

In Focus: Making a Scene

June 30 to October 18, 2009

The J. Paul Getty Museum at the Getty Center



1. John Plumbe, Jr.
American, born United Kingdom, 1809 - 1857
[Portrait of a Man Reading a Newspaper](#), about 1842

Daguerreotype

1/4 plate

The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles

84.XT.1565.22



2. Hill & Adamson
Scottish, active 1843 - 1848
[\[Lane and Peddie as Afghans\]](#), 1843

Salt print (from Calotype negative)

Image: 20.6 x 14.3 cm (8 1/8 x 5 5/8 in.)

The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles

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3. Hill & Adamson
Scottish, active 1843 - 1848
[\[Greyfriars' Churchyard, the Dennistoun Monument with D. O. Hill and His Nieces\]](#), 1843 - 1847

Salt print (from Calotype negative)

Image: 19.8 x 15.1 cm (7 13/16 x 5 15/16 in.)

The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles

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4. Hill & Adamson
Scottish, active 1843 - 1848
[\[Greyfriars' Churchyard, the Naismith Monument with Thomas Duncan and D. O. Hill\]](#), 1843 - 1848

Salt print (from Calotype negative)

Image: 21.4 x 15.9 cm (8 7/16 x 6 1/4 in.)

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5. Hill & Adamson
Scottish, active 1843 - 1848
[Miss Elizabeth Rigby, 1843 - 1847](#)

Salt print (from Calotype negative)
Image: 20.8 x 14.3 cm (8 3/16 x 5 5/8 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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6. Hill & Adamson
Scottish, active 1843 - 1848
[\[Greyfriars' Churchyard, the Naismith Monument with Thomas Duncan and D. O. Hill\], 1843 - 1848](#)

Salted paper, from Calotype negative print
Image: 20.2 x 14.6 cm (7 15/16 x 5 3/4 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
88.XM.57.27



7. Unknown maker, French
[Woman Reading to a Girl, about 1845](#)

Daguerreotype
1/4 double elliptical cut plate
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XT.404.1



8. Hill & Adamson
Scottish, active 1843 - 1848
[\[Mrs. Elizabeth Cockburn Cleghorn and John Henning as Miss Wardour and Eddie Ochiltree from Sir Walter Scott's "The Antiquary"\], 1846 - 1847](#)

Salt print (from Calotype negative)
Image: 20.6 x 15.7 cm (8 1/8 x 6 3/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
88.XM.57.21



9. Unknown maker, French
[Portrait of a Laundress, 1848 - 1850](#)

Daguerreotype, hand-colored
Image: 13.5 x 10 cm (5 5/16 x 3 15/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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10. Unknown maker, French
[A Sister of Charity Serving a Patient at the Hospice de Beaune, about 1848](#)

Daguerreotype, hand-colored
1/2 plate
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XT.404.6



11. Oscar Gustave Rejlander
British, born Sweden, 1813 - 1875
[The Infant Photography Giving the Painter an Additional Brush](#), about 1856

Albumen silver print
Image: 6 x 7.1 cm (2 3/8 x 2 13/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XP.458.34



12. Roger Fenton
British, 1819 - 1869
[Pasha and Bayadère](#), 1858

Albumen silver print
Image: 45 x 36.2 cm (17 11/16 x 14 1/4 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XP.219.32



13. Roger Fenton
British, 1819 - 1869
[Contemplative Odalisque](#), 1858

Albumen silver print
Image: 36.2 x 43.8 cm (14 1/4 x 17 1/4 in.)
Gift of Professors Joseph and Elaine Monsen. The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
92.XM.53



14. Julia Margaret Cameron
British, born India, 1815 - 1879
[The Rosebud Garden of Girls](#), June 1868

Albumen silver print
Image: 29.4 x 26.7 cm (11 9/16 x 10 1/2 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XM.443.66



15. Julia Margaret Cameron
British, born India, 1815 - 1879
[Venus Chiding Cupid and Removing His Wings](#), 1872

Albumen silver print
Image: 32.4 x 27.3 cm (12 3/4 x 10 3/4 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XM.443.4



16. Lewis Carroll (Charles Lutwidge Dodgson)
British, 1832 - 1898
[Saint George and the Dragon](#), June 26, 1875

Albumen silver print
Image: 12.2 x 16.2 cm (4 13/16 x 6 3/8 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XP.458.15



17. Henry Peach Robinson
British, 1830 - 1901
[When the Day's Work Is Done](#), 1877

Albumen silver print
Image: 56 x 74.5 cm (22 1/16 x 29 5/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XM.898



18. Baron Wilhelm von Gloeden
German, 1856 - 1931
[Two Youths Holding Palm Fronds](#), about 1885 - 1905

Albumen silver print
Image: 23.3 x 17.5 cm (9 3/16 x 6 7/8 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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19. Gertrude Käsebier
American, 1852 - 1934
[The Manger \(Ideal Motherhood\)](#), 1899

