

There is also an entry of Ahmedabad's famous artist Piraji Sagra who painted on copper plates too.

This book will be useful for Art Lovers, Artists, Libraries, Colleges and students. Pratima Sheth has done lot of hard work. However, there are some renowned artists missing from the book such as 93 year old Thakorbhai Mistry who created one man Gallery.

Pratima Sheth is Gujrati and has studied at Mumbai's J J School of Art. She is an artist too. Congratulations to her for bringing out this book.

Many small artists are also covered. Raja Ravi Verma's paintings were auctioned by Bonhams in London on 25<sup>th</sup> October and one was sold at \$6,02,000. He drew that painting in 1880. In this painting he has captured the official visit by the Maharaja of Travankore, his younger brother, the Duke of Buckingham, Richard Templegrain and Governor General of Madras (1875-80) Chandras in a 106 x 146 cm canvas. Bonhams had expected around 50,000 to 70,000. But it was sold for 10 times the expectation at Pounds 6 lakhs and was purchased by Neville Tuli of Osian's Connoisseurs of Art in order to keep it in India. Many small artists are also covered. Raja Ravi Verma's paintings was auctioned by Bonhams in London on 25<sup>th</sup> October and was sold at \$6,02,000. He drew that paintings in 1880. In this painting he has captured the 1880's.