

The Art of Love Exhibition of Melinda Camber Porter's Art, Books and Film (1986 to 1996)

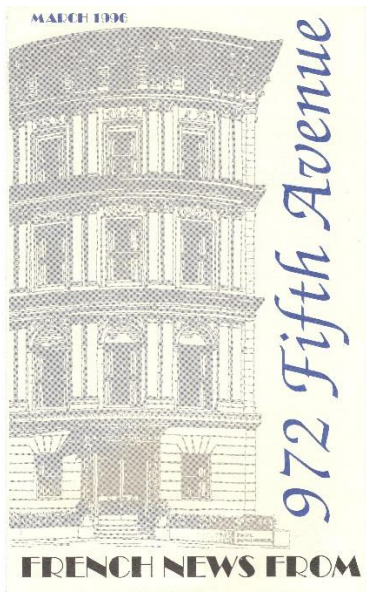
Melinda Camber Porter *Art of Love Exhibition* Venue
New York City Cultural Services of the French Embassy
September 17 - October 1, 1993

The French Cultural Services of New York initiated and sponsored in part the *Art of Love Exhibition and Tour* of Melinda Camber Porter's art, books and film in the USA.

Through Parisian Eyes by Melinda Camber Porter was important to the English-speaking America, as way to introduce important French cultural leaders and their ideas. With the success of Melinda Camber Porter's book and art reception at the French New York Cultural Center, the Director of the Center, Philippe Reliquet, asked other French Cultural offices and Alliance Francaise centers around America to consider holding similar *Through Parisian Eyes* book parties and art exhibitions with Melinda Camber Porter. Thus, The Art of Love Exhibition of Art, Books and Film of Melinda Camber Porter was born.

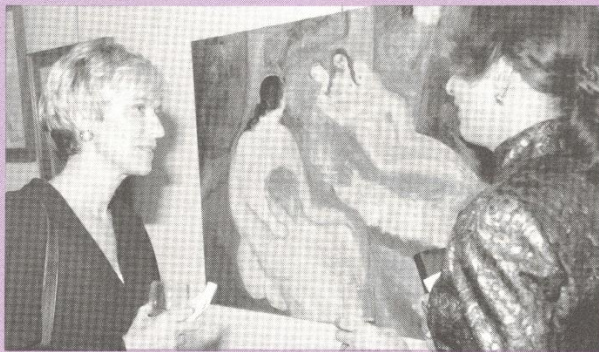
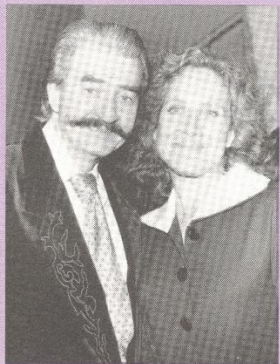
Melinda Camber Porter's *Through Parisian Eyes* along with twenty-two paintings of her paintings traveled around America from 1993 through 1996. The French Cultural Services hired, documentary filmmaker Michael Camerini, who produced a film on Melinda Camber Porter's art, journalism and love of French Culture from her time in Paris and entitled, *The Art of Love*, which was shown on over 140 USA Public Television stations during the four years of the Art of Love Exhibition.

The result was Melinda Camber Porter's *Through Parisian Eyes* and the *Art of Love Tour* went to the following venues in America: New York French Cultural Center (1993); The French Boston Library (1994); Chicago Alliance Francaise (1994); Houston Alliance Francaise (1994); San Francisco Alliance Francaise (1994); Washington DC French Embassy (1994); New Orleans Alliance Francaise (1995); Hartford Alliance Francaise and The West Hartford art League (1995); Miami Alliance Francaise (1995); Sioux Falls, South Dakota Civic Art Center (1996); Golden, Colorado Foothills Art Center (1996); Casper, Wyoming Nicolaysen Art Museum (1996); and started with Melinda Camber Porter's *Through Parisian Eyes* lecture at La Maison Francaise, New York University (1986).



On September 21, the French Embassy in New York City honored Melinda Camber Porter with a champagne reception to inaugurate her exhibition of paintings, drawings, and poetry titled *The Art of Love*. The exhibition is scheduled to travel to major cities throughout the United States. Melinda's two books, *The Art of Love: Love Poems and Paintings* and *Through Parisian Eyes*, were recently published.

At the reception, pictured clockwise from top: Melinda Camber Porter with Philippe Reliquet of the French Embassy; WNET-TV's Kathy Novak; Lady Margot Bright with *New Yorker* editor Tina Brown; Jane Wesman with artist Leroy Neiman.



Denis Delbourg
Cultural Counselor of the
French Embassy

requests the pleasure of
your company
at a reception to honor

Melinda Camber Porter

upon the publication of her books

Through Parisian Eyes
&
The Art of Love: Love Poems and Paintings

Tuesday, September 21, 1993
6:00 to 8:00 PM
R.S.V.P. 212-439-1424

The Cultural Services of the
French Embassy
972 Fifth Avenue at 79th Street
New York City

A major exhibition
of paintings by the author
will be on view at the Embassy
September 17 - October 1, 1993
Monday - Friday, 9:30 - 5:00

THE ART OF LOVE



Love Poems and Paintings

An exhibition of works by

Melinda Camber Porter

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American venues:

USA Public Television Stations, the film, *The Art of Love* (1993-1996)

New York French Cultural Center (1993)

French Boston Library (1994)

Chicago Alliance Francaise (1994)

Houston Alliance Francaise (1994)

San Francisco Alliance Francaise (1994)

Washington DC French Embassy (1994)

New Orleans Alliance Francaise (1995)

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La Maison Francaise, New York University, Lecture (1986)

www.MelindaCamberPorter.com

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Melinda_Camber_Porter

Melinda Camber Porter's YouTube Channel Home:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCiflCaF2qpHh8uQgffSXLQ>