

Featured Artist

JAMIE HAGEMAN



Jamie Hageman "has emerged from the mountains of Glencoe as an astounding self-taught painter of hyper-realist landscapes." (Susan Mansfield Scotsman End of Year round up 2008).

The breathtaking Highlands became self taught artist Jamie Hageman's home in 2002. Originally from Lincolnshire, 30 year old Jamie was one of the finalists in the 2007 Jolomo Awards. Initially attracted to Glencoe as a mountaineer, the self taught artist says that he feels "awestruck in the mountains of Scotland and would like the viewer to feel the same emotions when faced with my work,"

His mountaineering skills give Jamie access to parts of the Cairngorms that others of us can only dream of and allows him to spend days in the mountains working on his paintings - "I spend my time looking at a mountain from all possible viewpoints, choosing the one that shows it at its most striking, this usually involves multi-day trips in winter to hard to reach spots, that make the discovery of a great view all the more revelatory and satisfying".

In March 2008 Caledoniart organised an exhibition with work from the 9 finalists from the 2007 Jolomo awards - Jamie's work sold out during the week long exhibition. "The response was quite incredible", says Caledoniart Founder, Amanda Brock. "We were exhibiting in Mayfair. As we were unpacking I placed one of Jamie's signature paintings of a snow laden Glencoe in the window. Two hours later it was sold and a few days later all of the work Jamie had provided us with were sold. We were able to secure one more painting that Jamie had just completed. We had 5 people in a queue committing to buy it unseen!"

For info on Jamie's one man exhibition in September 2009 go to:
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