

CHIHULY IN THE DESERT

Last
January, I
went to a
late
afternoon
through
night
wedding at
the Desert
Botanical
Garden
here in
Phoenix.

The first
couple of
hours there were normal visitors in the park,
the rest of the time, especially later at night,
we had the place pretty much to ourselves. It
was spectacular.

The scene was especially notable because it was
in the middle of the stay of a Chihuly exhibit
at the Garden. If you are not familiar with Dale
Chihuly's artistic glass designs, it is really
something to behold. Read about Chihuly and his
work at the link, it is an interesting story.

At any rate, I was chatting with Professor Nancy
Leong the other day after she tweeted a picture
from a Denver display of Chihuly. I actually
think it may be the same installation that had
previously been here. Nancy asked me to blog
some of my pictures, especially the nighttime
ones, which are very cool.

Marcy and I are both enroute to Netroots in
Detroit, with Jim White, Masaccio and Gaius
Publius all slightly behind us, but also well on
their way. Use this as a general discussion
trash talk thread, and we will all be checking
in, but it may be a little sporadic for the next
few days.

All photos will enlarge if you click on them,
and a few of them are really worth doing it.



So, without further adieu, Chihuly in the desert:





