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Constellations by Ghika; on a celestial painting at the Benaki Museum













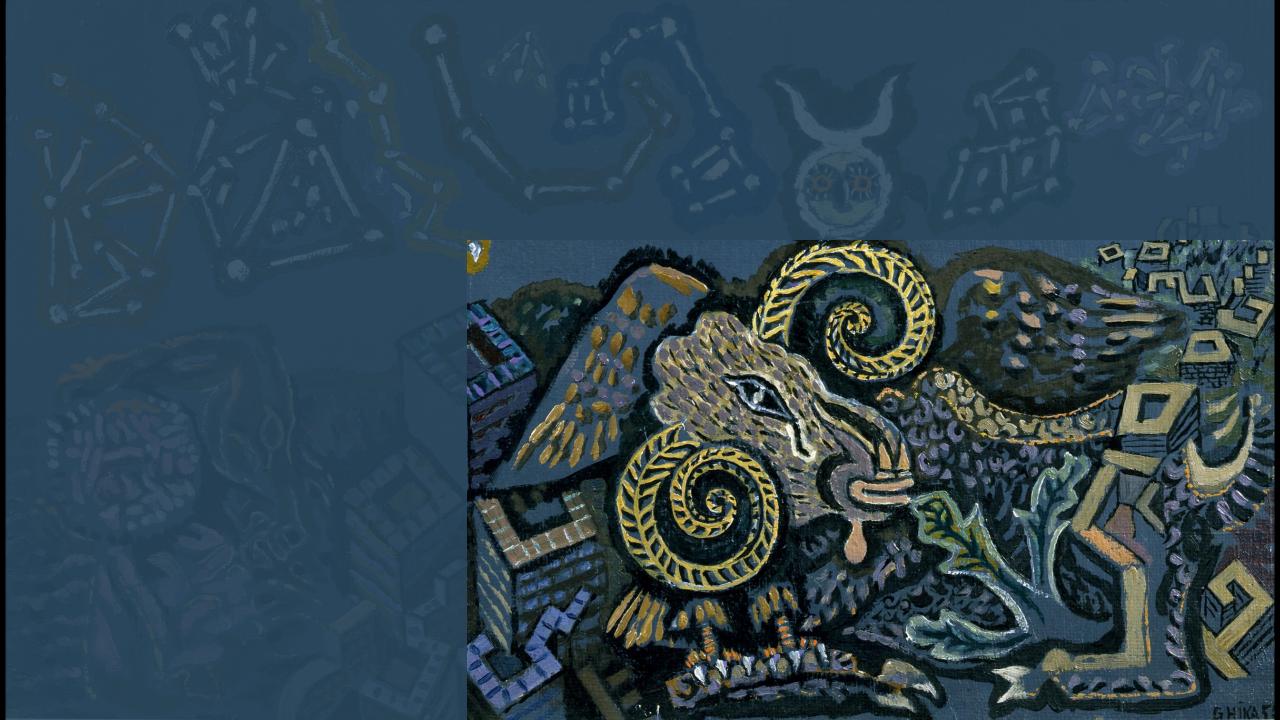


















Nikos Hadjikyriakos-Ghika (1906–1994)













EMBASSY OF THE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA January 18, 1957

Dear Mr. Ghika:

On behalf of my Government it gives me great pleasure to extend to you a most cordial invitation to visit the United States. The Department of State will be happy to make any arrangements you would care to suggest for meetings with leaders in the Fine Arts, in Architecture, and visits to universities, art galleries, and museums in leading American cities.

The invitation includes transportation from your home to Washington, D.C. and return, extensive travel within the United States, and a per diem allowance of \$12 during the sixty-day visit.

Dr. Duncan Emrich, Cultural Attache, will be happy to discuss with you the details of your trip, and the Embassy will make the necessary arrangements once you have indicated the approximate date you would like to depart for the United States.

I know that American artists and professors will welcome this opportunity to know you and will extend a cordial reception.

With the hope that you will find it possible to accept this invitation, please accept my best wishes for a pleasant visit, one which I am confident will prove mutually beneficial to our countries.

