

EDWIN

Bogucki

Master artist, creative genius,
horseman, beloved father,
husband, and friend...

7-5-1932 to 11-11-2021

His legacy is immortalized
in the masterpieces he created
and in the lives he touched.

Words alone can never describe
the divine beauty of this man's art.
We share these images in
remembrance of this special man,
Edwin A. Bogucki... rest in peace.

Text and design by Beth Ellen Hunziker





Images - Introduction page: Detail from "Tutankhamen", considered Bogucki's greatest masterpiece. Created in 1980, it is 1/4 life size. Only one bronze was cast, making this a priceless treasure.

This page, top left: Edwin Bogucki with his life size bronze sculpture of the Polish stallion *Bask, at the entrance to the International Museum Of The Horse, an affiliate of the Smithsonian Institute, located at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington, Kentucky. A life-size bronze of the Thoroughbred legend Secretariat and a smaller bronze of Man'O War by Bogucki are also permanent installations at the park. Top right: The stallion, "Ferzon", 1975. Bottom, the Polish stallion, "Bandos", 1985.

Facing page: "Bedouin", 1981, captures the beauty and pride of a Bedouin rider and his magnificent horse. The detail of this piece is incredible and the character of horse and rider are mesmerizing.





Edwin Bogucki began his artistic career with pastel portraits of Saddlebreds sold at horse shows in South East Wisconsin, near his home town of Racine. Later, he turned to oil paints. Edwin loved all animals, but especially horses and his muse was his long-time companion, a straight Egyptian stallion named Cairo. Like his bronze works, Edwin's paintings, pastels, and etchings captured the very essence of his subjects.

This page, top: "Friends", a 1984 portrait of Bogucki's stallion Cairo with his favorite companion, a Polish Crested hen named Snowball. Bottom: A painting titled, "Arab Stallion", 1982, illustrates the authentic detail and character captured by Edwin Bogucki in his magnificent paintings.



Facing page: "War Horse", 1975, bronze bust. In this dramatic piece, Bogucki portrayed the energy and excitement of a horse and his anticipation of going into battle with his master.

Edwin Bogucki was a prolific artist whose career spanned more than 50 years during which he created hundreds of works of art. A book documenting his life and showcasing his work will be published by his family in the near future.

Edwin Bogucki is survived by his beloved wife Shirley Bogucki, children Steven Bogucki, Robin Bogucki Chen, Sheri Bogucki Wirtz, and Kathi Bogucki, as well as numerous grandchildren, nephews, and nieces. We wish them all the very best as they carry on the life and legacy of Edwin Bogucki, master artist.

For information contact Bogucki Studio on Facebook.

