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The Society of Folk & Decorative Artists of Victoria Inc.



FOLK ART STYLES ~ Zhostovo

This art form has its origins in the early nineteenth century, in the village of Zhostovo near Moscow in Russia.

At first papier-mâché articles were painted in oils with scenery and flowers, then the artists began to paint on metal trays which they do to this day. Usually on a dark background, the beautifully layered flowers appear to glow as if under a spotlight. Each tray is unique.