Cordially yours,

George V. Allen

Ambassador

Mr. Nicholas H. Ghika, 2 Paleologou-Venizelou Street, Athens. ALEXANDER IOLAS IS PLEASED
TO ANNOUNCE THE FIRST
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OF PAINTINGS BY GHIKA

uneccentric style involved, the statistics are anusual having a vague and subtle mystery about them, which is apparent and somewhat fuzzling punc

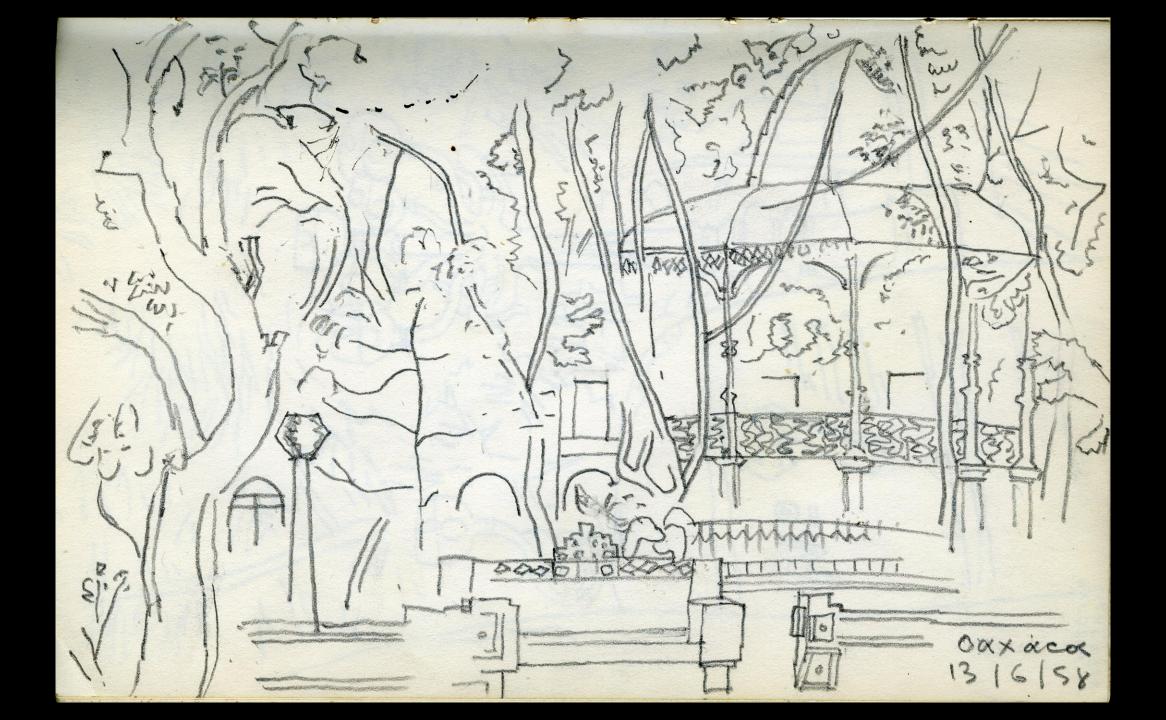
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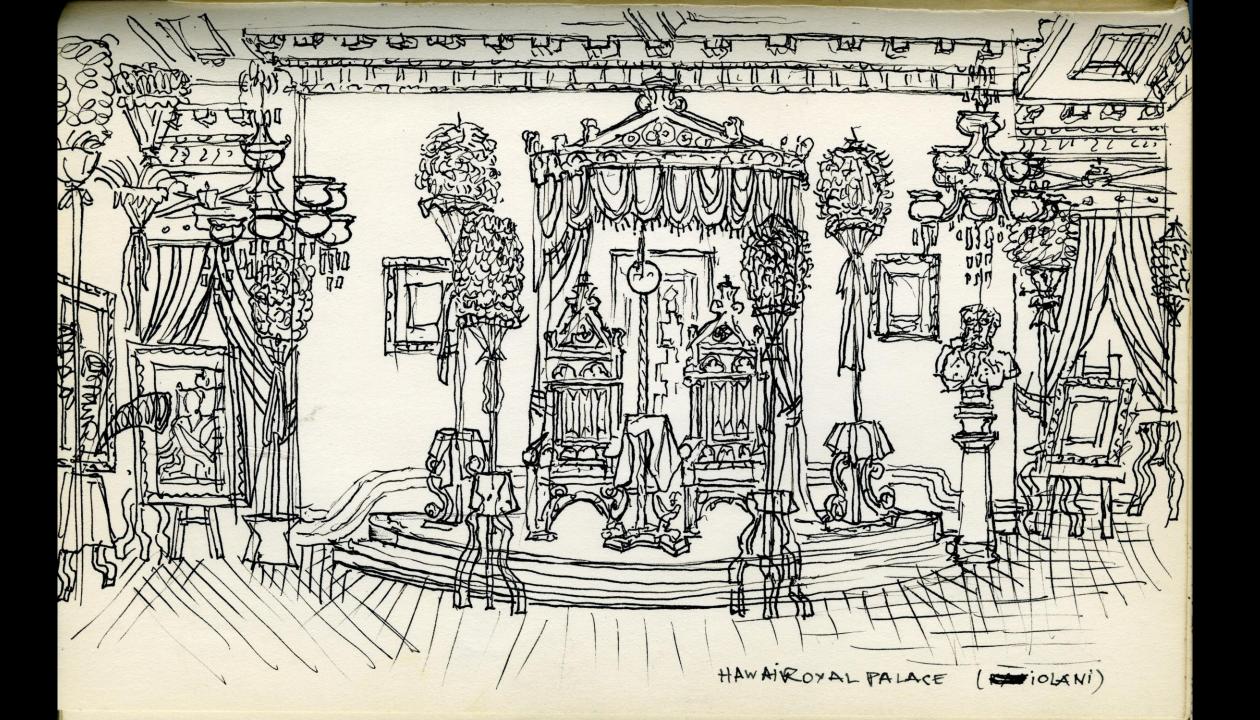
Nicholas Ghika, at the Iolas Gallery, is a Greek contemporary artist whose craftsmanship is impeccable. As for feeling in his work this appears to be developing in relation to an abstract process. In his larger canvases he derives most of his inspiration from Picasso, but as he shows in his excellent "Street From a Balcony," and similar works, his style is spirited as well as meticulous in reference to the many decorative elements which figure in it. Generally his smaller pictures, which are shown in tempera, are the more abstract, the more experimental. "Windy Landscape" gives us thus an effective sense of mood in a world of ancient ruins.

