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JEWELRY

Hello Friends and Fans!

What a wild ride this year has been! It seems like a lifetime since we've been on the road. First and foremost, we want to send best wishes to you all for your continued safety and health, and hope that everyone is doing well. Although circumstances brought everything to a halt, there were some positives that came out of it for us. We learned we could still visit (albeit virtually) with you and continue to bring you the best of the southwest, Tamara learned silversmithing and Eric spent his birthday and holidays home for the first time in...ever! We also obtained some very special collector quality pieces to show you when we get back on the road, and thanks to everyone who supported us on our Facebook Live events, we were able to continue to purchase from artists and help them out. The best way to put it, really, is that despite all that's happened we are thankful and grateful for all the blessings, big or small. But most of all, we are thankful and grateful to all of you for your support and kindness. Thank you ❤️.

We've missed you, and are happy to announce that we will be finishing out 2020 with a holiday show & sale in Yuma! With our events in Riverside, CA the first week of October and Highlands Ranch, CO at the end of October we found we could do it safely. It was a start after being quarantined for so long and although things were a little different (social distancing, safety protocol, etc.) we were thrilled to be able to see everyone in person, and are thankful for the fantastic turnout and support. So, Yuma, we are looking forward to seeing you next!

During our downtime Eric was able to clean and prep another great private collection for sale, and our Facebook Live events (6 in all) have allowed us to make quite a few buying trips to Zuni, Gallup & Shiprock. In addition, we acquired some very special pieces from collections while in Riverside, including four very nice squash blossom necklaces. One is a reversible shadowbox turquoise and coral squash blossom necklace from the 1990s. There is a large **Robert Becenti** story concho belt, a beautiful Zuni needlepoint link bracelet in coral, lots of rings and earrings and a large **Dixon Shebola** Comanche Dancer bolo tie which is very similar to the one seen on the cover of the book "Kachinas & Ceremonial Dancers in Zuni Jewelry".

The result is another fabulous inventory for this show, including many budget-friendly gift items.

One of the collections is from a close friend of ours whose parents really loved Native American jewelry. His dad would go through Gallup in the 1960's and 70's and shop in the pawn rooms of some of Gallup's legendary store owners. There are many fantastic old bracelets, pins, rings and necklaces as well as a few very collectable bolos. Another collection came from a dear friend who had excellent taste in bolo ties. He had also acquired many great pieces to give as gifts on his work travels which took him all over the world. This collection contains jewelry from some of the most famous award-winning artists: **Al Nez, Howard Nelson, Alvin Vandever, Phil Poseyesva, Na Na Ping, Sammy and Ester Guardian, Harlan Coonsis, Bev Etsate and more.**

New handmade chains:

We managed to pick up about a dozen Navajo handmade chains and a couple chains by Hopi artist **Yvette Talaswaima** (Gerald Lomventema's wife). Also, Eric had a contact from whom he purchased some handmade chains that were created by the award-winning artist **Bruce Hodgins** (d).

Alton Bedonie stayed busy creating more of his masterpieces. He made two more of his heavy sterling silver link bracelets, a few rings and about ten pendants with a great variety of stones (many of which Tamara cut). There are also two new pendants with super quality Dry Creek

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turquoise, which is getting harder to find these days, and one with a very large and fabulous piece of lavender/blue Golden Hills Turquoise.

Nelson Begay made two fantastic bolo ties and a bracelet and his wife, **Mary Lou**, has been making some beautiful earrings of which we a pair.

Tamara will have some Argentium Sterling Silver pieces for sale: lightweight and comfy to wear earrings, some fabulous rings, a hand woven Argentium choker, and a chain.

Other fabulous artists whose work we will have at the shows are: **Al Nez, Howard Nelson, Duane Maktima, Tom Jim, Mary Tom, Gibson Nez, Jack Tom, Jacob Livingston, Phil Poseyesva, Tom Jackson, Kee Nez, Vernon Haskie, Boyd Tsosie, Edison Cummings, Alvin Yellowhorse, Carl and Irene Clark,**

Harlan Coonsis, Smokey Gchachu, Lavina Tsikewa, Albert Nells, Rebecca and Darryl Dean Begay, Herman Cohan, NaNa Ping, Sunshine Reeves, Jake Livingston, Kerry Begay, Stewart Billie, Alvin and Lula Begay, Don Dewa, Virginia Quam, Albert and Dolly Banteah, Amy Quandelacy, Fadrian Bowannic, Connie Seowtewa, and many more.

CARVINGS, POTTERY, RUGS, SANDPAINTINGS AND MORE

Still available are some more of the smaller Navajo weavings which are great for wall hangings and table tops, including a couple of rare, round rugs. We also have a nice new selection of Navajo sand painting boxes (which make lovely and unique gifts) along with a good variety of the smaller sand paintings. All of our sand paintings are completely handmade, matted, and framed by Navajo artists.

Our fabulous inventory of high-quality Mata Ortiz pottery is sure to dazzle! Many of these pieces have complex, fine-line detail artwork and are hand-coiled. The price for this quality of work is incredible. We have a great pair **Martha Appleleaf and Carmelita Dunlap**, black on black feather pattern pots as well as several much sought-after pots from **Bob Lansing**, including one in a large size. Some of our fabulous acquisitions from private collections include three Maria Martinez pots as well as pieces by Phyllis and Marlene Hemlock. This collection also contains several great miniature pots and a miniature storyteller. Whichever piece of pottery is your favorite, the warm colors of Southwest art provide a distinct feel to any home.

Our large kachina collection continues to dazzle with an inventory that includes work from award winning artists such as **Laurence Dallas, Keith Torres, Raymond Chee, Marlin Pinto and Sterling McRae.**

We also have a large selection of Zuni animal fetishes on hand, including a HUGE lot of older, unique pieces from a private collection we obtained. Many of these carvings are by well known, award winning artists and are crafted from an assortment of stones and organic material. **Marvin Toya**, from the Jemez Pueblo carved several mid-size pieces that measure in the six to eight-inch range and some smaller inexpensive gift sized ones, including eagles, owls, corn maidens and others. Other not to miss pieces are some stunning carvings by **Florentine Martinez**, a multi award-winning Zuni carver. There will be something in everyone's price range, so be sure to stop by and see us!

See you at the show!

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