BARRIERS

Pieter Bruegel Trees and Barriers

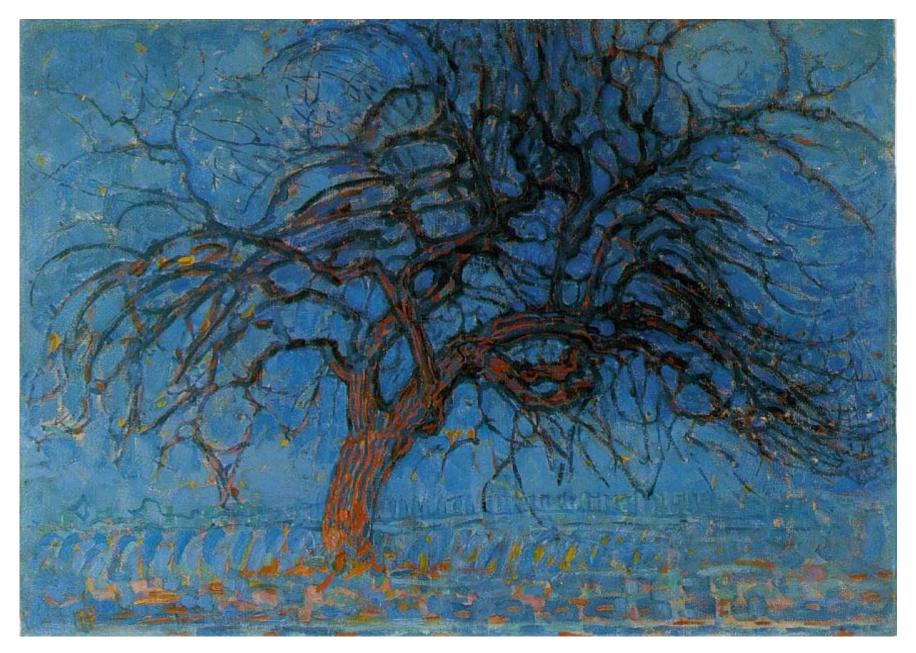


16th Century painting of a landscape by Pieter Bruegel

Piet Mondrian Trees as Barriers



Piet Mondrian Gray Tree 1911

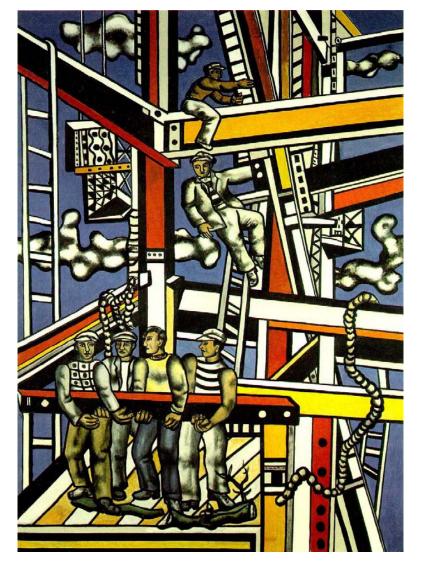


Piet Mondrian Red Tree 1908

Fernand Leger Scaffolding as a Barrier



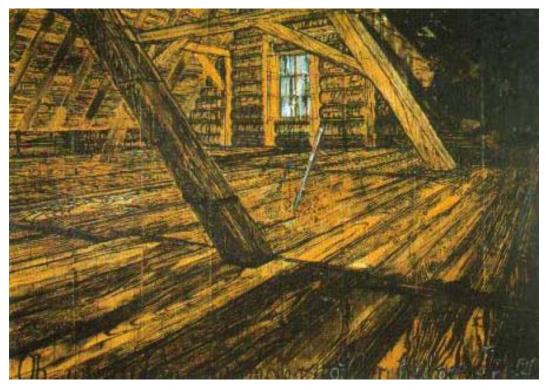
Leger the Construction Workers 1950



Leger the Builders 1950

Anselm Kiefer





Andrew Wyeth Trees Creating Barriers



Trees Creating Barriers





Craig Stevens Views through the trees

Trees Creating Barriers



Craig Stevens Bridges and Dams



A Dam as a barrier holding back the water

Craig Stephens is a practicing Artist and Art teacher in California. Amazingly as well as holding down a full time job he is producing a painting a day and exhibiting them on his Blog