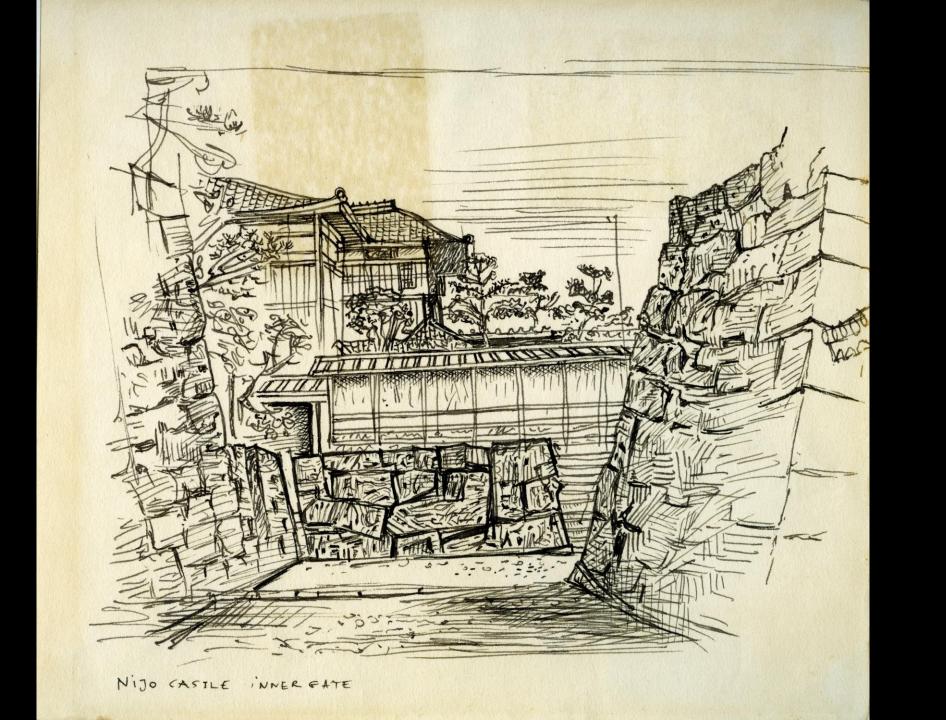
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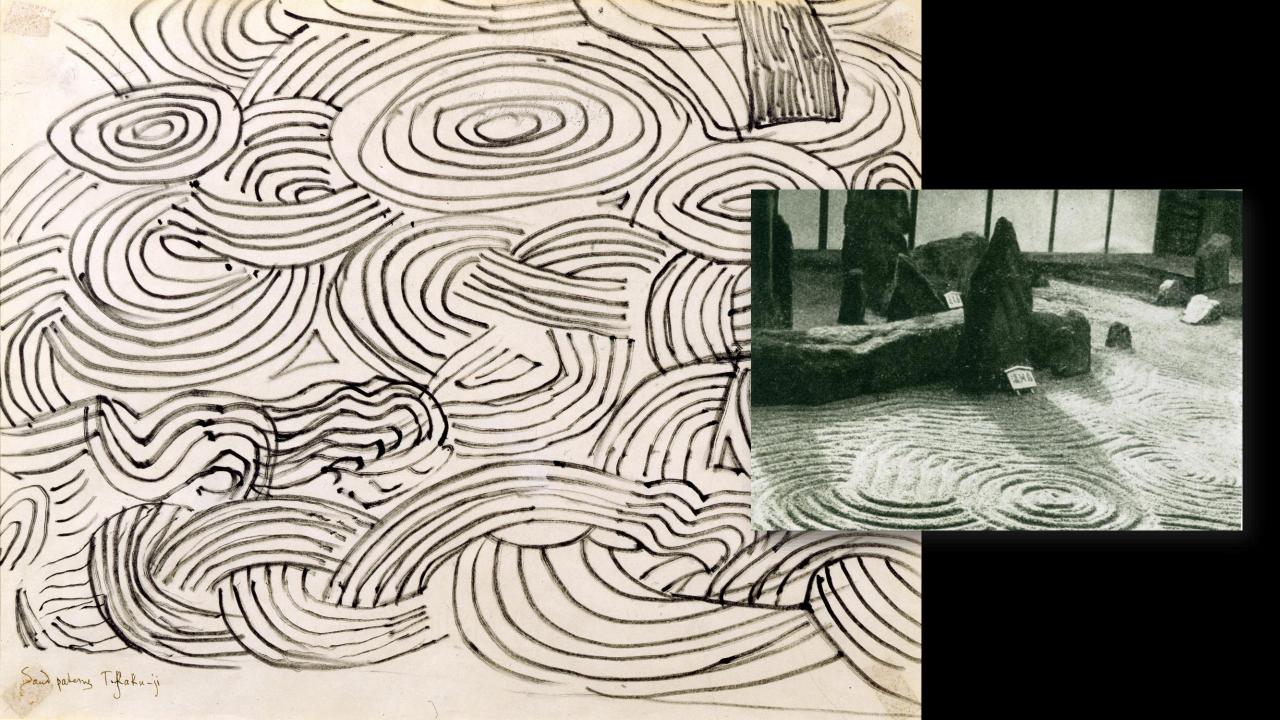










