



Artful DAYS!

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TORRANCE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER
3330 Civic Center Drive
George Nakano Theater

Doors open at noon
Lecture from 12:10 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Tuesdays!

Presented by Art Historian Mary Drobny

January 10, 2012

The Middle Ages: Not so Dark!

Starting with the Fall of the Roman Empire we will examine the architecture, art and jewelry of the 1000 year period. We begin with the Barbarians then off to the first great church of 1001, St. Michael's of Hildesheim and then enter the great Romanesque and Gothic Cathedrals. If you are headed to Europe you won't want to miss this one.

April 3, 2012

Monet and his Peers....Following Manet

Continuing where we left off with Manet and the Realists in the fall, we will follow the journey to Monet, Pissarro and others.

February 7, 2012

The Rise of Modernism in Latin America.

Get ready to visit the Santa Barbara Museum of Art and their large Latin American collection or, closer to home, LACMA. Beyond Rivera and Kahlo, follow the progression of art of Latin America.

May 8, 2012

Rodin—Father of Modern Sculpture.

The sculptures of this great master seem to be in every museum collection. An in-depth look at the man and his art—there is even a movie about his life you will want to see after this lecture.

March 6, 2012

The Divine Artists: Leonardo da Vinci, Michelangelo and Raphael.

The Renaissance describes great artists as "divine." These artists interpreted the term differently, not through Church doctrine as society did but through beliefs of mystics and saints with whom they felt at one. Let's take a closer look at them.

June 5, 2012

Women as Artists.

It was not until the 1970s that a woman artist was included in the bible of art history--*Janson's History of Art!* For women artists it continues to be a challenge to be recognized. Let's go back in time and see some of the first female artists.

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