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Not necessarily those things which have influenced me as much as those things with which I have no arguement, and with which I can live.

- 1. "Women have served all these centuries as lookingglasses possessing the magic and delicious power of reflecting the figure of man at twice its natural size." Virginia Woolf
- 2. American Furniture, Carpet, Appliances
- 3. The Rocky Mountains
- 4. "You call that Art, I call it shit." Micheal Hall
- humor, fun, jest, amusement, entertainment, diversion, recreation, pleasant, enjoyment, satisfaction, contentment, wellbeing
- 6. Levitz (coast to coast) since 1910
- 7. Georgia O'Keefe
- 8. old wallpaper
- 9. "The most beautiful thing we can experience is the mysterious. It is the source of all true art and sciences." Albert Einstein
- transparent, glassy, diaphanous, translucent, understandable, clear, evident
- 11. Jim Dine
- 12. Jasper Johns
- 13. Roy Lichtenstein
- 14. Larry Rivers
- 15. Wayne Thiebaud
- 16. Kay Kurt

- 17. Mel Ramos
- 18. "The proud embarrassment of the artist tasting the enjoyment of looking on his own works with the eyes of strangers." Thomas Mann
- 19. Jennie Churchill
- 20. David Hockney
- 21. Alex Hay
- 22. serious, grave, momentous, solemn, earnest, important, resolute, persevering
- 23. "Life is just one damned thing after another." Frank Ward O'Malley
- 24. Joachim Patinir
- 25. Caravaggio
- 26. Jacob van Ruisdael, Antoine Watteau, Thomas Gainsborough, Joseph Mallord William Turner, Georges Seurat, Paul Cezanne, Vincent Van Gough, Jean Baptiste Camille, Jean Francois Millet, Giorgio De Chirico, Andrew Wyeth, Norman Rockwell
- 27. Marcel Duchamp
- 28. Life Magazine, Empire Magazine, National Geographic, U.S. Camera, House and Garden, House Beautiful
- 29. Edward Hopper
- 30. "Artistic growth is, more than it is anything else, a refining of the sense of truthfulness. The stupid believe that to be truthful is easy; only the artist, great artist, knows how difficult it is." Willa Cather
- 31. scale, measure, gauge, standard, proportion
- 32. Rockwell Kent
- 33. H.C. Westerman
- 34. Artistic Lighting
- 35. Organic Gardening, Vegetable Gardening, Herb Gardening

- 36. Home Furniture Company, established 1934
- 37. velvet, nylon, herculon, brocade, satin, prints, quilted cotton, leather, suede, vinyl, naugahyde
- 38. Downings, Colorado's largest brand name TV and Appliance Dealer
- 39. "Art, it seems to me, should simplify. That, indeed, is very nearly the whole of the higher artistic process; finding what conventions of form and what detail one can do without and yet preserve the spirit of the whole so that all that one has suppressed and cut away is there to the reader's consciousness as much as if it were in type on the page." Willa Cather
- 40. Colin Self
- 41. Edward Ruscha
- 42. Christo
- 43. Robert Rauschenberg
- 44. James Rosenquist
- 45. Claus Oldenburg
- 46. May D & F
- 47. "We all do no end of feeling, and we mistake it for thinking, and out of it we get an aggregation which we consider a boon. Its name is Public Opinion. It is held in reverence. It settles everything. Some think it the Voice of God."

 Mark Twain
- 48. World of Sleep, Free Delivery Metro Area
- 49. Rene Magritte
- 50. ambiguous, vague, obscure, disharmony, absurdity, inconsistency, contradiction, incompatibility
- 51. Art Deco
- 52. Homstead House, Quality Home Furnishings

- 53. J.C. Penney, We know what you're looking for
- 54. pastel, pretty, soft, delicate, precise, consistant colors
- 55. "When A annoys or injures B on the pretense of improving B, A is a scroundrel." H.L. Mencken
- 56. Bernini, Narciso Tome, Giambattista Tiepolo, Pietro da Cortona, Giovanni Gaulli, Padre Andrea Pozzo, Gaspard Poussin, Claude Lorrain, Georges de la Tour, Guercino, Annibale Carracci, Nicolas Poussin, Philips Koninck
- 57. superficial, shallow, surface, trivial, inane, external, outside, superstratum, exterior, perceptible, visible, physical, circumjacence
- 58. internal, interior, inside, substratum, intestines, recesses, enclosed, indoor, subcutaneous, contents
- 59. "Judge not, that ye be not judged." Matthew VII, 1
- 60. middleground, foreground, background, centerstage, interplay, main focus, juxtaposition, depth and the lack thereof, plane, level, even
- 61. "That's all there is: there isn't any more." Ethel Barrymore

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Number of Slides and Medium

"1 drawing	9½"x13"	untitled
"2 drawing	7 3/4" x 9 1/4"	untitled
"3 drawing	10" x 13 3/4"	untitled
<u>"4 drawing</u>	11" x 14 1/4"	untitled
"5 drawing	11"x14"	untitled
"6 drawing	13"x17"	untitled



