BRIDGE OF VOICES







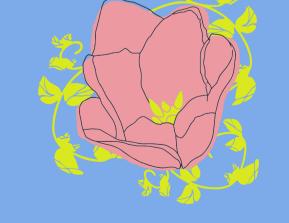






Frida Kahlo's full name is Magdalena Carmen Kahlo y Calderón. She is Mexican. Her date of birth is July 6, 1907.

Her date of death is July 13, 1954. (She died at the age of 47.)

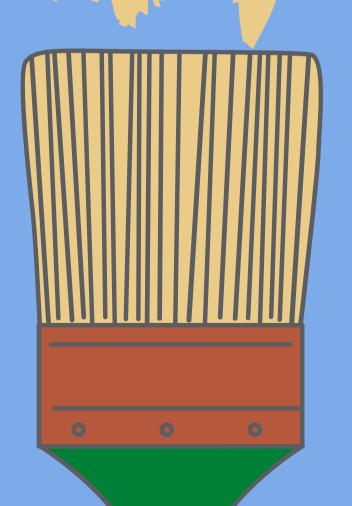


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"Feet, what do I need them for If I have wings to fly."



"They thought I was a Surrealist, but I wasn't. I never painted dreams. I painted my own reality."

"I tried to drown my sorrows, but the bastards learned how to swim, and now I am overwhelmed by this decent and good feeling."

"I paint selfportraits because I am so often alone, because I am the person I know best."

Zeynep Tanem Gıcan - Kırklareli Science and Art Center



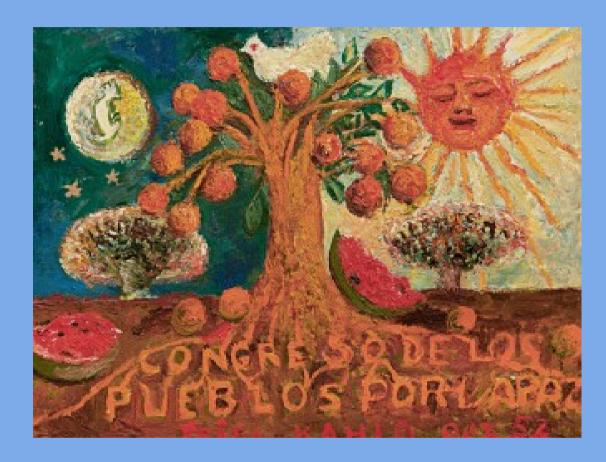
ACCIDENT, WHEN SHE WAS JUST 18

At the age of 18, Frida Kahlo was injured in a bus accident. She was left with a broken spine, a broken collarbone, broken ribs, a broken pelvis, and Il fractures in her right leg. Her right foot was dislocated and crushed, and her shoulder was out of joint. It was really serious because the handrail was sent through her back and pelvis. Because of this terrible accident she couldn't have children.

Julie Pellegrinelli primary school in Piątek



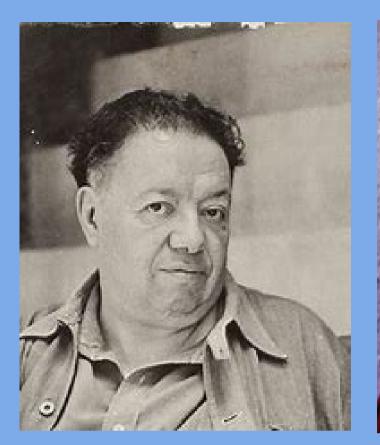
FRIDA KAHLO PAINTINGS



Frida Kahlo mostly portrayed herself in paintings. Her paintings have deep thoughts. Sometimes she portrayed

fruits, trees or environment

Smiltė Čepavičiūtė Jono Totoraičio progimnazija





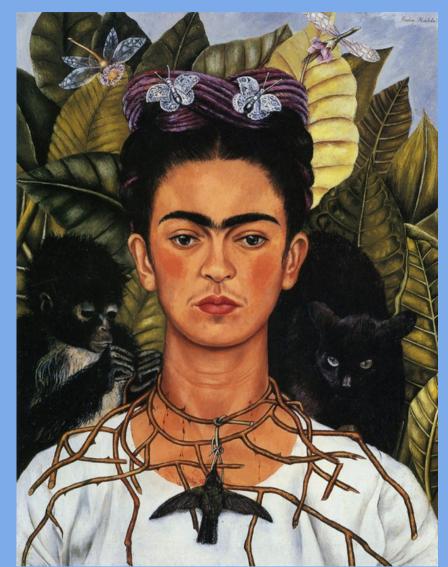
Diego was Frida's husband.

