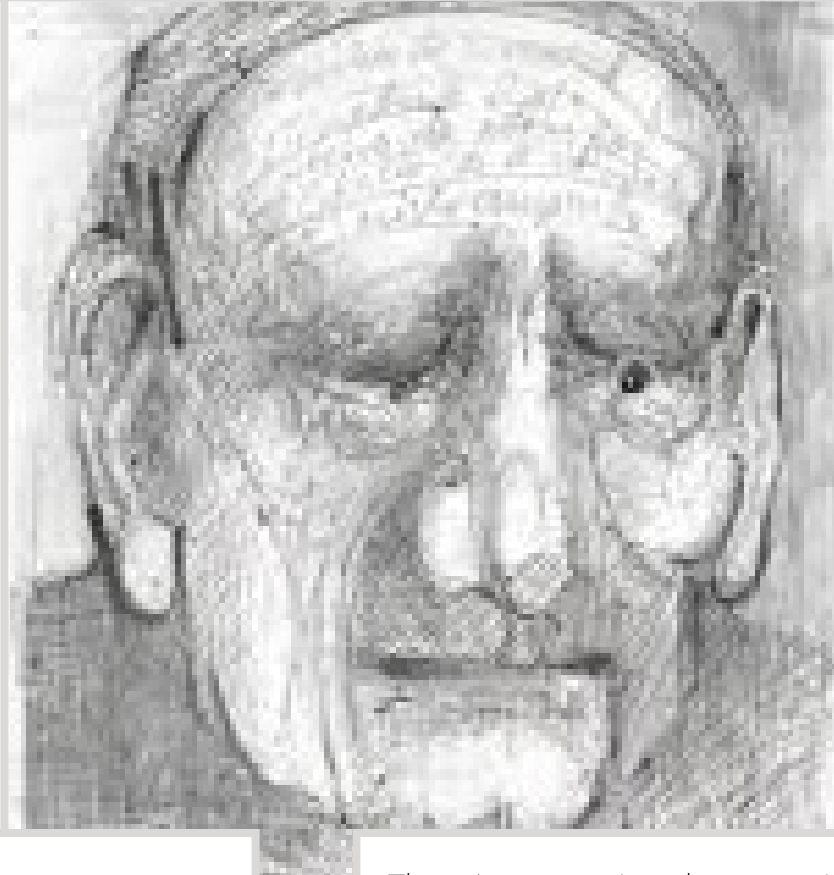


Apocalypse as Poetry: Jacobo Fijman

A Lecture by Naomi Lindstrom



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The Argentine-Jewish poet Jacobo Fijman (1898-1970) is today best known for the extraordinary circumstances of his life. Among these are his decision to be baptized despite his Jewish identity and conflicted relations with Catholicism and his stays in mental institutions, including the last twenty-eight years of his life. In this lecture, though, he is considered simply as a talented mystical writer whose mature poems often consist of descriptions of visions.

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