



## ABROAD IN AMERICA: VISITORS TO THE NEW NATION

United States National Portrait Gallery (Smithsonian) celebrated America's Bi-centennial in 1976 with an exhibition honoring visitors to the U.S. who made a significant impact on the nation. In its publication we read the following: "The swami (VIVEKANANDA) charmed audiences with his magical oratory, and left an indelible mark on America's spiritual development."