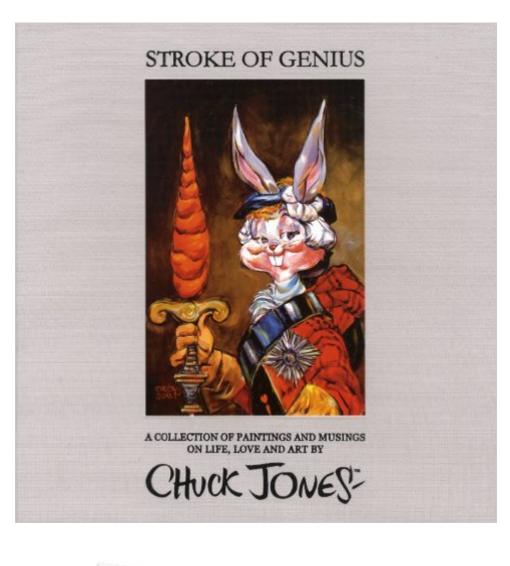
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Stroke Of Genius: A Collection Of Paintings And Musings On Life, Love And Art





Synopsis

Chuck Jones famous cartoon characters are held dear in the hearts and memories of millions of people around the world. Now, for the first time, a collection of the legendary filmmaker's oil paintings have been compiled into an art book for the enjoyment of all. "Stroke of Genius: A Collection of Paintings and Musings on Life, Love and Art by Chuck Jones" brings together a selection of Jones' original oil paintings depicting his beloved characters including Bugs Bunny, Daffy Duck, Porky Pig, Elmer Fudd, Road Runner, Wile E. Coyote and Pepé Le Pew coupled with reflections from the man behind them all. Jones' thoughts on his art, his characters, his inspirations and his aspirations are laid out alongside a sampling of over 50 of his colorful and droll depictions. "The rules are simple: take your work, but never yourself, seriously. Pour in the love, and whatever skill you have, and it will come out." --Chuck Jones, "Stroke of Genius" page 16 Beginning in the late 1980s, Jones created a series of original paintings that rendered his own unique interpretation of many of his favorite artist s works. He reinterpreted such classics as Salvador Dali s "The Persistence of Memory" (becoming "The Persistence of Carrots") and works by Toulouse-Lautrec, Vincent Van Gogh and James Whistler to name but a few. This series of paintings is but a few of the works that make up the artistry of Stroke of Genius.

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This book is truly a work of art!!!!His original interpretations of his mosed beloved characters in this most absract style really astounds and fills us with admiration have never seen cartoon characters done to perfection in this manner part is a work of art and i wish i could frame all of them This

book is a must have for every fan of animation and togetherwith mel blanc they form the 2 greats in animation hall of fameTheir talents are boundless and hopefully will inspire a generationmore of animation and animators wannabes. I recommend this book with my highest accolade and with great respect all who are able to still get their hands on a copy, cheers

A Perfect Book! A collection of wonderfull & beatifull funny draws. Perfect for everyone that loves cartoons and pictures. The Greatest Genius is Chuck Jones!

My wife loves this book. It sits on her office desk in the protective outer cover it came with to protect the cover/artwork

All went exactly as promised and I receive the book in perfect shape and on time.

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