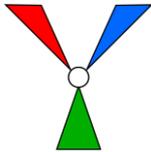


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sublimation during a period of enforced sexual abstinence whilst his wife was pregnant. Pygmalion-like he turned to the penetration of stone with hammer and chisel ... 'So my first erotic **drawing** was not on the back of an envelope' he wrote, 'but a week or so's work on a decent piece of stone ... Lord how exciting! and not merely touching and seeing but actually making her. I was responsible for her very existence and her every form came straight out of my heart.' Not for him the method of **modelling in clay** and translating the result into other materials by mechanical means. He liked to cut directly into the stone, relishing its firm crisp quality. Surprisingly, for a progenitor of such **masterpieces** as the Stations of the Cross in Westminster, Gill has never been given a retrospective of **his sculpture**, a void which the Barbican Art Gallery is filling with a collection of over **50 works in stone** and related **drawings, engravings**, and contemporary **photographs** which reveal the paradoxical **creativity of this artist**, sensually spiritual and ascetically erotic. The Barbican Art Gallery, until February 7. Constructing landscape The experience of landscape in its physical, visual and spiritual dimensions was the obsessive passion of Cornish artist Peter Lanyon, who was killed in a gliding accident in 1964 at the age of 46. Making constructions from mundane materials: wood, string, glass, wire, plastic and such-like to define and encompass his concepts of space, energy, weight and transparency was for Lanyon a lifelong exercise which both grew out of and was channelled back into his paintings, thus extending the parameters of his vision and adding a further element to his work. A South Bank Centre touring exhibition at the Camden Arts Centre, 'Air, Land and Sea' examines the affiliations between Lanyon's constructions and paintings, and where possible re-unites the related artefacts, thus illuminating his working methods and presenting new perspectives. The Camden Arts Centre ABOVE peter Lanyon Longshore 1962, oil on canvas, 70x48ins; (183x122cm). On show at the Scottish national Gallery of Modern Art, Edinburgh Printmaking from afar What have printmakers been up to in what was recently called the USSR? To find out, visit the Bristol City Museum and Art Gallery where in an exhibition: 'A Time of Transition: Contemporary printmaking from Russia and the Ukraine', Bristol artist Peter Ford has gathered together some of the finest work of the practitioners of that region. The works, as one would