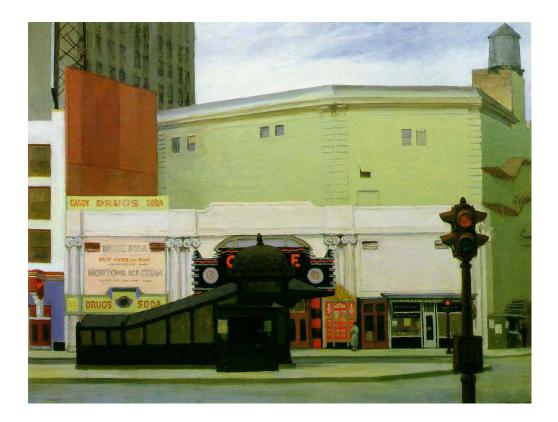
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A Bridge as a barrier crossing the water

Edward Hopper Outside Looking in





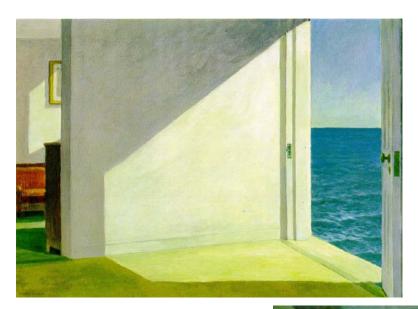
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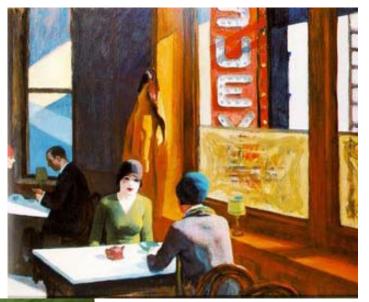
• Excellent paintings looking into spaces. Elements of Pop Art with hoardings, signs, lights and street furniture with atmospheric spaces. The windows are the barriers and we are looking into bright uptouchable spaces.

Edward Hopper website http://www.artchive.com/artchive/H/hopper.html

- Edward Hopper http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Edward_Hopper
- Excellent website on Edward Hopper exhibition <u>http://www.nga.gov/exhibitions/2007/hopper/introduction/index.shtm</u>

Edward Hooper Interiors with Windows







Andrew Wyeth Interiors with Windows









Andrew Wyeth works in watercolours building up wonderfully textured atmospheric paintings, often with a great sense of light

http://www.museumsy ndicate.com/artist.php ?artist=239 Andrew Wyeth Wikipedia webpage http://en.wikipedia.org/ wiki/Andrew Wyeth Andrew Wyeth's official website http://www.andrewwye th.com

George Tooker



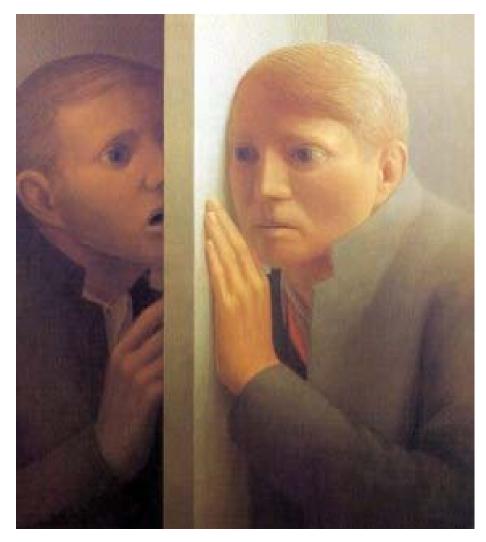


George Tooker painting of American Immigration Control with people queuing up to visit or move to America. **Subway** Rather melancholic painting by George Tooker with the banisters and turn styles creating barriers

George Tooker



George Tooker **Self Portrait** with the hand obscuring the face or creating a barrier



George Tooker double portrait - door creates a barrier between the two figures and different moods.

