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:















