

Feria Maestros del Arte

November 11, 12 & 13

10 am to 4 pm ^ Admission 30 pesos (for all 3 days)

La Huerta, Ajijic (Carretera Ajijic-Jocotepec just past the cemetery)

Art Exhibition

- ***José Luis Cerda Báez** (*Michoacán*) - Woodcarving in the Paracho style
- ***Armando Gaeta Loera** (*Jalisco*) - *Piteado*, embroidering the *piteado* on leather
- ***Nefthalí Ayungua Suárez** (*Michoacán*) - Green Pineapple & Natural Glaze Pottery
- ***José Ojeda** (*Jalisco*) - Cutlery - world renowned
- ***Emilio Molinero Hurtado** (*Michoacán*) - Burnished pottery
- ***Hilario Alejos Madrigal** (*Michoacán*) - Pineapple Pottery
- ***Domingo Hernandez** (*Michoacán*) - Black Glazed Ceramics
- **Catalina Martines Benito** (*Michoacán*) - Whimsical devil figures
- **Artesanías Casal** (*Guanajuato*) - *Mayólica* ceramics
- **Andrés Mendoza** (*Jalisco*) - Straw art
- **Paola Rosendo** (*Guerrero*) - Finely painted lacquerware
- **Felipe Benitez Miranda** (*Guanajuato*) - *Alebrijes* & Mexican paintings
- **Miguel Gardía Calderón** (*Michoacán*) - Acclaimed for *rebozos* woven so fine you can pull them through a wedding ring
- **Manuel Ruiz Martinez** (*Oaxaca*) - from a weaving family for generations (wool & cotton rugs)
- **Sandro Estrada Guerrero** (*Jalisco*) - Pre-Hispanic statuary
- **Juan Orta Castillo** (*Michoacán*) - Hand-carved masks (one of the most sought after maskmakers in Mexico)
- **Enrique Badillo Aguilar** (*Guanajuato*) - Punched Tin Work extraordinaire
- **Alvaro de la Cruz** (*Michoacán*) - *Catrin*as (the animated skeletons dressed in elegant finery.)
- **Centro de Integración Tapalpa** (*Jalisco*) - Unique school dedicated to nurturing the creative potential of special-needs children through paper *mache* using recycled garbage (cardboard, plastic coca-cola bottles, etc.)
- **Ruth Cortés Rodriguez** (*Guanajuato*) - *Alpacca* Silver
- **Alfareros de Patamban** (*Michoacán*) - Porcelain dishes and ceramics
- **Bordados de Santa Cruz** (*Michoacán*) - Guild of women who embroider scenes of daily Mexican life on cotton
- **Jorge Parada López** (*Guanajuato*) - Finely woven Panama hats
- **Martin Ibarra** (*Jalisco*) - Virgins and other extraordinary ceramic pieces
- **José Flores** (*Jalisco*) - Original designed clothing with silk embroidery
- and some surprises!!

& a charity raffle of one piece of art per Maestro on Sunday

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*The artists designated with a * are featured in the art book "Great Masters of Mexican Folk Art" published by Banamex/Fomento Cultural