

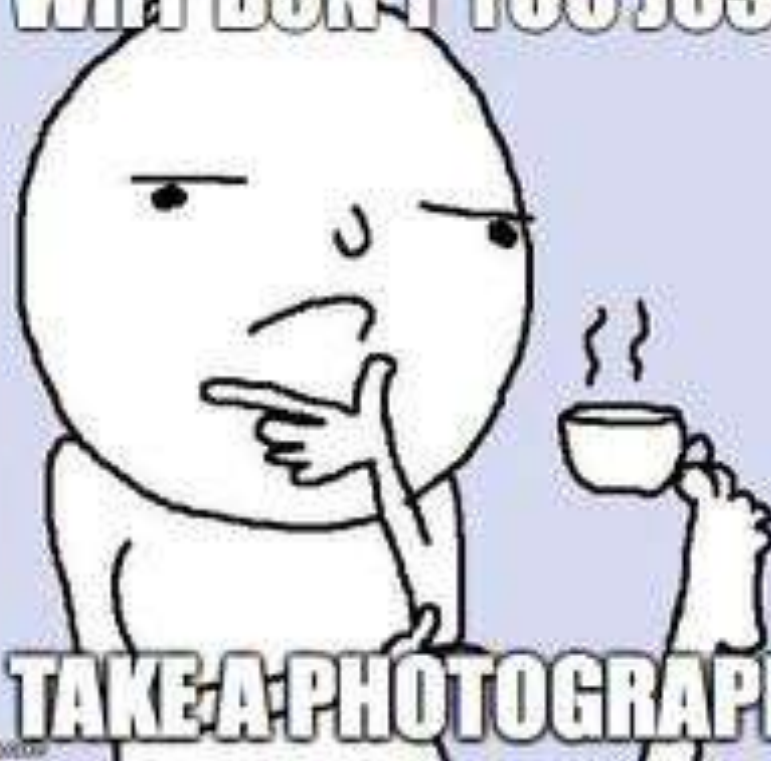
Drawing from Observation and Imagination

A personal view

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WHY DON'T YOU JUST...



TAKE A PHOTOGRAPH?









Which is the 'true' record?

A work of art is “*a corner of nature, seen through a temperament*”

