

Press Release

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For Immediate Release

“Trompe L’oeil and Other Mysteries”

The Intriguing Paintings of Robert Stuart Cohen

November 30th through January 7th, 2006

Reception for the Artist:

Saturday, December 3rd, 6-9 P.M.

At Light Street Gallery in Federal Hill, Baltimore

Light Street Gallery is pleased to present our first Solo Show for **Robert Stuart Cohen**, an artist who taught for more than thirty years at Montgomery College, Rockville Campus, and was active as a designer and free-lance artist, painter, lecturer and judge during that time. He has exhibited his work in this country and abroad, and his work is in private and public collections. He is now devoting full-time to his art. His work includes collage, geometric abstractions, and fool-the-eye representation. Cohen says, "*Working with illusions says things are not necessarily what they appear to be, but as an artist I am free to juxtapose representational images for metaphorical content, to be a colorist, and compose line and shape as an abstractionist. I can have my cake and eat it, too.*"

Light Street Gallery is a fine art gallery in Federal Hill specializing in Original Paintings and Limited Edition Prints of contemporary Figurative Art, Realism, Surrealism, Fantasy, Trompe L'oeil, and Nudes. Light Street Gallery opened in April, 2004. "**Trompe L'oeil and Other Mysteries**" is the Gallery's 14th exhibit and the first solo exhibit for **Robert Stuart Cohen**.

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"**Trompe L'oeil and Other Mysteries**", the artwork of **Robert Stuart Cohen**, will be on exhibit November 30th through January 7th, 2006.

Meet **Robert** at our Opening Reception for the Artist on Sat., December 3rd, 6-9 pm.

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Image Attached: "The House That Color Built", Acrylic on Canvas, 14" x 11"

