

# Edna Manley show for National Gallery

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The National Gallery is presenting an exhibition, Edna Manley: The Seventies, as its special salute to the Institute of Jamaica centenary and as a tribute to Edna Manley, one of Jamaica's foremost artists, who for six decades has worked ceaselessly, both within and without the framework of the Institute of Jamaica, for the establishment of an art movement in Jamaica.

The exhibition will focus on the past ten years of Mrs. Manley's life as an artist, and is an in depth survey of the Sculpture and major drawings of the period.

A special feature of the exhibition will be the launching of The Edna Manley Portfolio, a collection of six original silkscreens by Edna Manley, being published by the National Gallery of Jamaica in collaboration with the Puerto Rican publisher of original graphics, Marco Blean.

The exhibition opens on April 14, and will run for two months.

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