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SPECIAL EDITIONTHE GALISTEO STUDIO ART TOUR 2015

Below is a series of reflections on this year's studio tour written by some of the participating artists. Inside this edition is the first ever color coverage of the participating artists in their studios. Enjoy!

JUDY TUWALETSTIWA: Studio Tour was a great experience. People looked closely at the work, asked intelligent questions, discussed ideas. Those who bought my work responded to it from their heart. Yes, I was tired at the end of each day, but that was totally outweighed by how wonderful it felt to open my studio in the middle of Galisteo and to be part of a dialogue about art. And to be surprised.

The funniest incident: A man walked into my studio on Sunday and blared, in a Brooklyn accented voice, "So, what's dis? A synagogue?" I responded, "In a sense: it is my sacred space." He continued with New York Jewish humor, "That's a good answer. How long you been dovening here?" I said, "You know only men doven [rock while praying] but I've been working here for ten years." He looked around. "Hey, this is pretty good," he said. Pointing to a particular piece, he shouted, "How many scheckels for that?" When I told him the price, he said, "Either you're famous or you think you're famous." I almost fell on the floor laughing. When he left, I felt my studio had been blessed by a humor I recognized from my childhood.

KENNY CHAVEZ: My 2nd year as an honorary artist in the tour was, as last year, a wonderful experience. So many friends and family members from Galisteo came by to see me and my wonderful world of recycled folk art. Thanks for the opportunity.

RUBY RENSHAW: I had a wonderful experience my first tour --the creative journey was amazing!

AMY SEALOVE LYNN: I am proud to have been the chairman of the 2015 Galisteo Studio Tour. With the help of Barbara Seiler and the committees led by Cindy Lux, Anna Cardenas, Barbara King, Barbara Holloway and Judy Tuwaletstiwa, we had a great tour. Special thanks to: Ed Epping for his help with our brochure, Janet Pfeiffer for help with our bookkeeping, and our new neighbor, Estelle Berger, who guided us in getting our 501c3 status. And a special thanks to our generous anonymous donor who provided the funds. I'm looking forward to next year and another great studio tour.

ANNA CARDENAS: The best part of Studio Tour is meeting people who lived in Galisteo years ago or whose family did. This year we met up with two couples, and Freddie got to talking to one gentleman about their old neighborhoods in Santa Fe. His wife had family that used to live in Galisteo. It turns out I had already met Lorraine Sandoval a couple years ago on her visit to Galisteo trying to get into the old cemetery to look up relatives. I was telling her about Stella Maestas' "truth or myth" story published in El Puente recently and Lorraine said, "Oh, I've heard that one, but it wasn't a wedding". She told me her version, and gave me the phone number for Fannie Montoya, who knew personally the people involved in the incident. Her mother, Lucia Madril (married to Thomas Montoya) had an aunt named Lola Madril (a teenager then) who refused to dance with a young man with last name of Mora. She couldn't recall his first name. The next day Lola and her sister Sillo (Rosario) were walking to school and met up with the young man. He shot Lola and then turned the gun on himself. Sillo witnessed the whole thing. This was a tragic incident, and a corrido (a ballad) was written because of it. Fanny promised to mail me a copy of it with her translation. Although usually corridos state the day and year an event happened, she didn't know who wrote it or when. More to come!









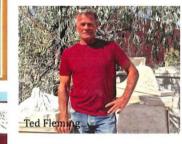




























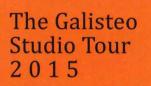


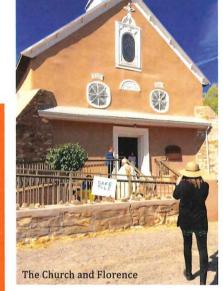






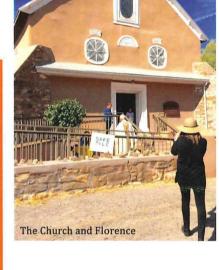






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AND FINALLY...

La Sala de Galisteo invites the community to the 3rd annual Los Pastores (a New Mexican Christmas play) performed by La Gran Pastorela from Belen. It is Sunday, Dec. 13, 2015 at 2pm at the GCC. A Native New Mexican potluck luncheon will be served around 12:30 at the center, followed by the play. Bizcochitos and hot cider will be provided afterwards.

Although there is no entrance fee, we like to give the players an honorarium. You can "sponsor" a character for \$25. To do so, contact Roger Taylor at 505-466-3469 or clearskynm@gmail.com.

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