- Emile Zola

Drawing from Imagination

Pencil

Pencil

Horse

Pencil

Horse

Milk

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Milk

Bicycle

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Leg

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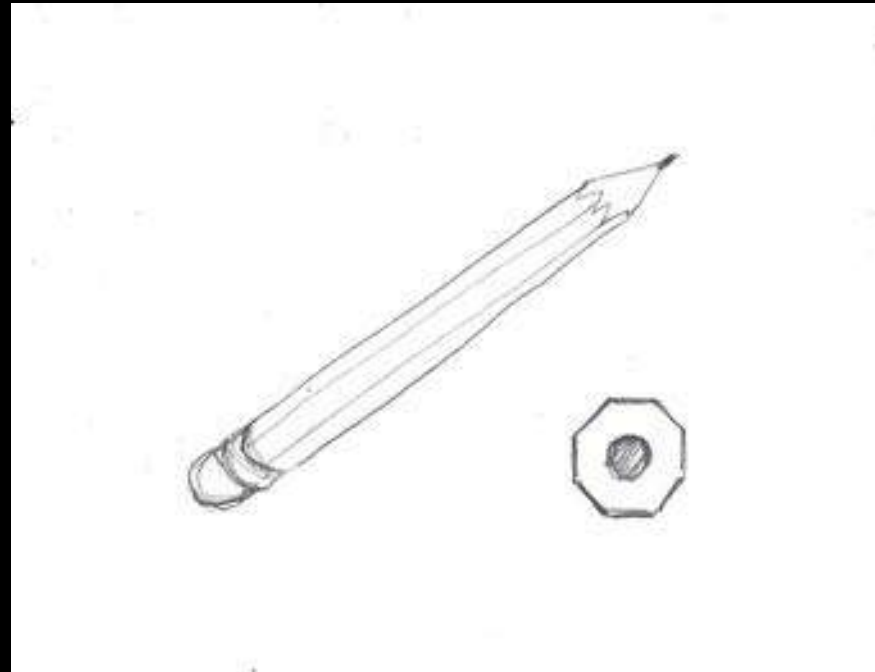
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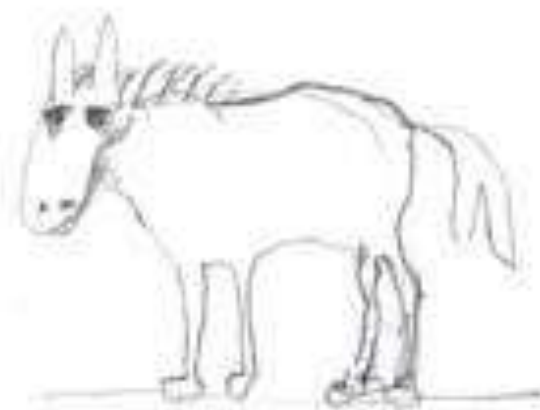
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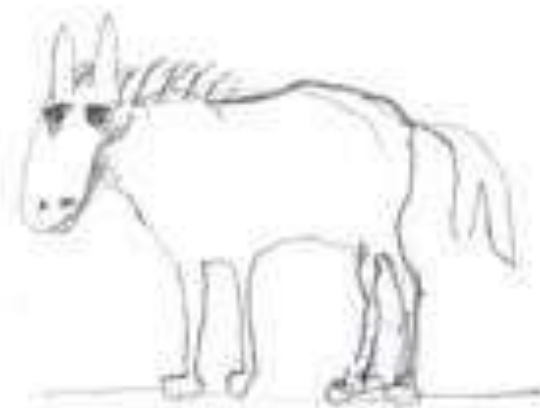
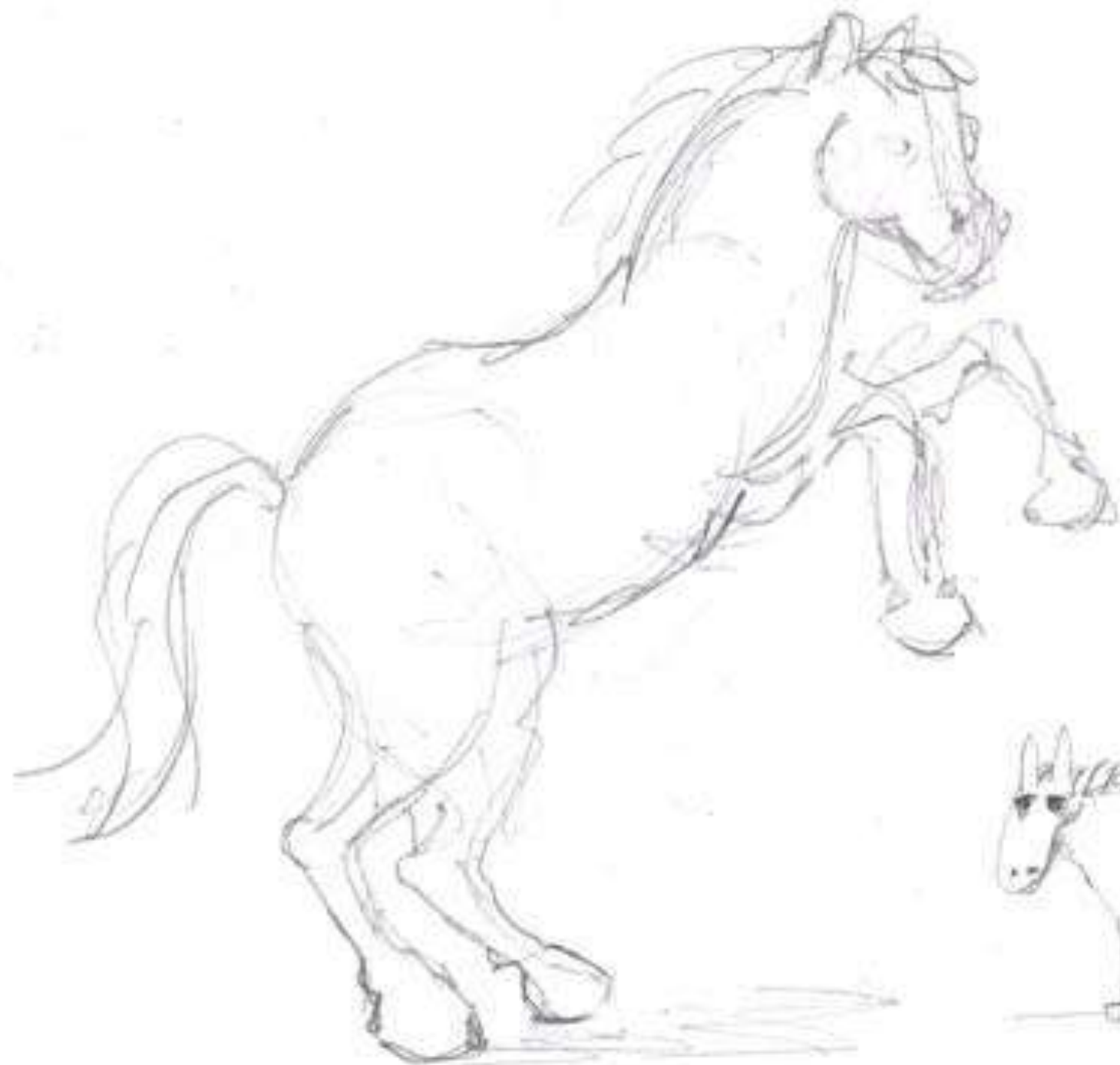
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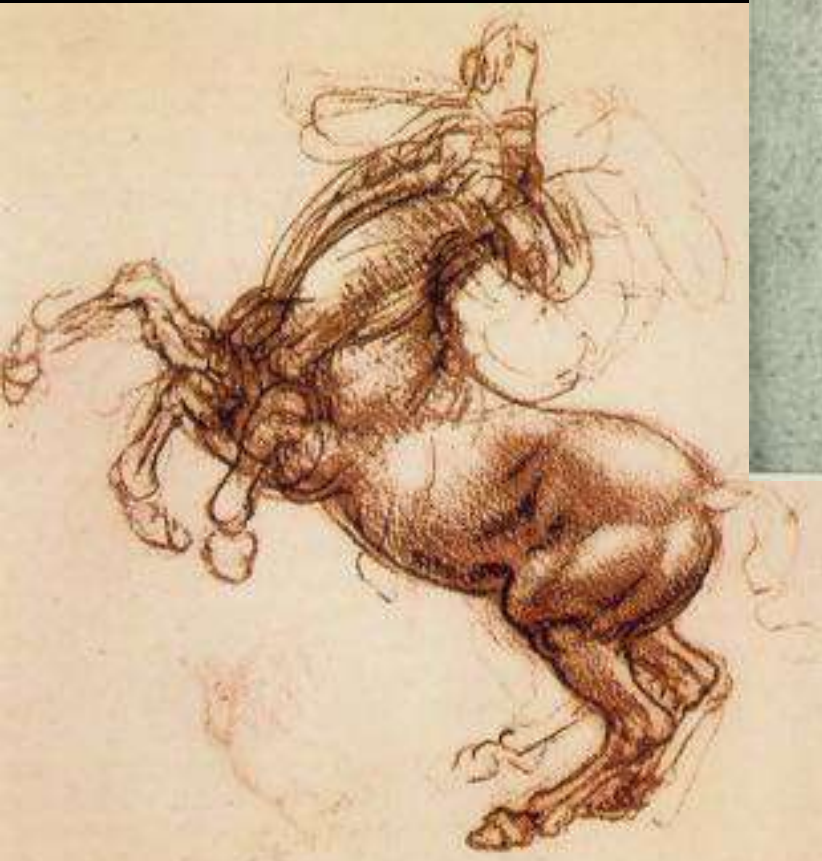
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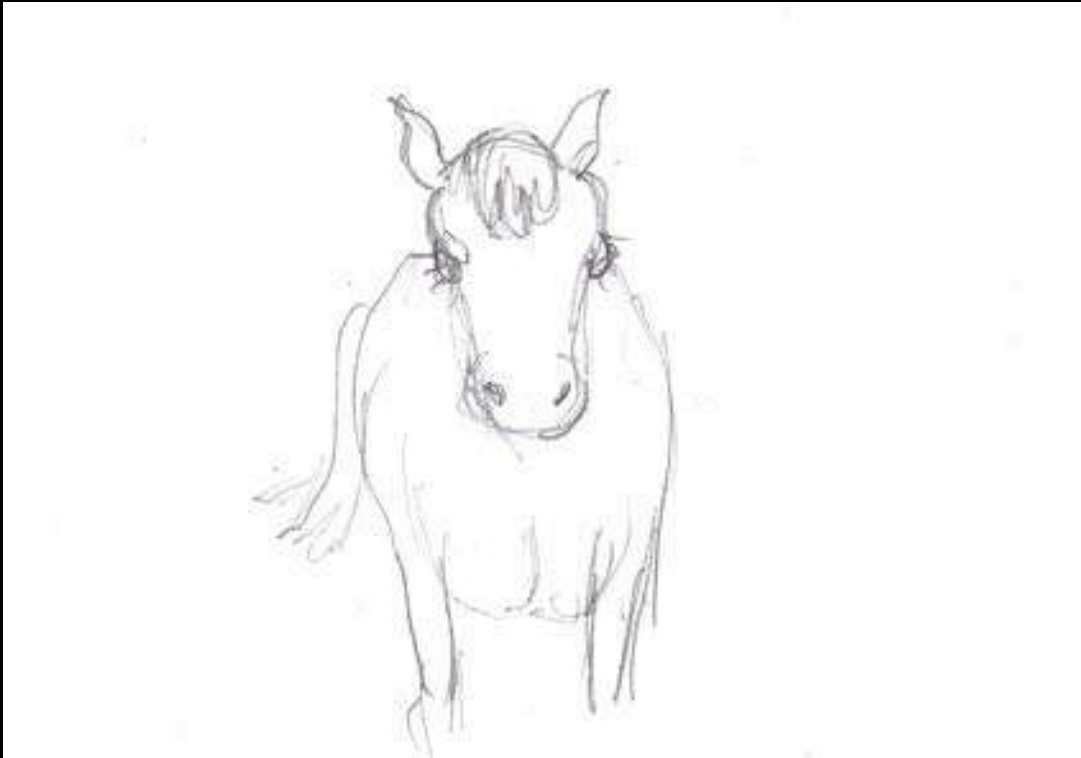


