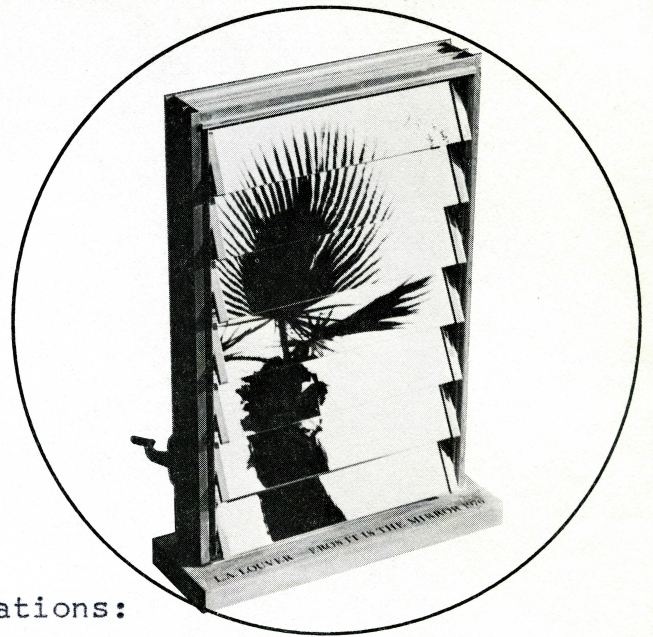


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Exhibition: L. A. Louver Publications:
Etchings by
Charles Garabedian and
Robert Janz

Dates: April 23 - May 17

L. A. Louver is pleased to present an exhibition of the initial graphics project of L. A. Louver Publications. The show consists of a portfolio of black and white and color etchings by Charles Garabedian entitled, "You Are Going on a Trip," and a portfolio of etchings with photographs by Robert Janz entitled "Changing Lines."

CHARLES GARABEDIAN

Garabedian's body of work explores personal and common mythologies through the use of story fragments which unfold in roughly distinguished linear zones. Some of the etchings in "You Are Going on a Trip" were begun in the early 1960s and anticipate in both style and iconography his recent painting. Other etchings from the portfolio take new directions, focusing on themes of prehistoric origins, as well as contemporary psychological drama.

ROBERT JANZ

In "Changing Lines," Janz has elaborated on the themes of his "Re-drawings," in which he sketched out in chalk on streets and sidewalks, or incised into the earth, simple forms (a square, a circle). His new graphic works continue his search for forms compatible with urban and natural environs. These rich, even sensuous images, combined with photographs, are a reminder of the age-old dialogue between man and nature.