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# **A Few of My Favorite Things**

**October 2 - December 23, 2015 // Shott Family Gallery**

**First Friday: December 4, 5-8 PM**

**Gallery Talk: Stephen Glueckert, December 4, 7 PM**

**Saturday + Stephen Glueckert: December 5, 10 AM -12 PM**

Missoula, MT / August 31, 2015 / Missoula Art Museum (MAM) / *A Few of My Favorite Things* is an exhibition selected by MAM's Senior Exhibition Curator Emeritus Stephen Glueckert. Glueckert selected 12 seldom-seen works from the MAM Collection, which will be accompanied by some brief text describing why each work has become a favorite of his. Glueckert states, "This was a difficult if not impossible task since I have so many favorites. All that I can say is that these were my favorites at the moment they were selected, for I found myself overwhelmed and changing my exhibit list by the moment. My selections were like shifting sand. We are fortunate to have so many gifted artists living here, and I wish I had been able to include all of them. I think this small exhibition offers a taste of the passion fruit that is the MAM Collection."

This eclectic approach might not provide the most cohesive exhibition, yet it does reflect the deep and lasting relationships that an institution develops with the community of artists that it serves. It also gives insight into the MAM Collection and its emerging contemporary regional aesthetic. All of the work was accessioned into the collection while Glueckert was serving as MAM's Exhibition Curator.

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About MAM: FREE EXPRESSION / FREE ADMISSION. The Missoula Art Museum strives to engage artists and audience in the creative exploration of contemporary art relevant to our community, state and region. Founded in 1975 and accredited by the American Association of Museums since 1987, MAM showcases diverse and thought-provoking contemporary artwork from local and international artists. Gallery Hours: Tuesday- Saturday, 10 AM - 5 PM. Office hours: Mon-Fri, 9AM-5PM.