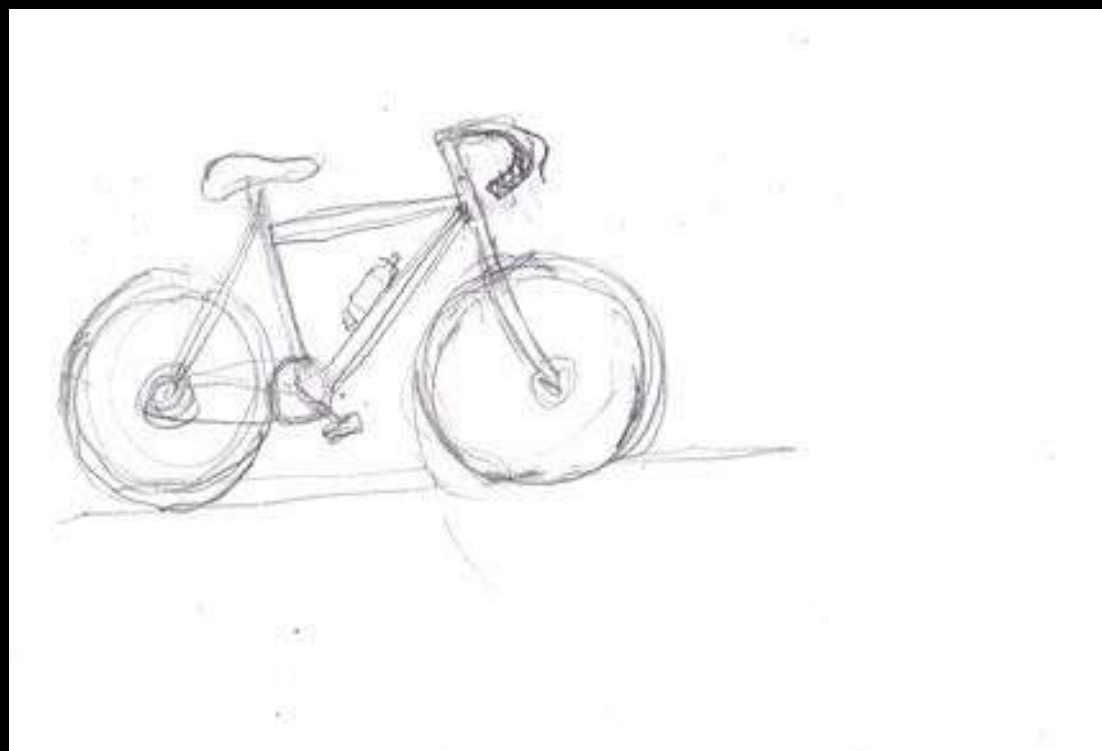


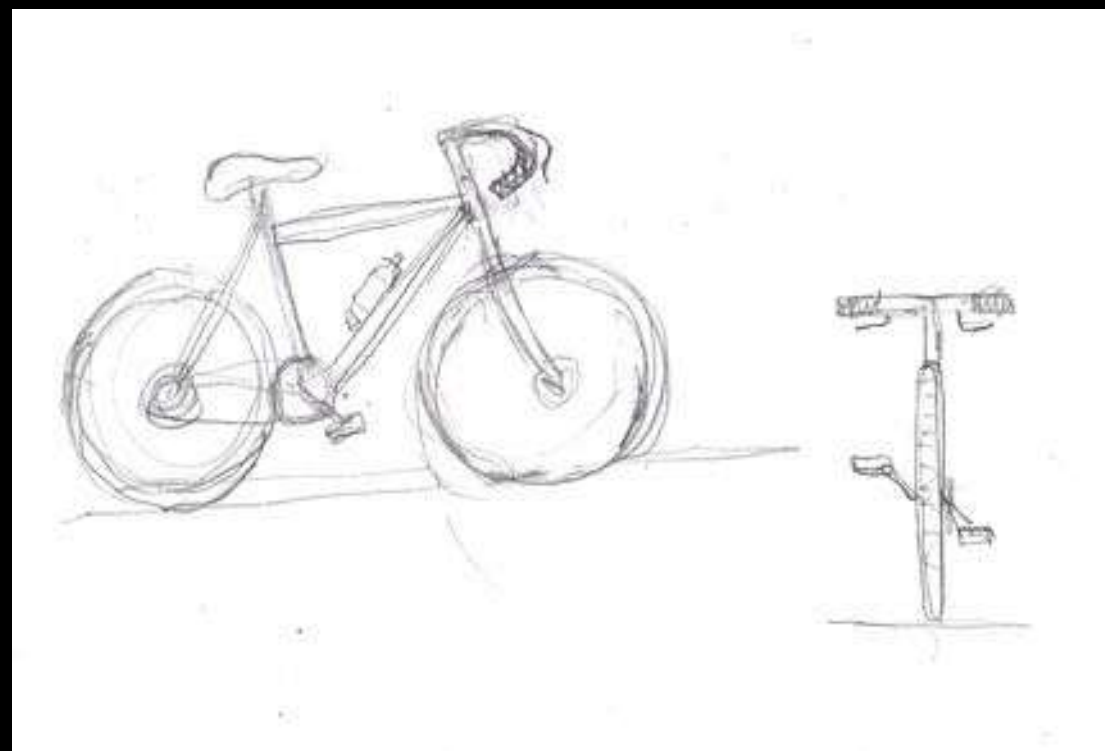










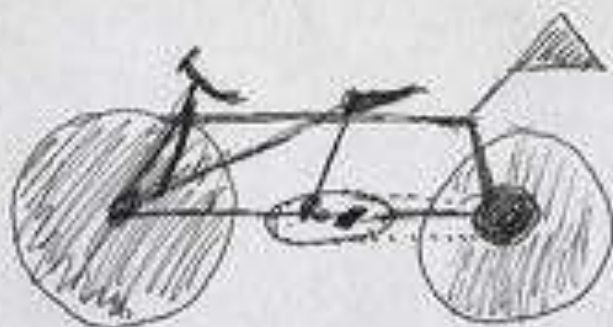




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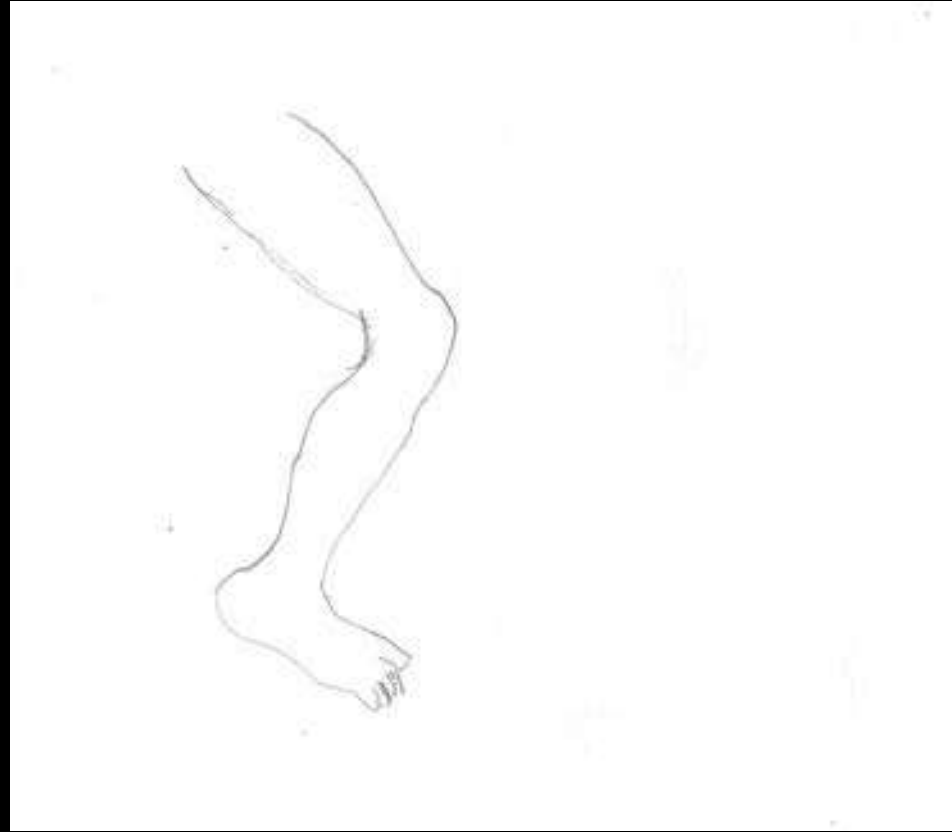


