

DRAW WHAT YOU SEE

The Life and Art of Benny Andrews

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Michael Rosenfeld Gallery and
The Bank Street Center for Children's Literature
cordially invite you to a booksigning and
afternoon tea with Kathleen Benson

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2:00-4:00pm

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100 Eleventh Avenue @ 19th Street
New York City

Family Friendly Event
Please RSVP to rsvp@michaelrosenfeldart.com

“Moving and accessible . . . A powerful work about an influential artist and activist.”

—*School Library Journal*, starred review

“Every image has a magnetic intelligence that is hard to look away from, along with many small details of exquisite loveliness”

—*The New York Times Book Review*

“This singular biography refocuses attention on the struggle for social justice through the extraordinary visions of this singular painter—every illustration is the artist’s own.”

—*Kirkus*, starred review

“The narrative is expertly crafted around original Andrews paintings, which are notable for their focus on autobiographical elements and people’s experiences of prejudice as well as for the expressionistic stylization of figures.”

—*Horn Book Magazine*

“There’s no better illustrator for this narrative than Andrews himself.”

—*Booklist*

“[Andrews’] images blend whimsical elements—tree leaves resemble globular mosaic glasswork in one scene—with stark depictions of struggle, emphasizing his efforts to find intersections between creativity and social justice.”

—*Publishers Weekly*

“Photographs of the artist in his studio open and close the book. His artwork and his story will inspire children to both ‘draw what they see’ and live out their dreams.”

—*Shelf Awareness*

**Michael Rosenfeld Gallery represents the Estate of Benny Andrews.
To learn more about the artist, visit www.michaelrosenfeldart.com**