When they got married, Frida's relatives described Diego as an elephant Frida as a dove.

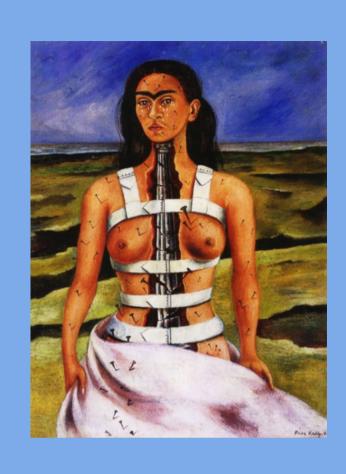
The reason they are so called; Diego was 21 years older than Frida and They were though to be physically unfit all.

SEMİHA AYBEGÜM ERDEM - BAFRA SCİENCE SCHOOL

Frida Kahlo's Famous Paintings



In it Kahlo is wearing a thorn necklace and blood can be seen tricking from the wounds made on her neck by the thorns. A black monkey and a black cat are present on left and right side of her. Hummingbird, a symbol of freedom, is hanging lifelessly from the thorn necklace.

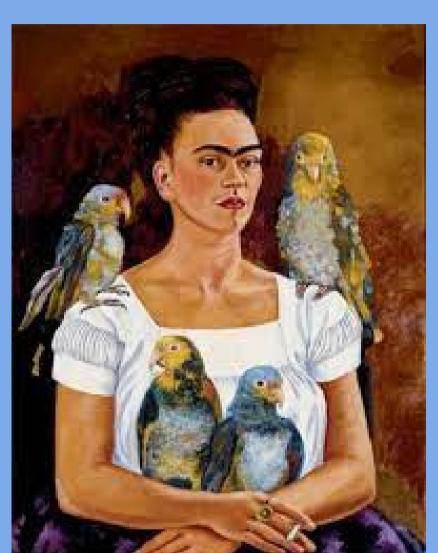


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The Two Fridas was created around the time of Kahlo's divorce to Diego Rivera and it is believed it portrays her loss. It is a double self-portrait. Frida on the left is wearing a white European style dress with her heart torn and bleeding while Frida on the right is wearing a traditional Mexican dress with her heart still whole.

Cult around Frida Kahlo



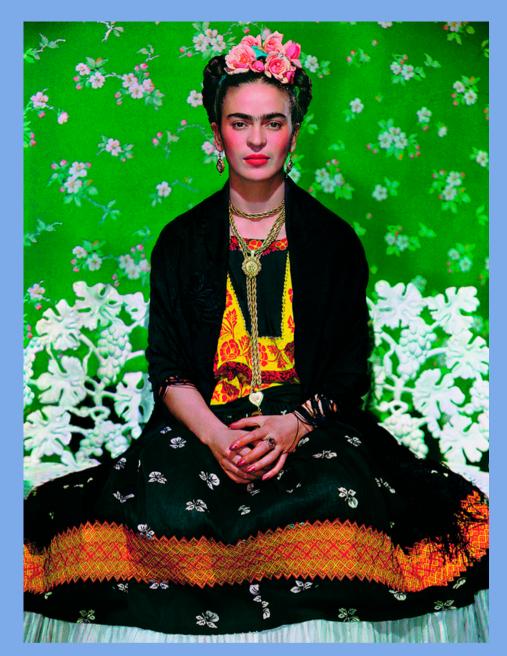


Art historians call the phenomenon the Cult of Kahlo. Spurred on by a seemingly voracious worldwide appetite for Kahlo's works, Mexicans have transformed the surrealist painter, who died 42 years ago, into an icon. In 1984 the Mexican government declared her a national treasure.





Amelia Wodzyńska Primary school in Poland



Why did Frida Khalo keep the monobrow?



