



Kitsakos is a theatre writer and journalist as well as the author of three opera librettos. His current project is the opera adaptation of Khaled Hosseini's international bestseller, "A Thousand Splendid Suns" with music by Sheila Silver. Other works include the Sackler-Prize award winning "The Wooden Sword" and "The White Rooster: A Tale of Compassion" for the Smithsonian Institution. His work often explores the connection between religion and art. He divides his time between Key West and New York.

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The Accidental Pilgrim – A Reading with Stephen Kitsakos

Sunday, April 12th at 2:00 pm
Fox Hill Bed & Breakfast, Highland, NY
55 South Chodikee Lake Road
Call 845-691-8151 for information

Free event!

Kitsakos will be reading a selection from his new book "The Accidental Pilgrim" (ASD Publishing - Release Date March 3, 2015. ISBN: 9780996102919). Refreshments will be served and his work will be available for purchase and signing.

"In the summer of 1974, Dr. Rose Strongin, a marine biologist, inexplicably disappears for three hours on the last day of an archaeological dig at the Sea of Galilee. She has no memory of the disappearance, but it causes her to miss her flight home from Israel. That plane, TWA 841, explodes over the Mediterranean killing all aboard. Twelve years later she learns that a 2,000 year-old perfectly preserved vessel, dubbed the "Jesus Boat," is uncovered at the site of her disappearance and she begins to understand what happened and why."

The novel crosses several decades exploring the intersection of science, religion and the unexplainable as a family gathers to say goodbye to the matriarch who held a family secret.