia With Art Gallery is extremely proud to exhibit his art for the first time in New England and the Boston area and further enhance the discovery of his art.

Key Personal & Group Exhibitions:

- 1980 “My Contemporaries”, Moscow, USSR
- 1991 Raab Gallery, London, UK
- 1993 Gusfield & Gilmer Galleries, Chicago, USA
- 1995 “Jerusalem,” Exodus Gallery, Jerusalem
- 2001 “Personal Preferences,” Noviy Manezh, Moscow, Russia
- 2002 Israel Artists’ Union Exhibition, St.Petersburg, Russia
- 2004 Salt Lake City Cultural Center, USA
- 2010 “Man and Town,” Jerusalem Cultural Center, Israel