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The Museum of Fine Arts
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Invite You To:

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Museum of Fine Arts
107 West Palace Avenue
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Opening Reception

Friday, June 28th,

5:30 - 7:30 pm

Hosted by the

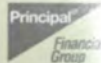
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ARTE LATINO: *Treasures from the Smithsonian American Art Museum* highlights more than 200 years of Latino art from the United States and Puerto Rico. The paintings, sculptures, and photographs in the exhibition represent many different cultural traditions developed by mostly Spanish-speaking artists who have settled in America. Whether U.S.-born or immigrants, whether Puerto Rican, Mexican American, Chicano, Cuban American, or from countries in Central or South America, the artists present human stories that are at once culturally specific and universal. They explore personal identity by examining the legacy of their past.

Powerful, provocative, contemplative, and proud, the artworks in this exhibition honor people and explore places. They attest to the uniqueness of the individual and of the rich and varied experience of being Latino in the United States.

Arte Latino is one of eight exhibitions in *Treasures to Go* from the Smithsonian American Art Museum, touring the nation through 2002. The Principal Financial Group® is a proud partner in bringing these treasures to the American people.



ARTE LATINO: *Tesoros del Museo de Arte Americano de la Smithsonian Institution* representa más de 200 años de arte latino de los Estados Unidos y Puerto Rico. Las pinturas, esculturas y fotografías que se exhiben son muestras representativas de numerosas tradiciones culturales creadas, en su mayor parte, por artistas de habla hispana establecidos en Estados Unidos. Bien se trate de artistas nativos de Estados Unidos o de inmigrantes, de puertorriqueños, chicanos, americanos de origen mexicano, cubano, centroamericano o sudamericano, las historias que presentan son, al mismo tiempo, culturalmente específicas y universales. Exploran la identidad personal a través del legado de su pasado.

Las obras que se presentan en esta exposición, obras con garra, emotivas, contemplativas y orgullosas, rinden homenaje a hombres y exploran el concepto de lugar. Dan testimonio de la singularidad del individuo y de la rica y diversa experiencia que supone ser latino en los Estados Unidos.

Arte Latino: *Tesoros del Museo de Arte Americano de la Smithsonian Institution* es una de ocho exposiciones de la serie *Tesoros* itinerantes, que realizarán una gira por el país hasta finales del 2002. El patrocinador, Principal Financial Group®, es un socio que se enorgullece de presentar estos tesoros al pueblo de Estados Unidos.

PROGRAMS WITH ARTISTS AND CURATORS FROM NEW MEXICO

St. Francis Auditorium Programs

SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2PM

"Los Dos Maestros"

Join artists Luis Jiménez and Jesús Moroles for a dynamic slide discussion led by Arte Latino curator Andrew Connors.

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 5:30PM

"Cipriano Vigil and Family in Concert"

Vigil brings tradition into the present with songs he writes in the *nueva canción* style, combining traditional guitar music with lyrics that comment on current social issues.

Voices in the Gallery

FRIDAY, JULY 5, 5 - 8PM

New Mexico artists exhibiting in the show will talk about their life and work during informal discussions in the New Wing Gallery. The Museum of Fine Arts is open on Free Friday Evenings all year.

FRIDAY, JULY 12, 5:30PM

Photographer Delilah Montoya with hip-hop artist Mike3Sixty

FRIDAY, JULY 26, 5:30PM

Weaver Irvin Trujillo

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2PM

Santera Gloria López Córdova

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 5:30PM

Multi-media artist Ramón José López

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, 5:30PM

Santero Charles M. Carrillo

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 5:30PM

Santero Felix López

Meet the Curators

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10, 12:15PM

Gallery Tour with curator Andrew Connors

SUNDAY, JULY 14, 2PM

Fireside Chat with Andrew Connors and Helen Lucero, both formerly with the Smithsonian American Art Museum, now both with the National Hispanic Cultural Center in Albuquerque. Hosted by MFA Curator of Education Ellen Zieselman. In the Women's Board Room.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 5:30PM

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