

GAIL SEVERN GALLERY

October 3, 1994

To whom it may concern,

Below is an appraisal of artwork owned by:

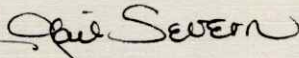

Donald and Mary Kayser  
4909 Roberts Road  
Boise, ID 83705

**ARTWORK APPRAISAL**

ARTIST: Alden Mason  
TITLE: September Bouquet  
MEDIUM: Acrylic on canvas  
SIZE: 42" x 36"  
DATE: 1994  
VALUE: \$3,850

This appraisal, which is being made solely for insurance purposes, represents our estimate of the probable cost to replace the work with a similar work, to the extent that this may be possible. Pursuant to the rules of the Art Dealers Association of America, this appraisal is made with that understanding.

Sincerely,

  
  
Gail Severn



## Alden Mason

**BORN:**

1919 in Everett, WA

**EDUCATION:**

- 1981 Retired from teaching to paint full time
- 1947 University of Washington, MFA
- 1947 Joined faculty at University of Washington

**SELECTED INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITIONS:**

- 1992 Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle  
Laura Russo Gallery, Portland
- 1991 Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle
- 1990 Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle (catalog)  
Griffith Gallery, Steven Austin State University, Nacogdoches, TX  
Elaine Horwitch Gallery, Santa Fe  
Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland
- 1989 McMurtrey Gallery, Houston  
Alden Mason-First Prints Wentz Gallery, Pacific Northwest College  
of Art, Oregon Art Institute, Portland  
Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle
- 1988 New Paintings and Drawings Koehler Gallery, Whitworth College,  
Spokane, WA  
Alden Mason-New Paintings and Drawings, Stremmel Gallery, Reno  
Alden Mason- A Selective Survey The Art Gym, Marylhurst College,  
OR, curated by Terri Hopkins  
Jamison/Thomas Gallery, Portland, OR
- 1987 Alden Mason- A Selective Survey, Henry Art Gallery, University of  
Washington, Seattle curated by Chris Bruce (catalog)  
Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle
- 1986 Alden Mason Drawings, Seattle Art Museum, curated by Bruce  
Guenther (catalog)  
Stephen Wirtz Gallery, San Francisco
- 1985 Fountain Gallery, Portland  
Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle
- 1984 Fairbanks Gallery, University of Oregon, Eugene  
Greg Kucera Gallery, Seattle
- 1983 Tortue Gallery, Los Angeles  
Fountain Gallery, Portland
- 1982 Diane Gilson Gallery, Seattle  
Carson Sapiro Gallery, Denver



SELECTED INDIVIDUAL EXHIBITIONS: continued

- 1981 Charles Cowles Gallery, New York
- 1980 Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver, B.C.  
Diane Gilson Gallery, Seattle
- 1979 Diane Gilson Gallery, Seattle
- 1978 Kiku Gallery, Seattle  
University Art Gallery, University of North Dakota, Grand Forks
- 1977 Allan Stone Gallery, New York
- 1976 Tacoma Art Museum, WA  
Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver, B.C.
- 1975 Polly Friedlander Gallery, Seattle (catalog)  
William Sawyer Gallery, San Francisco  
Ruth Schaffner Gallery, Los Angeles
- 1974 Washington State University, Pullman  
Allan Stone Gallery, New York  
Polly Friedlander Gallery, Seattle
- 1973 Denver Art Museum  
Polly Friedlander Gallery, Seattle  
Portland Center for the Visual Arts
- 1972 Gerard John Hayes Gallery, Los Angeles  
Polly Friedlander Gallery, Seattle
- 1970 Polly Friedlander Gallery, Seattle
- 1969 Gordon Woodside Gallery, San Francisco
- 1971 Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver, B.C.  
Gerard John Hayes Gallery, Los Angeles
- 1969 Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver, B.C.
- 1967 Gordon Woodside Gallery, Seattle  
Gordon Woodside Gallery, San Francisco
- 1966 Esther Robles Gallery, Los Angeles  
Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver, B.C.
- 1965 Bau-Xi Gallery, Vancouver, B.C.  
Gordon Woodside Gallery, Seattle
- 1962 Henry Art Gallery, University of Washington, Seattle
- 1958 Seattle Art Museum
- 1957 Zoe Dusanne Gallery, Seattle  
Seattle Art Museum
- 1955 Henry Art Gallery, University of Washington, Seattle
- 1954 Creative Galleries, New York
- 1949 Seattle Art Museum
- 1946 Henry Art Gallery, University of Washington, Seattle



# SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS:

- 1993 17th Annual Holiday Group Show, Gail Severn Gallery, Ketchum, ID
- 1992 44th Annual Academy- Institute Purchase Exhibition, American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, New York  
It Figures: The Human Image in Art, Index Gallery, Clark College, Vancouver, WA  
Spirit of the West, traveling exhibition, sponsored by West One Bank
- 1991 Celebrations and Ceremonies, Security Pacific Gallery, Seattle  
Sandy Carson Gallery, Denver  
National Governor's Association Exhibit, Convention Center, Seattle
- 1990 Artworks for AIDS, Seattle Center Pavilion (catalog)  
Views and Visions, Seattle Art Museum  
Northwest X Southwest: Painted Fictions, Palm Springs Desert Art Museum, traveling exhibition (catalog)
- 1989 41st Annual Academy- Institute Purchase Exhibition, American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, New York  
1989 Northwest Annual, Center on Contemporary Art, Seattle, curated by Nancy Spero and Leon Golub  
Painting and Sculpture by Candidates for Art Awards, American Academy and Institute of Arts and Letters, New York
- 1988 Contemporary Survey: A Visible Presence in the Northwest, Cheney Cowles Museum, Spokane, WA, curated by Beth Sellers  
School of Art 1975-1988, SAFECO Insurance Companies, Seattle, curated by Matthew Kangas  
West Coast Contemporary, Sierra Nevada Museum of Art, Reno
- 1987 After Images, The Art Gym, Marylhurst College, OR  
After Images, Sarah Spurgeon Gallery, Central Washington University, Ellensburg  
Focus: Seattle, San Jose Museum of Art, CA (catalog)  
Northwest '87, Seattle Art Museum, curated by Bruce Guenther
- 1986 Drawing Power: Northwest Invitational Drawing Show, Lynn McAllister Gallery, Seattle (catalog)  
Heads, Whatcom Museum of History and Art, Bellingham, WA  
Northwest Impressions: Works on Paper, Henry Art Gallery, University of Washington, Seattle, curated by Chris Bruce  
25th Anniversary Exhibition, Fountain Gallery, Portland (catalog)  
West Coast Drawing, University of Oregon, Eugene, traveling exhibition
- 1985 Bumberbiennale, Bumbershoots Arts Festival, Seattle, curated by Matthew Kangas  
Possibilities: Studies and Other Works, Vancouver Art Gallery, B.C.  
Seattle Sampler, Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma, WA



SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS: continued

- 1969 Spirit of the Comics, Institute of Contemporary Art, University of Pennsylvania, circulated by the American Federation of the Arts (catalog)
- 1969 Governor's Invitational Exhibition of Washington Artists, State Capitol Museum, Olympia
- 1967 Northwest Annual, Seattle Art Museum
- 1966 35 Seattle Artists, Kobe Municipal Art Museum, Japan Invitational, Portland Art Museum
- 1965 Art Across America, San Francisco Museum of Modern Art
- 1964 Governor's Invitational Exhibition of Washington Artists, State Capitol Museum, Olympia
- 1962 Northwest Art Today, Seattle World's Fair
- 1961 Northwest Annual, Seattle Art Museum
- 1960 Abstract Expressionism in the West, San Francisco Art Institute, traveling exhibition
- 1958 Art USA National, Nordess Gallery, New York
- 1951 Northwest Annual, Seattle Art Museum

COMMISSIONS:

- 1988 Lunar Promenade, Washington State Convention Center, 5'x 18'
- 1987 Seattle City Light Promenade, four murals, Seattle City Light Building, 4'x 13' each
- 1982 Yellow Bird, Renton District Court, Washington, 3'x 11.5'
- Portland Rose, Portland Justice Center, 6'x 9'
- Big Chief Seattle, Sheraton Hotel, Seattle, 5'x 24'
- 1981 Two Murals in Washington State Senate Chambers, Olympia, 12'x 44' each (removed in 1989)

AWARDS:

- 1992 WESTAF/NEA Regional Fellowship for Visual Artists for distinguished achievement in painting
- 1988 King County Artists Commission Award

SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS:

Archer M. Huntington Gallery, University of Texas, Austin  
Bellevue Art Museum, WA  
Charles B. Goddard Center for the Arts, Ardmore, OK  
Denver Art Museum  
Evergreen State College, Olympia, WA  
Harborview Hospital, Seattle



SELECTED PUBLIC COLLECTIONS: continued

Henry Art Gallery, University of Washington, Seattle  
Meany Hall, University of Washington, Seattle  
Milwaukee Art Museum, Wisconsin  
Newport Harbor Art Museum, Newport Beach, CA  
Oregon Art Institute, Portland  
Palm Springs Desert Museum  
Renton City Art Collection, WA  
San Francisco Museum of Art  
Seattle Art Museum  
Seattle Arts Commission  
Spokane City Art Collection, WA  
Tacoma Art Museum, WA  
University of Oregon Museum of Art  
Washington State Arts Commission  
Washington State University Art Museum, Pullman  
Whatcom Museum, Bellingham, WA

SELECTED CORPORATE COLLECTIONS:

Alaska Airlines Corporation, Seattle  
Alexis Hotel, Portland  
Atlantic Richfield Corporation, Los Angeles  
Axelrod Investment, Seattle  
Betts, Patterson and Mines Law Firm, Seattle  
Bogle and Gates, Seattle  
Cairncross, Ragen & Hempelmann Law Firm, Seattle  
Cornerstone Development Company, Seattle  
Cromwell, Mendoza Law Firm, Seattle  
Dain Bosworth, Minneapolis  
Davis, Wright and Jones Law Firm, Seattle  
Data & Staff Service Company, Seattle  
Federal Reserve Bank, San Francisco  
Hillis, Cairncross Law Firm, Seattle  
Idaho First National Bank, Boise  
KING Broadcasting Company, Seattle  
KMS Financial Services, Seattle  
Mercantile Bank of Canada, Vancouver  
Microsoft Corporation, Redmond, WA  
Miller and Young Law Firm, Washington D.C.  
Nordstrom, San Francisco  
Oaks Landing Investment Firm, Portland  
Pease & Doces Law Firm, Seattle  
Perkins, Coie, Seattle