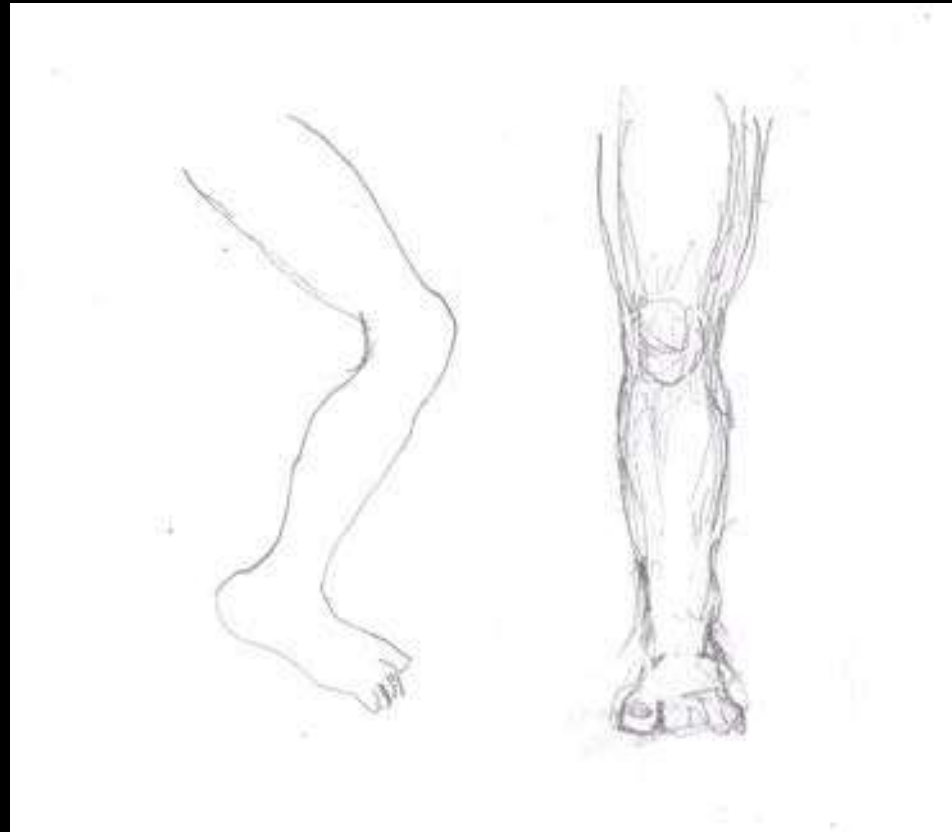
Roscoe 57 Collaborative 3coll.



Little Age-old Europa



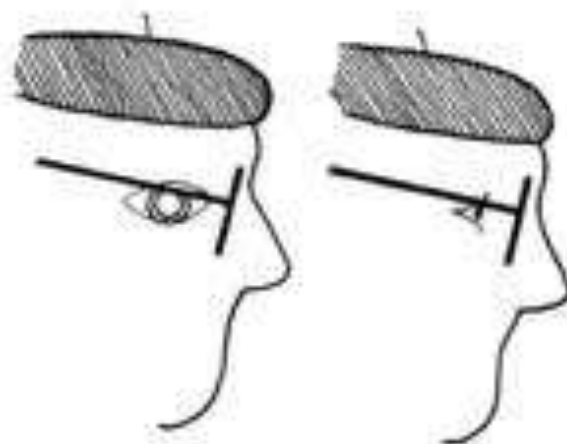
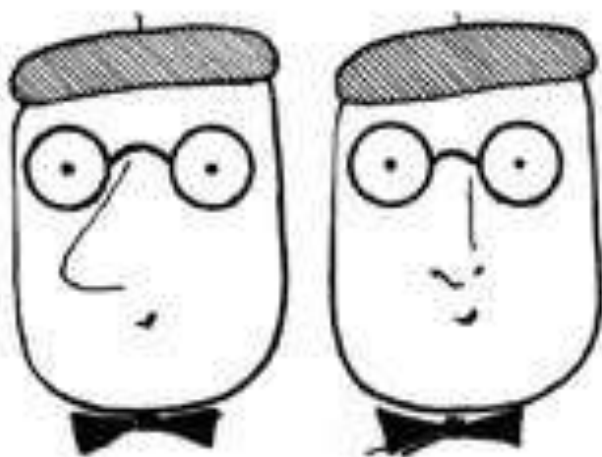
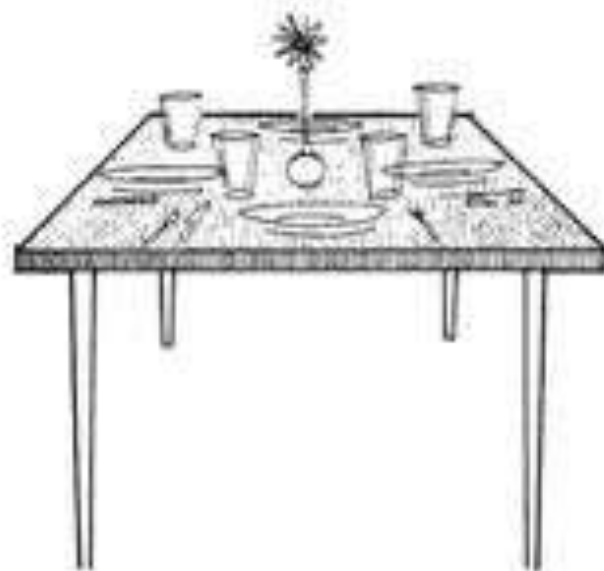
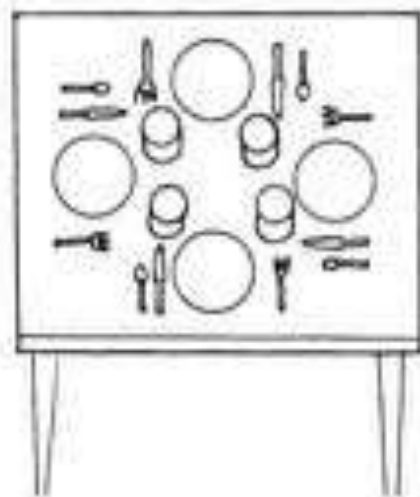






