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"Wedding"/Alicia Zakarian

Coffee Works

"The Children of Gvumri," a remarkable show of artwork by students at the Gyumri Aesthetic Center in Armenia, presents vibrant and joyful images of brides, princesses, circuses, zoos and other delights. The center, a school and orphanage, offers classes in drawing, painting and carpet weaving to students ages 4 to 20 in an area of Armenia that was devastated by an earthquake in 1988. All proceeds from sales of the works will benefit the center and the children and teachers who work, live and learn there. The show will be up through April 30 at Coffee Works, 3418 Folsom Blvd. (916) 452-1086.

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