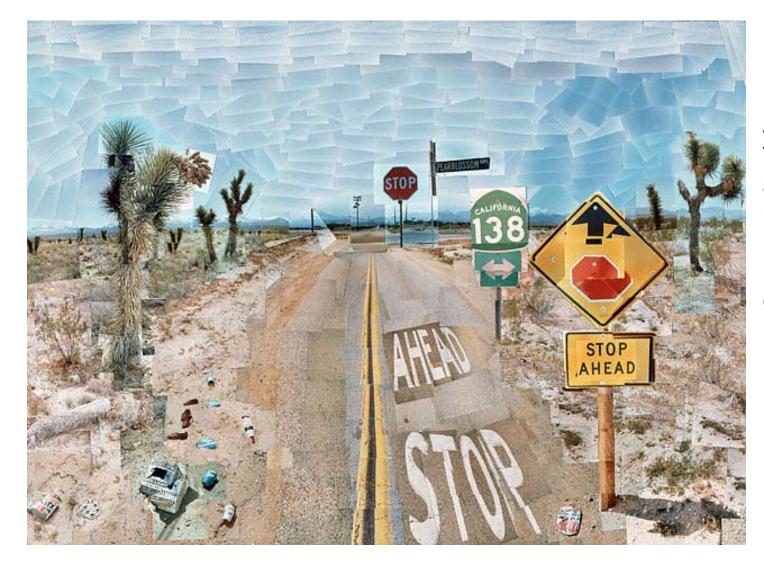
George Tooker



George Tooker - slightly scarier image - is that a second figure or somekind of twisted reflection

http://www.tendreams.org/tooker.htm good webpage with good images that you can grab using print screen

David Hockney



David Hockney -Pearblossom Highway Photo Joiner 1986 The roadsigns and instructions painted on the road create a barrier to the drivers etc

Matisse The Dance 1909



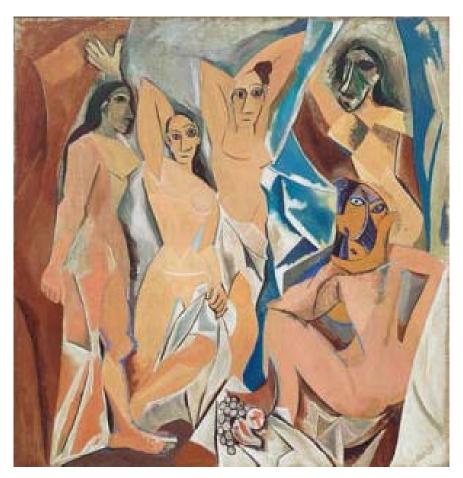
Here are two versions of Matisse's The Dance the left one is a sketch the right one if the final painting. The painting shows circling figures with interesting use of negative space .

Matisse



Matisse blue figure again with an interesting use of positive and negative space

Pablo Picasso



Pablo Picasso image of figures similar composition to the Matisse painting.