Tentative conclusions

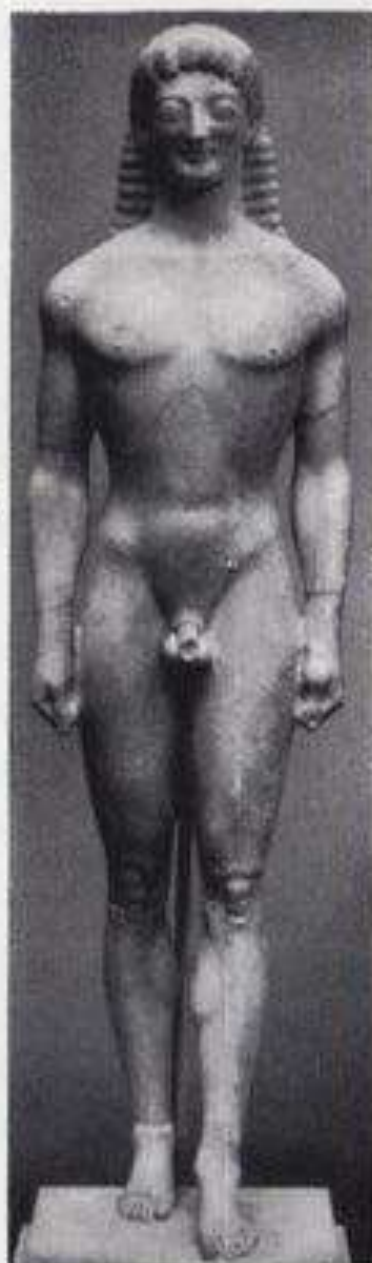
- Schemata -> correction
- Limits of memory & imagination
 - Legibility / clarity
 - Linear symbol vs haptic form
 - The 'known' vs the 'seen' / 'felt'
 - Conceptual vs Perceptual





7. Harvey: 'It's the way they draw these wretched tables,'
The Bulletin, Sydney, Australia





82. *Apollo of Tenea.*
Sixth century B.C.
Parian marble



83. *Apollo of Piombino.*
About 500 B.C. Bronze



84. *The Kritian Boy.*
About 480 B.C.
Parian marble



Myron – 'Diskobolos', 460-450BC (end of the 'Severe' period)



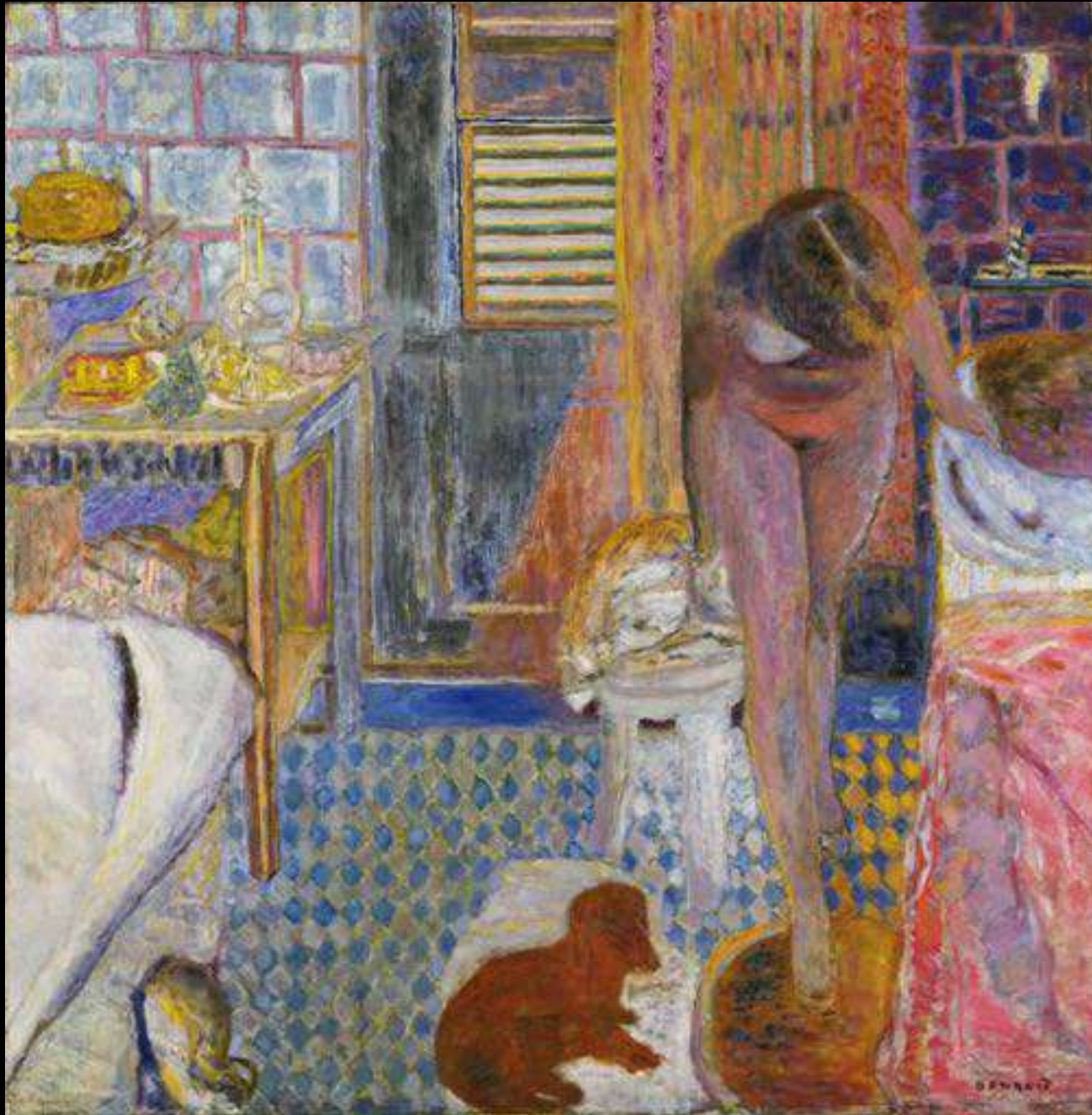
Polykleitos – 'Doryphoros', 440BC ('High Classical')

