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Artist — Rick Amor
162 cm by 162 cm — oil on linen

Rick Amor studied at The National Gallery Art School in Melbourne from 1965 to 1968. He has been painting full time since 1972, and lives and works in Melbourne.

This painting was entered in the 1997 Archibald Prize contest. Held each year in Sydney, the contest focuses on portraiture. The painting was shown along with other finalists in the New South Wales Art Gallery, and is now in a private collection.

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