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Clifton KARHU (1927-2007) (woodblock)

- 1927 Born a twin in Duluth, Minnesota
1950-52 Studied at Minneapolis School of Art
1955 From this date, continuous residence in Japan

Exhibitions:

- 1961-63 Central Japan Pacific Art Society
1961 Gifu City Art Exhibit , Gifu Prefecture Art Exhibit
1962, 64 Gifu Watercolor Society
1962-65 Pacific Art Society
1962-67 Japan Watercolor Society
1963-68 Kyoto Print Society
1964-1998 Annually, Japan Print Association
1966-2006 Annually, College Women's Association Print Show
1966-2003 Numerous one-man shows in Tokyo, Yokohama, Numazu, Shizuoka
Toyama, Nagoya, Gifu, Kyoto, Osaka, Kobe, Himeji, Tottori, Hiroshima,
Fukuoka, and Okinawa as well as the United States, Southeast Asia and Europe
1976 Wako Department Store, Tokyo, produced by the Tolman Collection
1977 Elected Kyoto representative of Japan Print Association
1977-2017 Annual Christmas exhibition, The Tolman Collection, Tokyo
1981 Commission: The Tolman Collection 10th Anniversary Portfolio
1986 Solo retrospective, Tweed Museum, Duluth, Minnesota
1990 Solo retrospective, Retretti, Art Center, Finland
1991 Solo show, Hankyu Department Store, Tokyo
1994 Group show, Japanese Print Exhibit for Japan Week 94", Cairo
1999 "Miyabi" Five American Artists of Kyoto at Sogetsu gallery produced by
The Tolman Collection
2003 Group show, "Textures of Influence," University of Maryland University, USA
2007 Passed away in Kyoto

Commissions

- National Panasonic AIU Japan
Hong Kong Shanghai Banking Corporation IBM Japan
Business Week Cathay Pacific Airways
N H K Television of Kansai Boston-Kyoto Sister City Committee
Hong Kong Tourist Association

Collections

- Cincinnati Art Museum
East Asian Legal Studies Center, Harvard University
Kunst Museum, Salzburg
Minnesota Museum of Art, St. Paul, Minnesota
Museum of Fine Arts, Boston
Koger Properties, Florida
National Museum of Australia, Canberra