



*COMMEMORATIVE
EXHIBITION*

Alois Lidauer
Sculptor
of
Salzburg, Austria

Sponsored by
Trinity Lutheran Church
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania

SUNDAY, JUNE 26, 1977
12 Noon to 10:00 P.M.

This exhibit is being held in conjunction with the
Commemorative Exhibition arranged by the City of Salzburg
from June 20 to July 13, 1977.

Alois Lidauer, famous 20th Century sculptor, was born in Austria in 1908 and died in 1975.

He began lessons in sculpturing when he was 8 years old; at 14 he was apprenticed to a woodcarver.

His formal education included studies at the Weimer Academy in Weimer, Germany, and at the Royal Academy of Arts in Stockholm, Sweden. He also studied in Vienna, Florence and Rome.

In his early years, Lois, as he preferred to be called, was a free lance artist and sculptor working in his own studio in Salzburg in marble, granite, bronze and wood.

Although his works are primarily of religious subjects, Herr Lidauer has many pieces of sculpture scattered throughout Austria. Among these the most famous are: "The Flute Player" for which his son modeled; "The Mounted Crusader, King Richard the Lionhearted" on the Danube near Vienna; a statue of St. Rupert, the Patron Saint of Salzburg.

His first trip to the United States was made in 1966 when Trinity Lutheran Church, Camp Hill, commissioned him for "The Instructive Christ" for the front of the Education Building. This was cut from a seven foot, one ton piece of Indiana limestone. He returned to this country in 1968 to create "The Resurrected Christ" for the Lutheran Church of Our Savior, Paxtang. His last trip was made in 1974 upon being commissioned by the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Lancaster, to sculpt "Christ and the Lamb." Upon completion of this work, he returned to Trinity Lutheran Church to create "The Good Shepherd" which rests in a quiet corner of the courtyard. This piece represents his last completed work.

While in America, he had exhibitions in Wilmington, Delaware, Kennett Square, and Fort Worth, Texas. Visitors to these exhibits not only had the opportunity to see, but also to purchase some of Lidauer's sculptures. Through the kindness and courtesy of many purchasers in this area, Trinity Lutheran Church is able to present this exhibit in commemoration of Alois Lidauer, Sculptor of Salzburg, Austria, creator of the beauty we behold this day, and days upon days to follow.

The "MADONNA OF CAMP HILL" in the garden of Dr. and Mrs. C. Raymond Dietz, Knob Hill, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania.



SCULPTURES LOANED FOR THIS EXHIBIT



"THE GOOD SHEPHERD"
in Courtyard of
Trinity Lutheran Church

1. "YOUNG GIRL" (Bronze) ...
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bink
Lemoyne, Pennsylvania
2. "BUST OF LUTHER BOWMAN" (Bronze) ..
Mrs. Luther Bowman
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
3. "THE GOOD SHEPHERD"
(Plaster Model of Piece in Courtyard) ...
Dr. Raymond Dietz
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
4. "HEAD OF DAUGHTER, LISA" (Wax) ...
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frank
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
5. "DOLL'S HEAD" (Wax) ...
6. "ST. CHRISTOPHER" (Wood) ...
7. "HEAD OF MRS. HUGHES" (Plaster) ...
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hughes
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
8. "ST. PETER, THE FISHERMAN" (Wood) ..
9. "BULL" (Bronze) ...
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lerch
Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
10. "THE PHILOSOPHER" (Bronze) ...
Mr. and Mrs. G. Palmer Lerch
Wilmington, Delaware

- 11. "ROBERT, RICHARD and RUSSELL" — Plaque of Sons (Bronze) ...
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lindgren, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
- 12. WORKING MODEL OF ABOVE PLAQUE (Wax) ...
- 13. "INSTRUCTIVE CHRIST" (Wood) ...
Mrs. Elizabeth Romberger, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
- 14. "FLUTE PLAYER" (Bronze) ...
- 15. "DAVID, THE YOUNG BOY" (Wood) ...
Mrs. Hans Romberger, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
- 16. "MOTHER AND CHILD" (Wood) ...
Miss Jean Romberger, Camp Hill, Pennsylvania
- 17. "ST. PETER, THE FISHERMAN" (Wood) ...
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Romberger, Lisburn, Pennsylvania
- 18. "BULL" (Bronze) ...

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