Platinum print
Image: 32.5 x 23.7 cm (12 13/16 x 9 5/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XM.160.1



20. Baron Wilhelm von Gloeden
German, 1856 - 1931
[L'Offerta \(The Offering\)](#), 1902

Albumen silver print
Image: 22.4 x 16.8 cm (8 13/16 x 6 5/8 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XM.631.2



21. Guido Rey
Italian, 1861 - 1935
[The Letter](#), 1908

Platinum print
Image: 22.2 x 14 cm (8 3/4 x 5 1/2 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
85.XP.314.7



22. Unknown maker, American
Possibly Roi Partridge
American, 1888 - 1984
[Saint Anne of the Crooked Halo](#), 1920s

Gelatin silver, toned print
Image: 24.4 x 19.3 cm (9 5/8 x 7 5/8 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
90.XM.58.4



23. Man Ray (Emmanuel Radnitsky)
American, 1890 - 1976
[Rose Sélavy \(Marcel Duchamp\)](#), 1923

Gelatin silver print
Image: 22.1 x 17.6 cm (8 11/16 x 6 15/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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24. William Mortensen
American, 1897 - 1965
The Bad Thief, 1926

Bromoil print
Image: 24.8 x 34.3 cm (9 3/4 x 13 1/2 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
84.XP.208.188



25. Man Ray (Emmanuel Radnitsky)
American, 1890 - 1976
[Larmes \(Tears\)](#), 1930 - 1932

Gelatin silver print
Image: 22.9 x 29.8 cm (9 x 11 3/4 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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26. Dora Maar
French, 1907 - 1997
Le Simulateur (The Pretender), 1936

Gelatin silver print
Image: 26.6 x 21.7 cm (10 1/2 x 8 1/2 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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27. Clarence John Laughlin
American, 1905 - 1985
Figure with Phantasmal Fan, 1941

Gelatin silver print
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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28. Ralph Eugene Meatyard
American, 1925 - 1972, active Kentucky
Life of Aspersorium, 1960

Gelatin silver print
Image: 18.2 x 17.7 cm (7 3/16 x 6 15/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
© *The Estate of Ralph Eugene Meatyard, Courtesy Fraenkel Gallery*
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29. Ralph Eugene Meatyard
 American, 1925 - 1972, active Kentucky
Untitled (Michael and Christopher Meatyard), 1966

Gelatin silver print
 Image: 16.8 x 17.5 cm (6 5/8 x 6 7/8 in.)
 Gift of Christopher Meatyard and Jonathan Greene. The
 J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
 © Estate of Ralph Eugene Meatyard
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30. Lucas Samaras
 American, born Greece, 1936
Photo-Transformation, about 1970s

Polaroid SX-70 print
 Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
 The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
 © Lucas Samaras
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31. Lucas Samaras
 American, born Greece, 1936
Photo-Transformation, September 11, 1973

Polaroid SX-70 print
 Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
 The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
 © Lucas Samaras
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32. Lucas Samaras
 American, born Greece, 1936
Photo-Transformation, November 22, 1973

Polaroid SX-70 print
 Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
 The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
 © Lucas Samaras
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33. Lucas Samaras
 American, born Greece, 1936
Photo-Transformation, June 13, 1974

Polaroid SX-70 print
 Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
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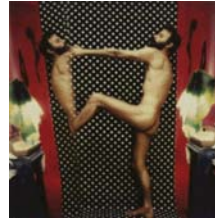
34. Lucas Samaras
 American, born Greece, 1936
Photo-Transformation, February 5, 1974

Polaroid SX-70 print
 Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
 The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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35. Lucas Samaras
American, born Greece, 1936
[Photo-Transformation](#), July 6, 1975

Polaroid SX-70 print
Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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36. Lucas Samaras
American, born Greece, 1936
[Photo-Transformation](#), September 9, 1976

Polaroid SX-70 print
Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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37. Lucas Samaras
American, born Greece, 1936
[Photo-Transformation](#), 1976

Polaroid SX-70 print
Image: 7.6 x 7.6 cm (3 x 3 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
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38. Joel-Peter Witkin
American, born 1939
[Mother and Child \(With Retractor, Screaming\)](#), 1979

Gelatin silver print
Image: 36 x 36 cm (14 3/16 x 14 3/16 in.)
The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles
© *Joel-Peter Witkin*
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39. Eileen Cowin
American, born 1947
[Untitled](#), 1980 - 1983
from *Family Docudrama*
Chromogenic print
Image: 48.4 x 60.7 cm (19 1/16 x 23 7/8 in.)
Purchased with funds provided by the Photographs
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40. Eileen Cowin
American, born 1947
[Untitled](#), 1980 - 1983
from *Family Docudrama*
Chromogenic print
Image: 48.3 x 60.8 cm (19 x 23 15/16 in.)
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