Chaim Bezalel and Yonnah Ben Levy

(signing collaboratively as Bezalel-Levy)

Stanwood House in Stanwood, Washington is the home, studios, and private gallery of artists, Chaim Bezalel and Yonnah Ben Levy.

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Bezalel-Levy is the combined signature of Chaim Bezalel and Yonnah Ben Levy, a husband and wife collaboration. Yonnah studied at Whitman College and the Corcoran Museum in Washington, D.C. And has a Masters of Art for Teachers from UW. Chaim studied film at Northwestern University. We have been collaborating since 1990 on mixed media paintings combining photography and acrylics on rice paper or linen. In 2002 we opened Stanwood House Gallery & Art Center, in Stanwood, Washington in a restored, hundred year old landmark building to which we added modern, architecturally designed studios which serve as a teaching center.

The triptych painting in the exhibit is from our series, "Pacific Scrolls." Our idea is to reference, not copy, Oriental scrolls while using our own technique which we developed 18 years ago, while living in Israel. The series began a traveling exhibit at Coos Art Museum in Oregon, and has since been exhibited at other museums and galleries. Some are in public or private collections including the Museum of Northwest Art, the City of Seattle, Snohomish County Courthouse, several colleges and hospitals in the region.

We have other bodies of work, both individual and collaborative, in painting, sculpture, and ceramics. Recent exhibits include the Cambridge University Museum in England, the Eretz Museum in Israel as well as local and regional individual and group shows. In addition, we have participated for more than 20 years in the annual Camano Island Studio Tour and are active members of a commission that is establishing a large art center in Stanwood.





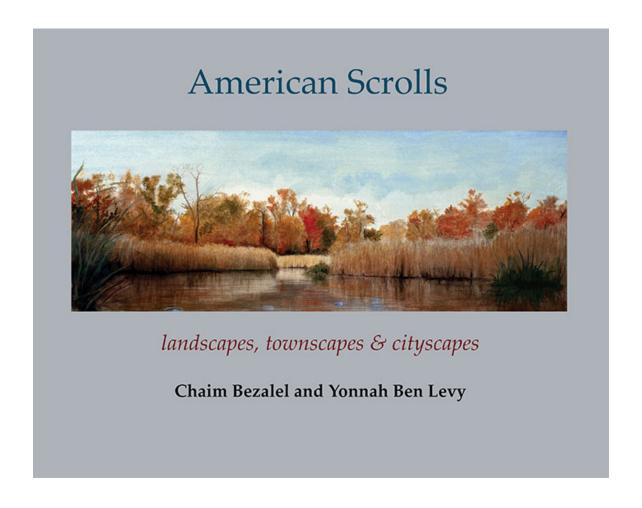
Cascade Autumn, 24 x 96 for Providence Everett Hospital



Fishing on Lake Wenatchee, 24 x 70 for Snohomish County Courthouse



Swans and Freight Train, Stanwood (collection of the artists)



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