



Lois Mailou Jones 1905-1998

Lois Mailou Jones was born in Boston, MA and was inspired by her father's tenacity to graduate from law school. After showing an interest in art at an early age, she went on to study art at the High School of Practical Arts in Boston. Further, Lois graduated from the School of the Museum of Fine Arts. Throughout the years she traveled to various places such as France and Africa, which influenced her paintings. Lois has the distinction of being invited to the White house eight times. She taught at Howard University for many years.