My Getty Villa Travel Log

PLACE POEM

Go to Gallery 206

SELECT a work of art that shows a scene or is from a place you want to remember.

Make a note of its:

Title: Wall Fragment with a Nile Landscape
Place Shown: Nile River in Egypt

WRITE a poem based on the artwork.

Follow the instructions below for each line of your poem:

Choose a one- or two-word TITLE that describes the place shown in the work of art.

The Nile

Write an ACTION phrase.

Teeming with crocodiles

Write a SIMILE (a phrase that uses “like” or “as”).

Sneaky like submarines

DESCRIBE the artwork’s scene in 3–5 words.

Waiting to attack

Wall Fragment with a Nile Landscape
Roman, about A.D. 70
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