

A. LOSEV

(1893 - 1988)





A Russian philosopher, philologist and

culture one of the most promine figures in Russian philosophical and religiou



Biography

was born on the Don in the Novocherkassk

In 1911, he finished the classical gymnasium





Losev and his wife Valentina Sokolova were secretly Orthodox-ordained monks in 1929, and wore hair shirts under their everyday



He was first published in 1916. From 1927 to 1930, he published some of his works in the eight-volume edition:

The Ancient Cosmos and Modern

The Philosophy of Name Baour & Value Baour &

The Dialectics of Number in Plotinus



arrested on April 18, 1930 and condemned to 10 years in the camps at the construction of the White Sea-Baltic Canal, where he almost lost his vision. His wife was arrested June 5 1930 and condemned to 5 years in the camps

TOCER Losev was suddenly releas n 1932. After returning to Moscow, he was allowed to bursue his academic caree and to teach.

> He had the opportunity to **bublish again after Stalin's** death. The list of his

included more than

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А.Ф. ЛОСЕВ

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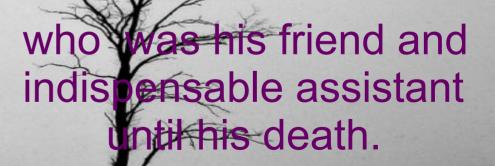


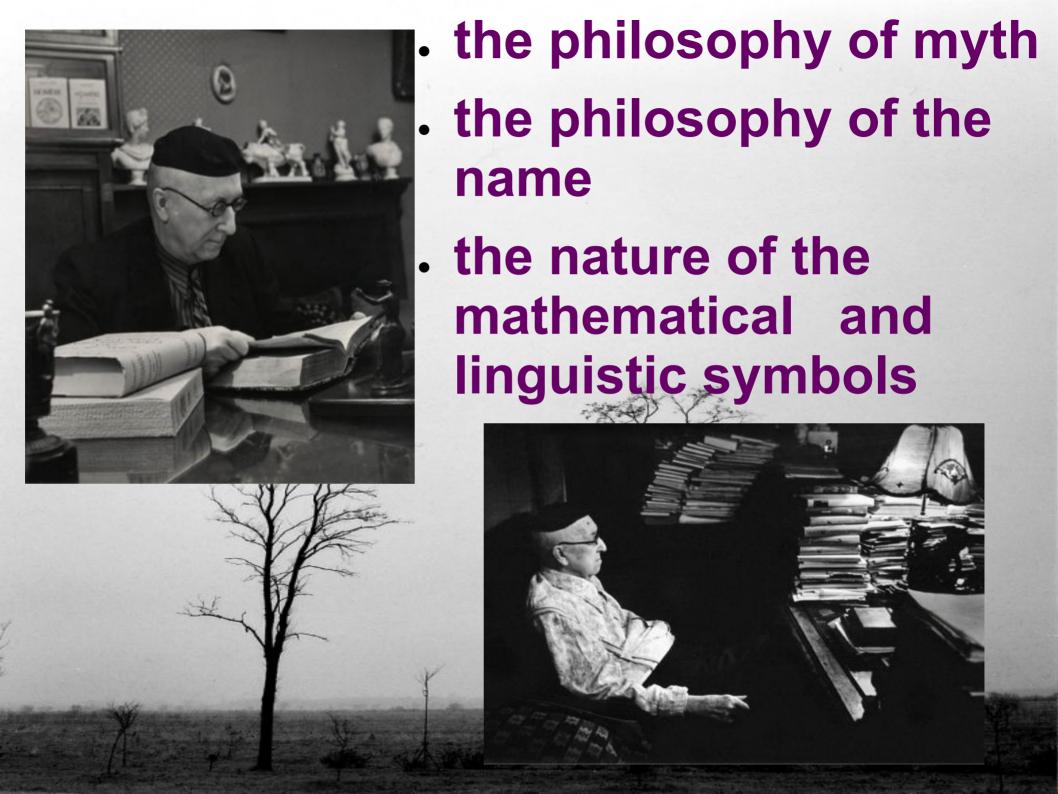


Losev's wife died in 1954.

He enters into a fictitious marriage with a young graduate student Asa Tahoe-Godi,







The house where he lived during the last fifty years of his ninety-five years life is a monument of the history of our culture and has a memorial plaque 'House of A.F. Losev'. From 2004, it has also housed the State Library of the History of Russian Philosophy and Culture.





