

## **EMBODIMENTS OF WISDOM**

 EXHIBITION DATES:
 MARCH 18 - 27, 2010

 ASIA WEEK WEEKEND:
 MARCH 20 and 21, 11:00 - 5:00

China 2000 Fine Art is delighted to invite you to view a thematically oriented exhibition of Chinese paintings, calligraphy and scholar objects entitled Embodiments of Wisdom. From a Yuan dynasty painting of Buddha Vast Myriad Virtue of the Zenith to a painting of literati pursuits by a contemporary artist, An Ho, to a Ming dynasty painting by Zhang Ling to the scholar objects on the literati desk to the contemplative aura of scholar rocks, reverence for knowledge and understanding is a pervasive theme in Chinese art. The flow of intellectual acumen from one generation to the next allows a smooth interplay among works of different generations and different media. Please join us in our relaxed townhouse setting to reflect, deliberate and engage in lively dialogue.



Two Monks in the style of Li Gonglin (1049-1106), Ink on silk, 8.5 x 6.75 inches





Buddha Vast Myriad Virtue of the Zenith, Yuan dynasty (1271-1368), Ink and color on silk, 43 x 20 inches, Inscription by Liu Haisu





Exchanging the White Goose for the Classic Text by Zhang Ling, (late 15th – early 16th century, Ming dynasty), Ink and color on paper, 27 x 10½ inches, from the collections of Huang Wen (Qing dynasty), and Wang Fangyu (1913 – 1997)





Scholar Beneath a Pine by Pu Ru (1896-1963), Ink on paper, 17% x 11 inches, Signed with one artist seal





Birds and Tree, 1956, by An Ho (b. in 1927 in Beijing), Ink and color on paper, 66 x 31 inches, Inscribed by Pu Ru (1896-1963)





Giving the Lyrics, 1954, by An Ho (b. in 1927 in Beijing), Ink and color on paper,  $68 \ge 37\frac{1}{2}$  inches. Colophon by Zhang Mojun (1883 – 1965).





Guanyin, 1999, by An Ho (b. in 1927 in Beijing), Ink and color on silk,  $24 \ensuremath{^{1\!}/_{\!\!\!2}} x \, 17 \ensuremath{^{1\!}/_{\!\!2}}$  inches





Xu Bing (b. 1955) Square Word Calligraphy – Wang Wei poem, 2005, Ink on paper, 47 x 27 inches (total scroll height 84 inches)



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Couplet in Oracle Bone Script by Sun Jin (1866-1952), dated 1944, Ink on paper, 50 x 8½ inches each



Calligraphy about Gu Kaizhi (341-402) by Jiang Deliang (1752-1793), Ink on color hand-painted paper, 48½ x 15¼ inches





Tall Lingbi Scholar Rock with Elm base, 23½ (H) x 17¼ (W) x 8¾ (D) inches (including the pedestal)









Duan Inkstone with calligraphy by Jin Nong (1687-1763) and Zheng Xie (1693-1765), Qing dynasty, 8 (W) X 6 (D) X 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> (H) inches





Marble Seal engraved on two sides, 19th century, 1-15/16 (W) x 1% (D) x 2-15/16 (H) inches