



## **Fritioff A. Persson (1897-1957)**

Born in Sweden on May 24, 1897, Persson came to the United States after serving in the Canadian Army in World War I. He then studied at the ASL of NYC.

In 1930 he began spending long periods in the Mojave and Colorado deserts while living in Los Angeles.

Persson was involved and exhibited with the Painters & Sculptors of LA, 1930s; Society for Sanity in Art; Academy of Western Painters (LA), 1938 and Scandanavian-American Art Society, 1939.

His work was exhibited in California and he is listed *Edan Hughes' Artists in California 1786-1940*.

Persson died in San Bernardino, CA on March 24, 1957.

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