

# LG WILLIAMS

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## ARTIST LG WILLIAMS MAKES HISTORY WITH LANDMARK “ARTWORK AS WORLD APOLOGY”

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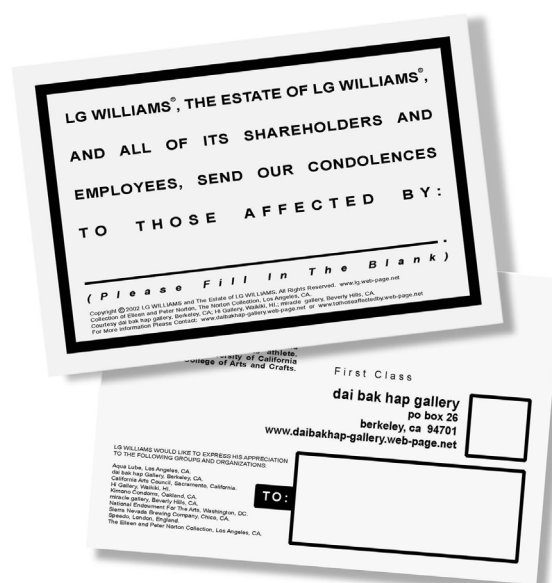
(3/1/02) -- At a solemn moment during the busting dai bak hap gallery opening in Berkeley, California, [LG Williams](http://www.lgwebpage.net) made art history on March 1 by issuing an artwork / apology for the harms committed by people all over the world from every epoch and age.

The artwork, entitled, “*All Apologies: To Those Affected By...*” comprised of 500 postcards, were today mailed all over the world to artworld aficionados. People not included in the first mailing can request an artwork by contacting the artist’s website [www.lg.web-page.net](http://www.lg.web-page.net).

During the opening ceremonies, the Artist repeated and reaffirmed the “power of art to heal the world.” The conceptual base on which the apology rests, stresses that while Art should try to remain independent from all practical matters, it has, in great moments of history, been called upon to make “epic, universal gestures.”

The Artist’s bold attempt to cleanse the world as it enters its third millennium has generally been welcomed.

However, some conservative realistic artists types complained that the apology undermined art’s authority to make “paintings with people”, while others, including some post-modern, feminist and graffiti artists, said LG had not gone far enough.



“*All Apologies: To Those Affected By...*”, the groundbreaking artwork by Californian/Hawaiian Artist LG Williams can be seen online at the dai bak hap gallery, Berkeley, CA.

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