

**SOLO EXHIBITION OF ART PHOTOGRAPHY**

# **ILLUSION OF HUMAN EXISTENCE**



**GLIGOR  
MAKSIMOVSKI**

**Atelje i galerija Čubrilo**  
**Kula Gardoš - Zemun, Beograd**

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PORTRAITURE, AS ONE OF HIS FAVORITE THEMES, AND ALSO A VERY DEMANDING ONE, IS CLEARLY PART OF THE GREAT INTEREST AND DEDICATION OF PHOTOGRAPHER GLIGOR MAKSIMOVSKI (1990) FROM KUMANOVO (RNM).

ON THIS OCCASION, FOR HIS SECOND SOLO EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHS AT THE GALLERY AND STUDIO "ČUBRILLO" IN THE MILLENNIUM TOWER ON GARDOŠ IN ZEMUN (REPUBLIC OF SERBIA), WHICH EXCLUSIVELY PROMOTES PHOTOGRAPHERS AND THEIR WORKS, HE WAS VERY PLEASED TO PRESENT TO US A SELECTION OF HIS PORTRAITS, WHICH IN THE BEST POSSIBLE WAY REPRESENT HIS RESEARCH AND A TYPE OF PHOTOGRAPHIC THINKING ON THE GIVEN TOPIC.

THE PORTRAITS PRESENTED TO US BY THE AUTHOR, CLEARLY INSPIRED AND DEDICATED TO PHOTOGRAPHIC EXPRESSION, TELL US ABOUT HIS CONTINUOUS INTEREST IN THE LIFE SITUATIONS HE IS SURROUNDED BY ON A DAILY BASIS AND IN WHICH HE IS NOT SO RARELY A PARTICIPANT HIMSELF.

GLIGOR, AS FAR AS I HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET IN PERSON, BELONGS TO THAT TYPE OF PHOTOGRAPHY ENTHUSIAST WHO NEVER LEAVES HIS CAMERA, READY TO RECORD PRECISELY THOSE MOMENTS IN THE LIVES OF HIS FELLOW CITIZENS, AND NOT ONLY THEM, THAT ARE UNIQUE AND AS SUCH UNREPEATABLE, THUS CREATING HIS OWN PHOTOGRAPHIC LEGACY FOR GENERATIONS TO COME...

IN THIS COLLECTION OF PHOTOGRAPHS, WHICH IS UNIFORM IN ITS MOTIFS, DOMINATED BY PORTRAITS, I WOULD ESPECIALLY HIGHLIGHT AND WHICH I AM SURE WILL ATTRACT THE ATTENTION OF VISITORS TO THIS EXHIBITION: ACO FLES, LOOK HOMEWARD ANGEL, HOUSTON WE HAVE A PROBLEM, SWEET DREAMS AND PRIDE...

WHAT MAKES ME ESPECIALLY HAPPY IS THE FACT AND KNOWLEDGE THAT MY COLLEAGUE GLIGOR HAS THE GIFT OF REACTING AT THE RIGHT MOMENT, RECORDING, WHILE ALSO CORRECTLY FRAMING, THE OBSERVED MOMENT, LITERALLY PUTTING INTO PRACTICE THE WELL-KNOWN PHOTOGRAPHIC MAXIM: AN EVENT THAT IS NOT RECORDED IS AS IF IT NEVER HAPPENED!

AND, THANKS TO THAT GIFT, I WOULD LIKE TO WISH THE AUTHOR TO GIVE US MANY MORE GOOD PHOTOGRAPHS IN THE NEAR FUTURE, WHICH CAPTURE MANY MOMENTS THAT MEAN LIFE!