Archaic

Naturalistic

Legibility, clarity -	_____	- Evocation, detail
Schematic -	_____	- Observational
Symbolic / conceptual -	_____	- Sensational / perceptual
Flatness, decorative design -	_____	- Illusionistic depth, atmosphere
Linearity -	_____	- Form
No light source -	_____	- Chiaroscuro
Conventional / ritual gesture -	_____	- 'Natural' reactions, symptomatic gesture
Formality, nobility, restraint -	_____	- Ease, theatrical increasing to hysterical
Ceremonial; exerts truth -		- Dramatic; invites immersion & empathy



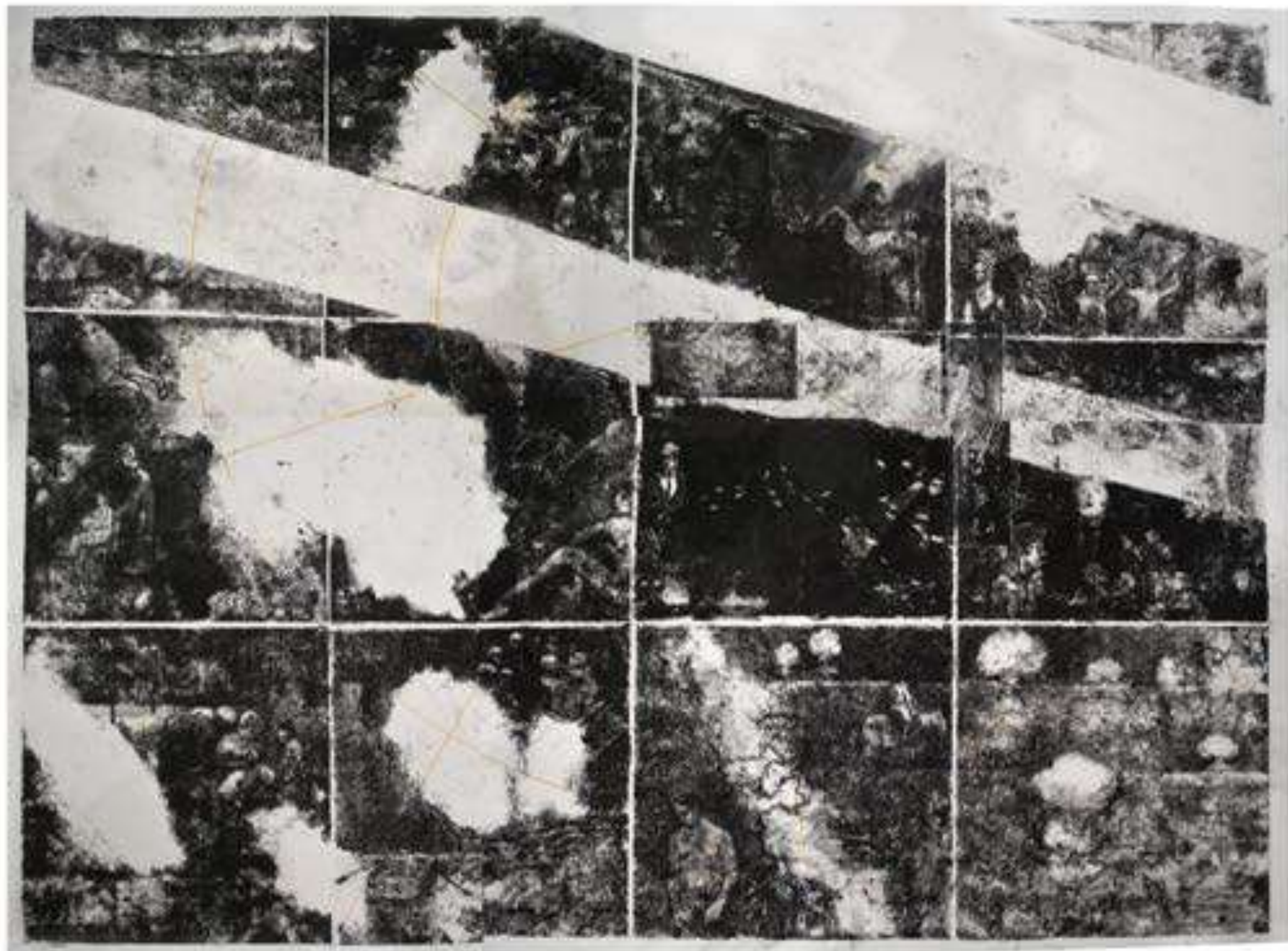


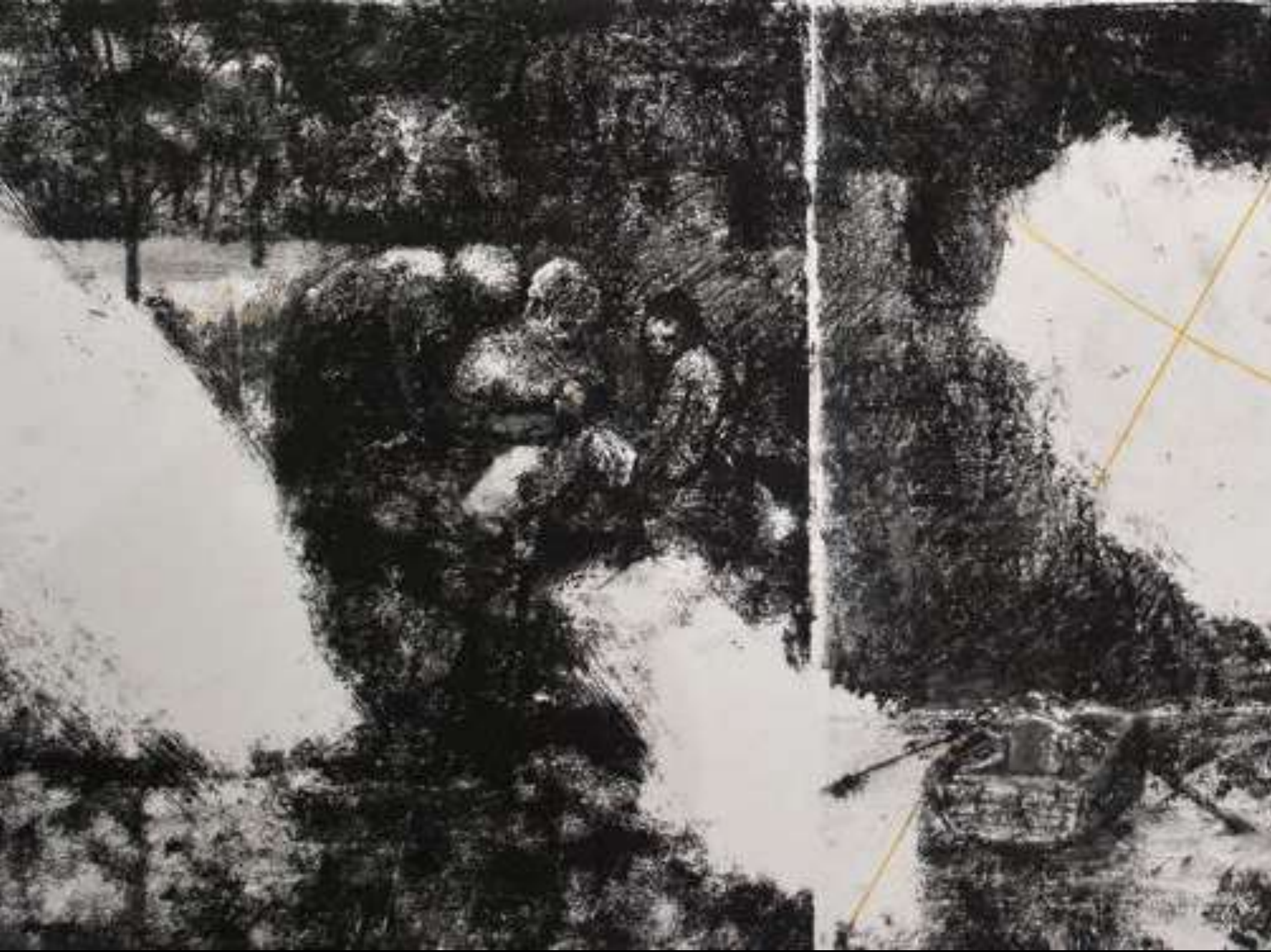
Bonnard – The Bathroom

