

Clive Barker

Artist's Statement

Once asked by an interviewer what he wanted (besides his name) on his tombstone, Clive Barker replied: "Imaginer." Imagination is the force that brings his work as a painter into being and the fuel that sustains the process.

Imagining Man

Photography has become a fruitful meeting place for a number of my passions. In these pictures you will find my love of the theatre and of fantastic cinema; of masks and of painting; and of course, centrally, of the naked male body.

Clive Barker, London, Oct 14, 2009

Bio

Clive Barker was born in Liverpool, England in 1952. He works as a novelist, poet, painter, photographer, film director and producer. He now lives in Los Angeles.

Clive Barker Resume

Solo Exhibitions

2010

Scream Gallery, London, UK

2009

Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

2008

Alix Sloan Fine Art, New York, NY

Packer-Schopf Gallery, Chicago, IL

2007

Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

2005

"Visions of Heaven and Hell (And Then Some)," Bert Green Fine Art, Los Angeles, CA

2003

"Abarat Paintings", Pacific Design Center, Los Angeles, CA

1997

"One Flesh", La Luz De Jesus Gallery, Los Angeles, CA

1995

"The Imagination Of Clive Barker", The Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach, CA

1993

Bess Cutler Gallery, New York, NY

Group Exhibitions

2010

BeeRotica, The Hive, Los Angeles, CA

Polyester Gallery, Omaha NE

Draw: Museo de la Ciudad de Mexico, Mexico City, Mexico

2009

Dirty Show, Los Angeles, CA

"Dark Art 3", Sidney & Berne Davis Art Center, Ft. Myers, FL

Gallery Provocateur, Chicago, IL

Dirty Show, Detroit, MI

2008

"Draw", Shooting Gallery, San Francisco, CA

The Hive, Los Angeles, CA

Art Squared, "Abra Macabre," Pershing Square, Los Angeles, CA

"Two Madmen: The Art of Clive Barker and Myron Dyal," Ben Maltz Gallery, Otis College of Art & Design, Los Angeles, CA

"Draw," Stolen Space Gallery, London, UK

2007

Lacy Street Arts, Los Angeles, CA

Out of Line, 4 Walls Gallery, San Diego, CA

"Tarantula Season: Dance of Four Artists," 4 Walls Gallery, San Diego, CA

"Draw," Gallery Lombardi, Austin, TX

2006

"Small Wonders", Pharmaka Art, Los Angeles, CA

"Draw", Fuse Gallery, New York, NY

1993

Clive Barker, Illustrator, Vol. 2, Text By Fred Burke
Los Angeles Art Fair, Los Angeles, CA

1990

"Frontier Tales", LACE. Los Angeles

Clive Barker, Illustrator, Vol. 1, Text By Fred Burke