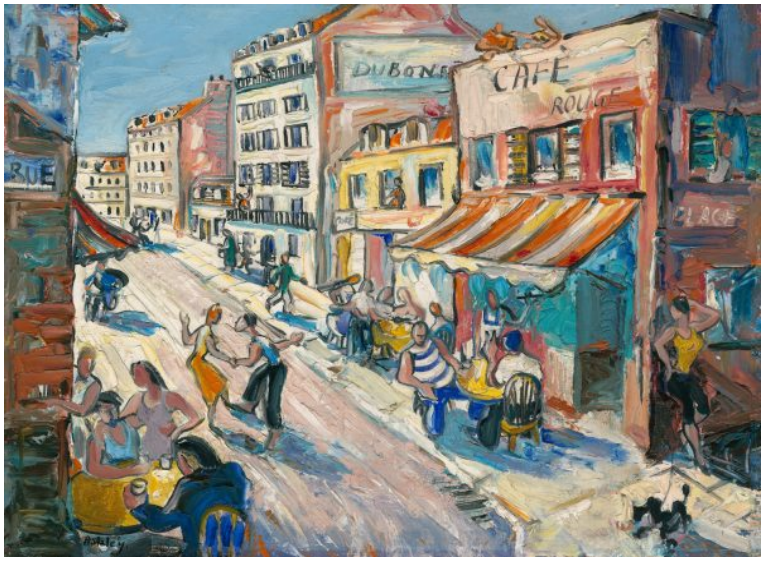
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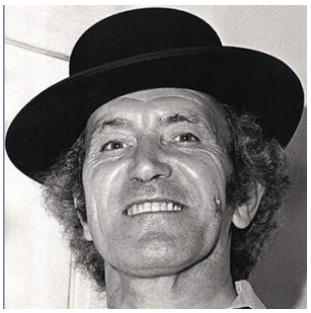
Derek Ashley

Joie De Vivre

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Joie de Vivre was painted during Ashley's post-RAF travels to France in the 1950s, inspired by the bustling streets of Paris. Even in this early work, his fascination with movement is clear -- lively brushwork and vibrant colour transform the everyday into a scene full of rhythm and vitality. The painting foreshadows the dynamic vision that would later define his career.

Artist Profile: Derek Ashley



Derek AshleyÂ (1918-1986) was a British artist, a long-time resident of Chelsea Studios, London. Ashley stood at the heart of London's post-war art scene. He became known for his unique line paintings of dancers, racing cars, and horses. His late style, the still life compositions, positioned him as an important figure in modern interpretations of the genre. Furthermore, he contributed to London's art scene in the early 1960s as a co-founder of the Green Park Open-Air Art Exhibition.

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