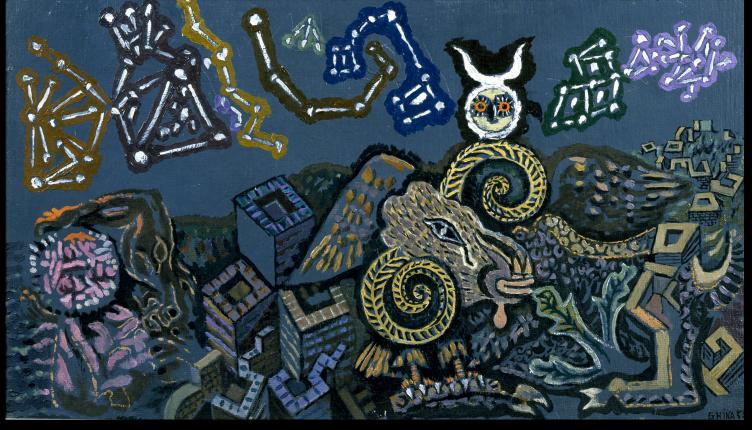














Nikos Hadjikyriakos-Ghika (1906–1994), *The Lady of the Night* [*Hē Kyra tēs Nychtas*], 1957, oil on canvas, 93 x 65 cm. Private Collection

