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JOHN LEAVEY **Selected Works 1963 - 2016**

Prince Street Gallery
530 West 25th Street, 4th floor
June 21 - July 9, 2016
Opening Reception: Thursday, June 23, 5 - 8pm

The dictionary defines the word intrinsic as “belonging to the real nature of a thing; not depending on external circumstances”. If the dictionary is right, this is intrinsic art. John Leavey's large paintings are intriguing. His series of small Roman and New York street scenes are haunting and his self-portraits are subjects for discussion. Leavey's amazing color range, his [sometimes] quirky subject matter, and his sensuous nudes constitute a solid body of work by a modern master painter who continues to go his own way.

John Leavey's awards include The Louis Comfort Tiffany Prize for his early painting “Race Riot”, The Prix de Rome to the American Academy in Rome, The Benjamin Altman Figure Prize in Painting, and many others. Two of his figure paintings are in The Hirshhorn Museum of American Art in Washington D.C., as well as works in the Museo della Città di Roma, and The Lila Acheson Wallace Collection. For more information about the artist see www.johnleavey.com.

John Leavey will be present at the opening reception on Thursday, June 23 from 5:00 - 8:00pm.

For additional information, please contact Prince Street Gallery at 646-230-0246. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Saturday, 11:00am - 6:00pm