**RAJKO R. KARIŠIĆ,**  
**ULUPUDS PHOTOGRAPHY ARTIST**  
**IN BELGRADE, 08.04.2025.**



**ACO FLES**

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**FACE TO FACE**



**CARITAS**





CAPTAIN



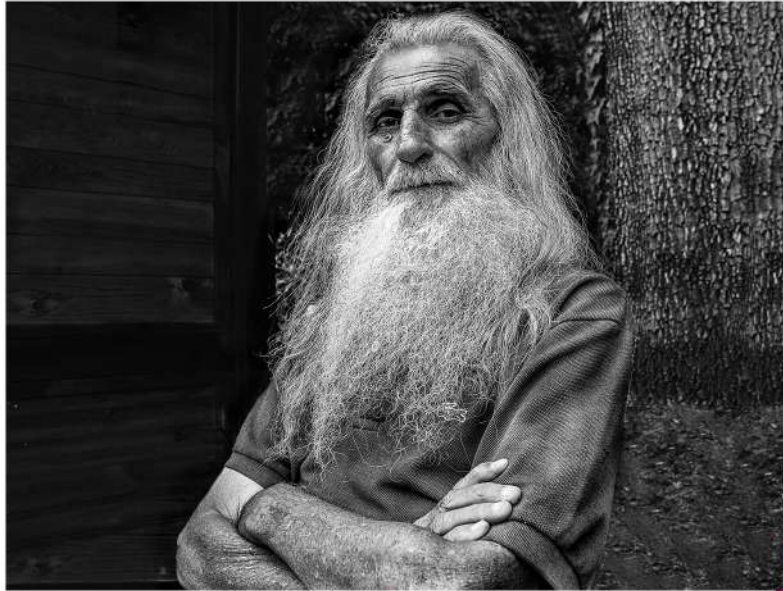
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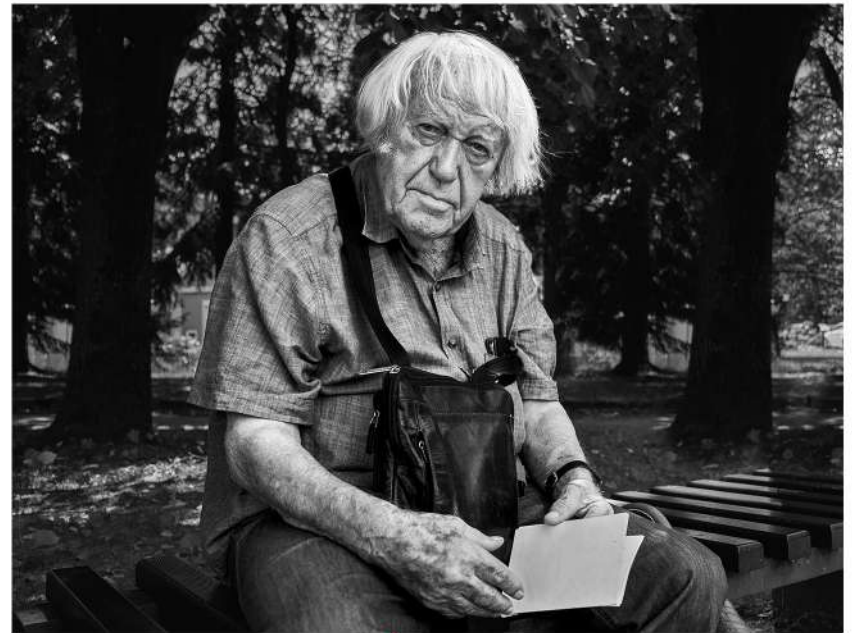


WAITING FOR HELP





HARLI



OTTO VON



UNCLE TRAJKO



WINEMAKER



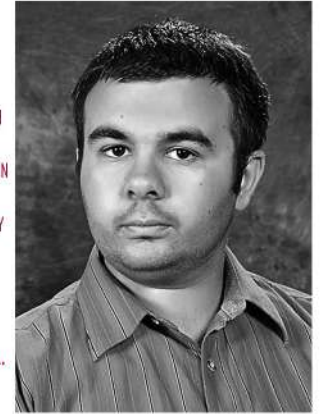
**PRINCE OF CHAMPAGNE**



**SOLDIER RHAPSODY**

## GLIGOR MAKSIMOVSKI

BORN IN 1990 IN KUMANOVO, REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA.  
 SINCE 1999, HIS MAIN INTEREST AND PREOCCUPATION HAS BEEN ART PHOTOGRAPHY.  
 SO FAR, HE HAS PARTICIPATED IN OVER 300 GROUP EXHIBITIONS OF ART PHOTOGRAPHY ORGANIZED IN OVER 30 COUNTRIES, IN WHICH HE HAS WON A TOTAL OF 60 AWARDS.  
 FOR HIS ARTISTIC ACHIEVEMENTS, HE HAS BEEN AWARDED THE TITLE FA1 OF THE PHOTOGRAPHIC UNION OF MACEDONIA, OF WHICH HE HAS BEEN A MEMBER SINCE 2009, AND AFIAP IN THE FIAP.  
 IN 2018, MAKSIMOVSKI HAD HIS FIRST SOLO EXHIBITION THE "THREE VIEWS" ORGANIZED AT THE CITY LIBRARY IN BOR AND AT RADOV BEGOV KONAK GALERY IN ZAJACAR, REPUBLIC OF SERBIA.  
 GLIGOR MAKSIMOVSKI WAS A MEMBER OF VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL JURIES OF ART PHOTOGRAPHY AT SEVERAL SALONS IN REPUBLIC OF SERBIA, NORTH MACEDONIA, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA AND CROATIA.  
 IN 2020 HE WAS ALSO MEMBER OF THE JURY AT THE "FILMMAJ" KUMANOVO SHORT FILM FESTIVAL.



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**SWEET DREAMS**



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