Selene, the Moon, 'her body embracing elements of architecture, created from the very things it illuminates.'















the sleeping man



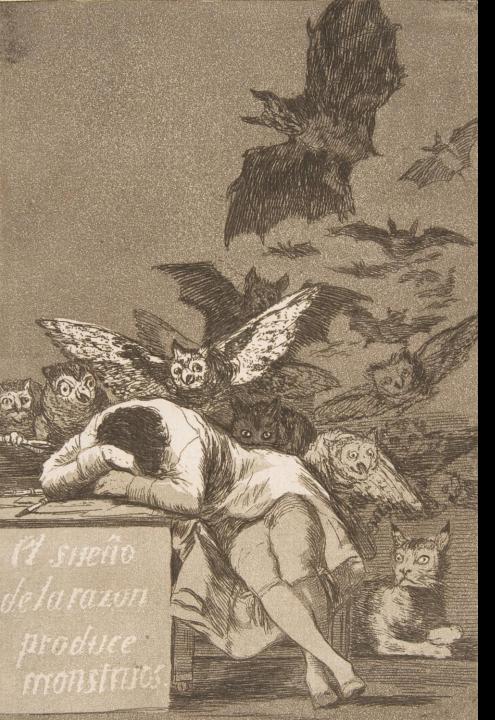
'[...] this man who sinks is the sun; the sun sinks so that the moon can rise.'













Francisco de Goya y Lucientes (1746–1828), *The Sleep of Reason Produces Monsters* [*El sueño de la razón produce monstruos*], plate 43 from *Los Caprichos*, 1799, etching and aquatint, plate 21.2 x 15.1 cm, sheet 29.5 x 21 cm. Metropolitan Museum of Art 18.64(43)

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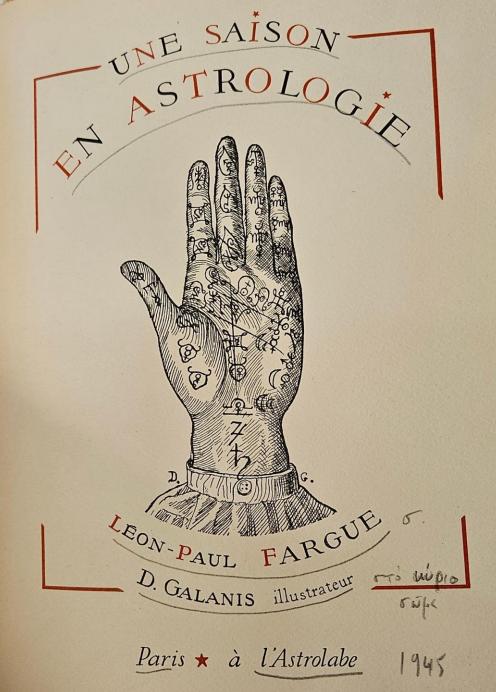
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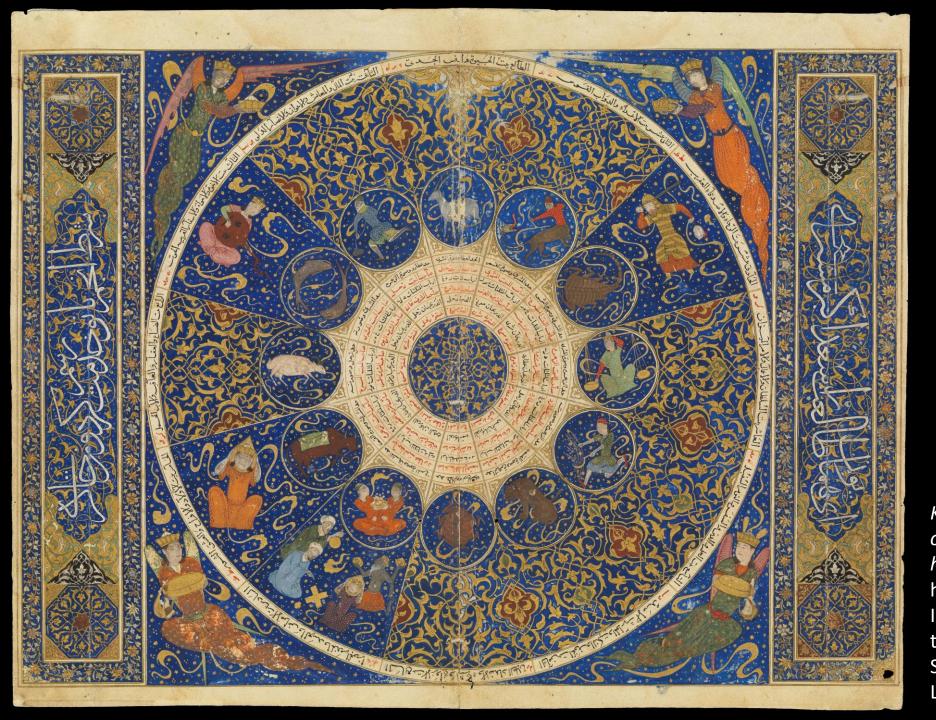