Examples of My Process

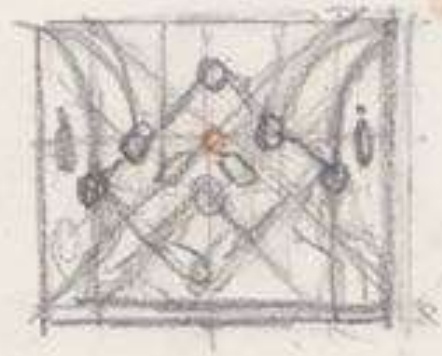














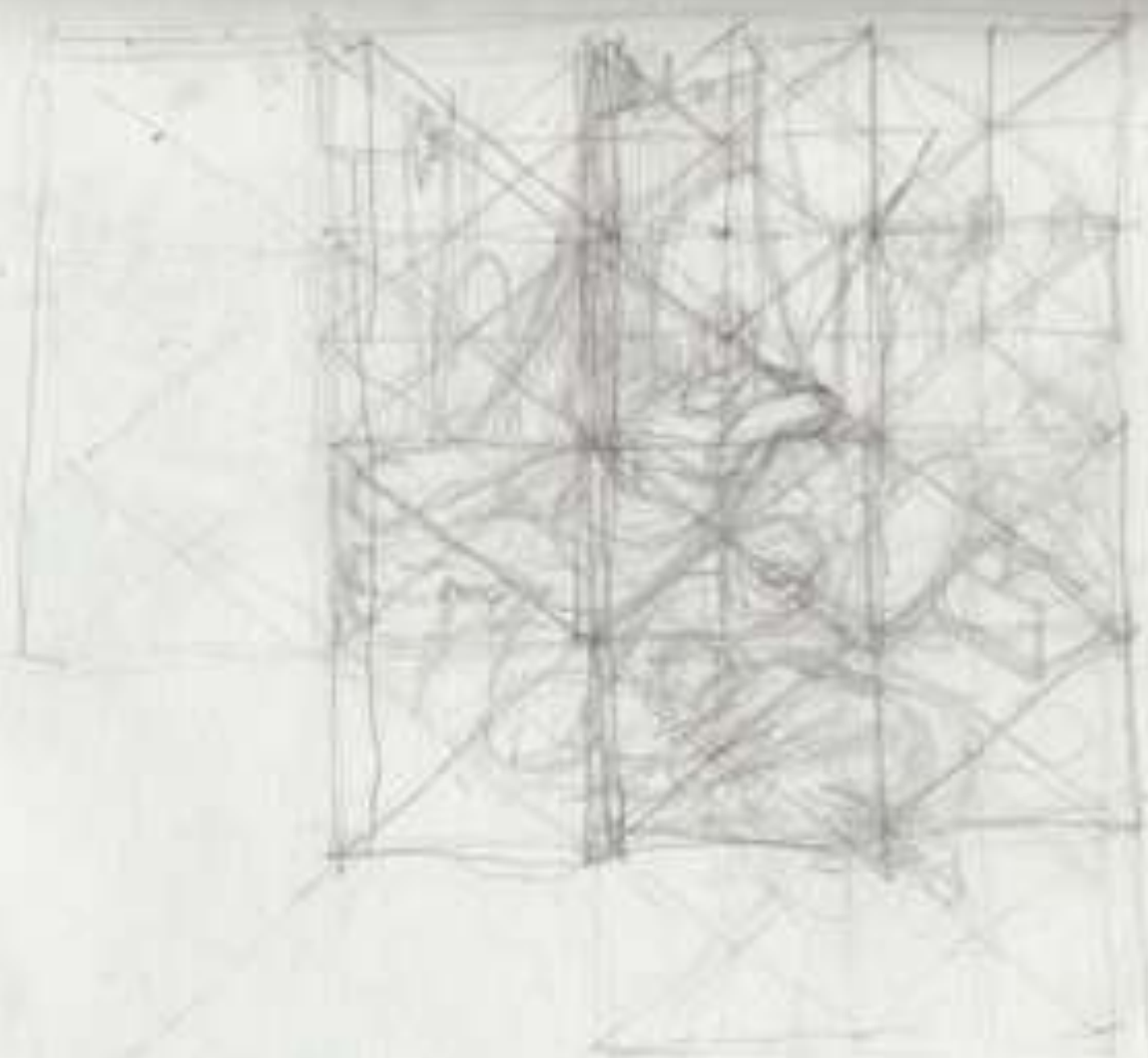


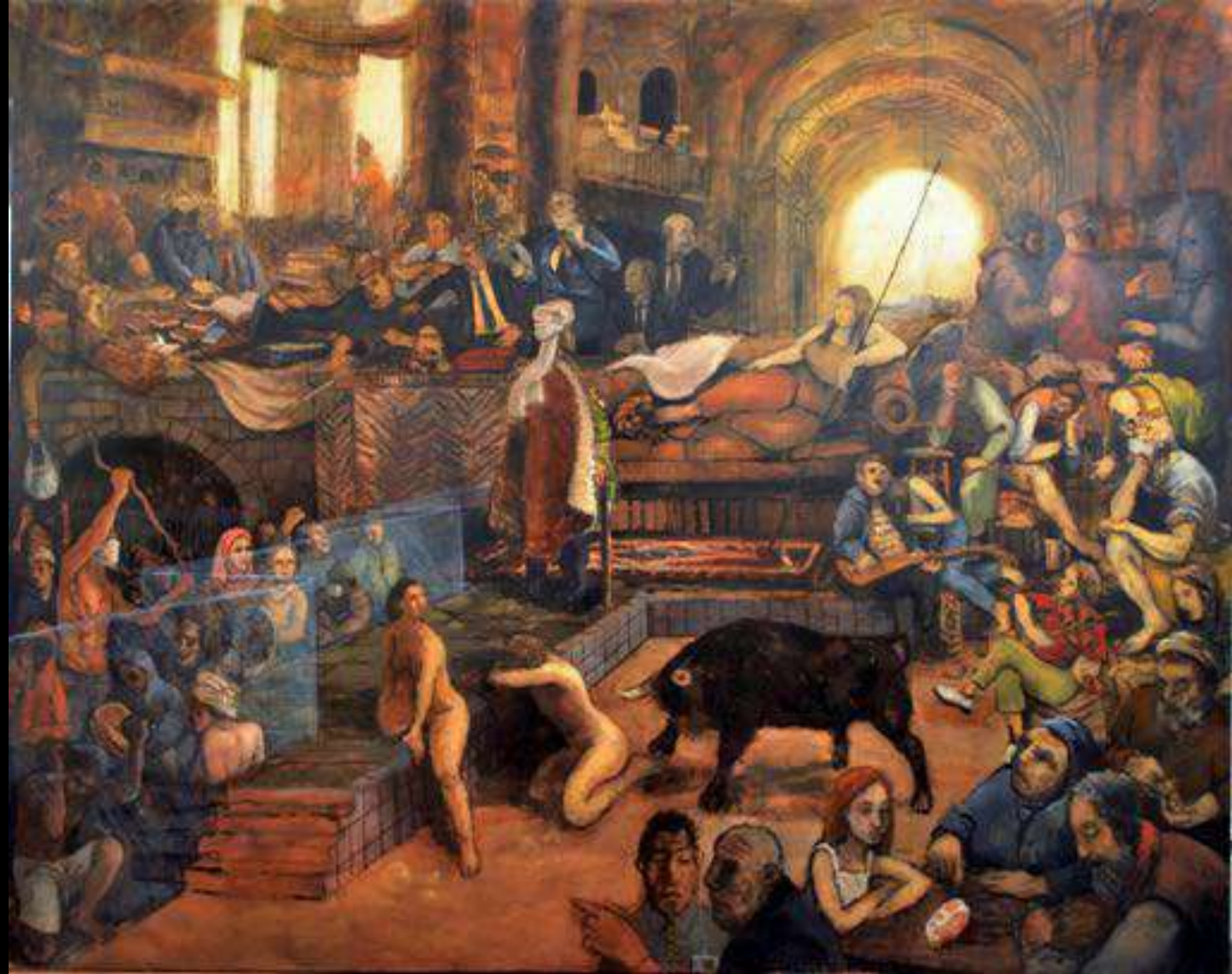


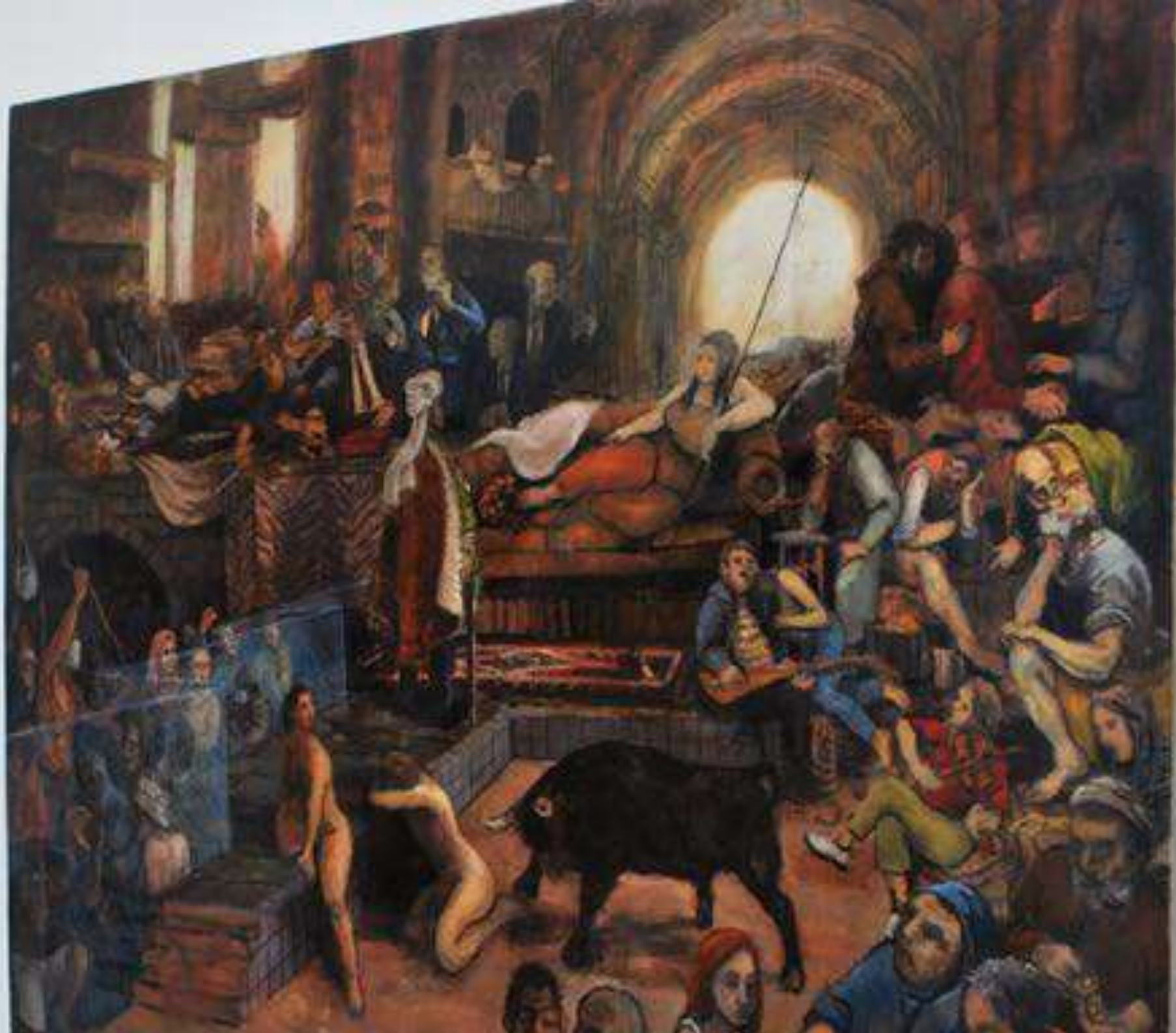














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little boy
sitting on the
ground "singing"







