



OBJECT ID

2008.2.1

OBJECT NAME

Puppet, Shadow

TITLE

Karaghiozi

DATE CREATED	April 11, 2013, 1965 – 2001
ALTERNATIVE NAME	Karaghiozi
MEDIUM	Paint
MATERIAL	Polycarbonate
OBJECT ENTITIES	Louvrie, Demetra (created by) Manzara, Thianada (is related to) Louvrie, Demetra (is related to) Kefalopoulos, George (is related to) Gasepidis, Frixos (is related to)
ACCESS POINTS	Performer Plastic Puppet Shadow theater

#### OBJECT DESCRIPTION

Male figure with jointed arm and attached pole, Green pantaloons, white shirt, blue vest and bare feet (2008.2.1).

24 images of puppets stored in S:CollectionsImages2008.2 Manzara

#### ORIGIN

Karaghiozi-He is a quick-witted, poor scoundrel. He speaks from his life experience. His appearance is marked by a hunched back, balding, and one arm shorter than the other. He often has a watering can as a prop.

Character description from Warmoes, V. Karaghiozi Shadow Theater. MA Thesis, Concordia University (Montreal, Canada, 1989) citing Ioanou, G. 1971. Karaghiosis, Vol. A (Athens: Ermis 1971). (<http://spectrum.library.concordia.ca/3555/1/ML56049.pdf>)

Thianda Manzara (daughter) donated the puppets and accessories from the estate of Demetra Louvrie (1931-2001). Louvrie studied with her great-uncle John Katses (Halsted Street cafe performer), George Kefalopoulos (radio host), and Frixos Gazepidis. Louvrie taught and presented shows of Karaghiozi puppeteering throughout Illinois.

#### CITATION

Puppet, Shadow, April 11, 2013, 1965 – 2001, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 05/05/26.