Une Saison en Astrologie

Car la Nature, qui est femme et souveraine et, dit-on, voyante diplômée de 1^{re} classe, supporte assez mal la contradiction.

Été 1941.

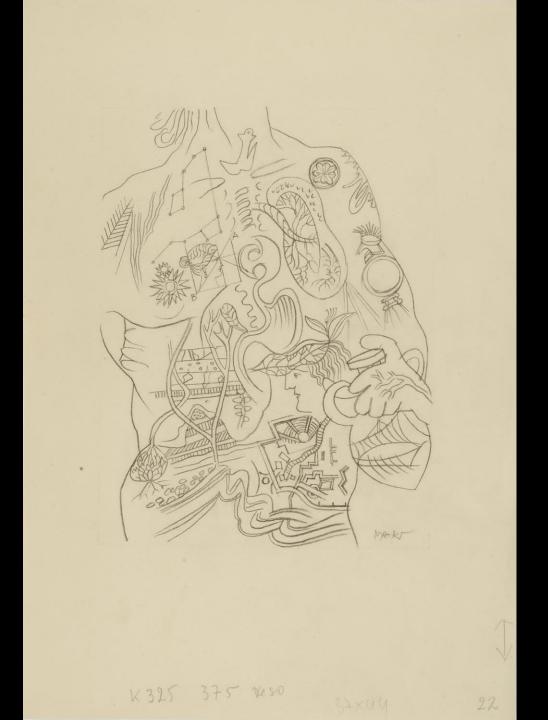


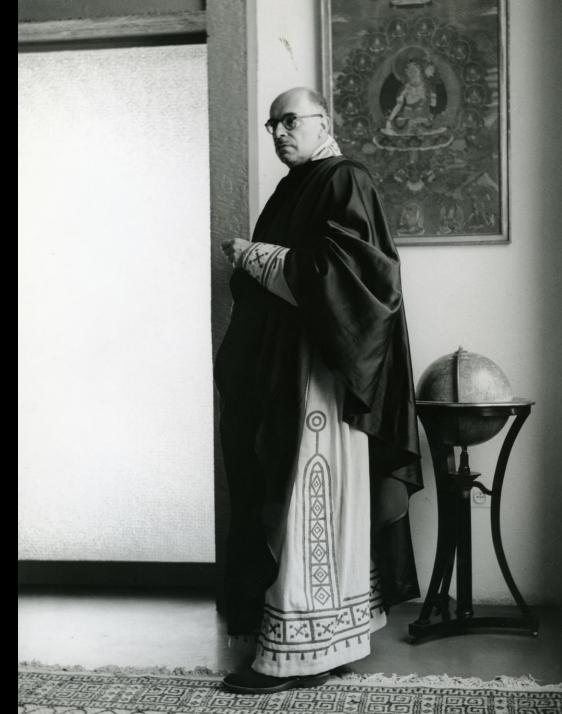


Kitab-i viladat-i Iskandar [The book of birth of Iskandar or Iskandar horoscope], manuscript with the horoscope of a Timurid prince, Iskandar Sultan. Written in 1411 by the court astrologer of Iskandar Sultan. Wellcome Collection, London, MS Persian 474



Nikos Hadjikyriakos-Ghika (1906–1994), The Body of Odysseus [To kormi tou Odyssea], 1938–1958, charcoal on paper, 37 x 25.5 cm. Benaki Museum ΠΧΓ 658









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