



Città di Carini

Assessorato Cultura Sport e Turismo

This is to introduce Mr Aldo Sessa, painter of Palermitan origin whom I, Giuseppe Agrusa, City Hall representative in the fields of Culture, Sport and Tourism, have had the pleasure to know.

I have had the possibility to appreciate his works, where anyone can see his love for Sicily and where, through his particular technique of "pointillism" consisting of a series of little dots and lines of coloured ink on china paper, he succeeds to give another dimension to reality... with a very personal style, in my opinion. After viewing, together with our art consultant and critic, Prof. Giovanni Isgrò, all

the brochures and catalogues showing the considerable and qualified artistic career achieved by Mr. Sessa up to now, with the approval of the City Administration and the sponsorship of the Rotary Club "Costa Gaia" of the town of Carini, we accepted his request for a personal exhibit in our Castle "La Grua Salamanca" better known as the Castle of the Baroness of Carini. The exhibit consisted of more than 40 works belonging to the collection "Sicily and its Castles – Myths and Legends". We have had the pleasure to show his works inside our Castle all summer long, from June 30th to September 30th, so they could have been visited during the period of the Festival "Between Middle Ages and Renaissance" performed each year and for all the other Events organized during the summer. It goes without saying, the exhibit had a considerable success. Both visitors and critics have all had the possibility to appreciate the great talent of Mr. Sessa thanks to his special capability to arouse the interest of the audience on the history of the Castle and

therefore, on the other castles and myths, bringing us back on a "once upon a time" dimension, giving thus a future to our history. Personally and together with the City Government, we believe Mr. Sessa deserves to be encouraged and followed, especially for his social and artistic commitment, in order to continue his worthy achievements, representing, through his works, our Sicily, at a cultural level which should be kept as a model.

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Dott.. Giuseppe Agrusa