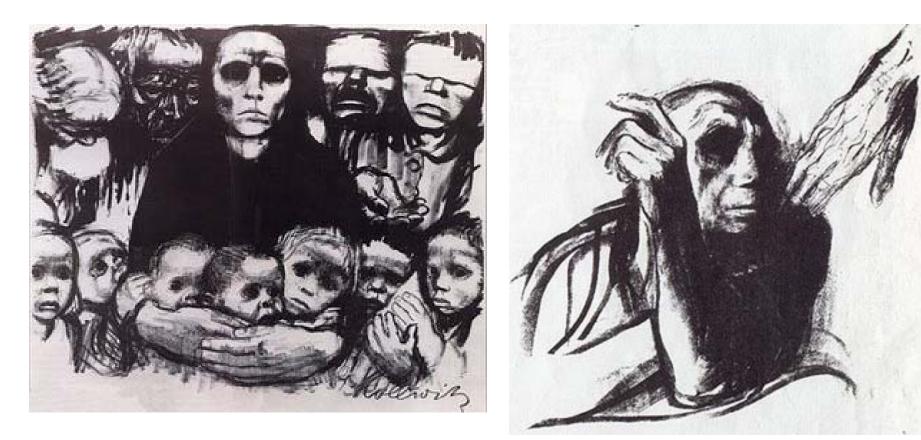
Kathe Kollwitz



Woman With Dead Child 1903

Etching of a figure - look at how the hands create a barrier across the face a characteristic of Kollwitz's work.

Kathe Kollwitz



Survivors 1923 Lithograph

The Call of Death 1936

Kathe Kollwitz

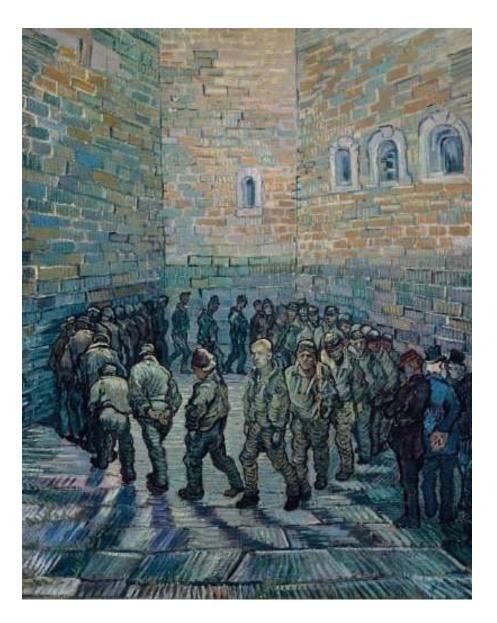


Out of Work lithograph

Kathe Kollwitz Museum <u>http://www.kollwitz.de/</u> Kathe Kollwitz on wikipedia <u>http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/K%C3%A4the_Kollwitz</u>

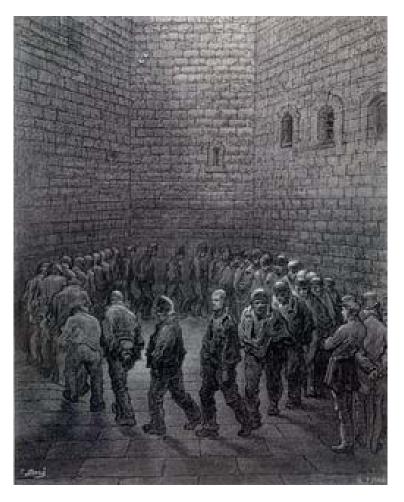
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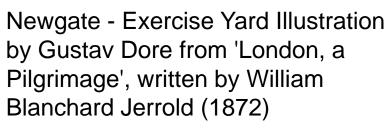
Vincent Van Gogh



Vincent Van Gogh 'Prisoners Exercising' 1890 Vincent painted this towards the end of his stay at the asylum at Saint-Rémy. This painting shows prisoners exercising so the figures create a barrier and they are contained by the physical barrier of the yard. Its easy to see how Vincent felt about the asylum. His painting is a stylised copy of an earlier print by Gustav Dore

Gustav Dore Kathe Kolwitz

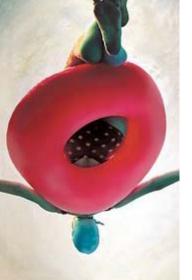






Prisoners Kathe Kolwitz

Lorraine Shemesh Swimming Pool Paintings





Water as a barrier





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