

MARGIE GILLIS

Voyages

INTO THE
INTERIOR LANDSCAPES

"As she celebrates a 30 year career, her timing, her gestures, and her focus are fine tuned to a perfect pitch. She performs as if the stage were her home, and there is no place she'd rather be."

- Deborah Jowitt, The Village Voice

Margie Gillis is a master artist. Her unique and magnetic style as a solo contemporary dancer continues to captivate both audiences and critics alike. At more than 50, she radiates an extra dimension of maturity which gives even more power to the integrity and richness of her work. With her exceptional stage presence and the intricate precision of her movement, she reaches into, embodies and reveals the human soul.

"Voyages Into the Interior Landscapes", resulting from five years of research, takes us on a journey through landscapes which spring from and resonate with the depths of inner life. As well as *"Voyage"*, a 25-minute solo created in 1997, four other works from Margie Gillis' repertoire are integrated into the program : *"Bloom"*, *"Loon"*, *"Blue"* and *"The Complex Simplicity of Love"*.

"Voyages Into the Interior Landscapes" speaks of the risk that is love, the devastation that is loss, the mystery that are life and death. From abandonment to hope, from anger to forgiveness, this show is an unforgettable exploration of the adventures of the soul. With all her wisdom and knowledge, Ms. Gillis invites us on a journey, creating a unique physical transparency and vocabulary where time is shifted and where body and soul amalgamate in a theatrical ritual.

