



OBJECT ID	2008.2.15
OBJECT NAME	Puppet, Shadow
TITLE	Turkish Dancing Girl
DATE CREATED	April 12, 2013, 1965 – 2001
ALTERNATIVE NAME	Karaghiozi
MEDIUM	Paint
MATERIAL	Polycarbonate
OBJECT ENTITIES	Louvrie, Demetra (created by) Manzara, Thianda (is related to) Louvrie, Demetra (is related to) Katses, John (is related to) Kefalopoulos, George (is related to) Gazepidis, Frixos (is related to)
ACCESS POINTS	Karaghiozi Karagiozi Puppet Shadow puppet traditional

## OBJECT DESCRIPTION

female figure with black hair, yellow and pink hat, gold necklace, green elbow length gloves, pink vest, white capri pants with laces at side of calf, pink and gold tassle belt and pink high heeled shoes

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#### ORIGIN

Turkish Dancing Girl-She is probably used as Fetimet or most often as a daughter of the Pasha, Bey or Vizier. They are generally depicted as lovestruck.

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), I George Kefalopoulos (radio host), and Frixos Gazepidis. Louvrie taught and presented shows of Karaghiozi puppeteering throughout Illinois.

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#### CITATION

Puppet, Shadow, April 12, 2013, 1965 – 2001, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://hellenic.whirlihost.com/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 04/29/24.

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