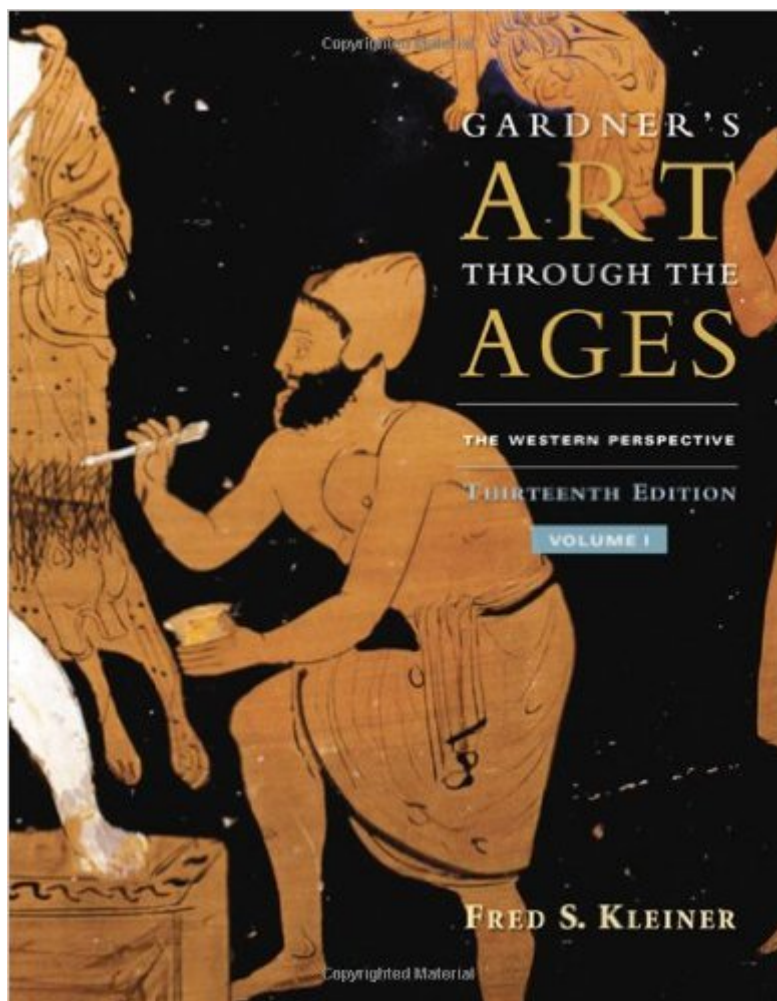


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A well written textbook that keeps my interest. The information is not dumbed down only explained better. The images and time lines are very helpful and really make the text come alive. Would recommend this to anyone with an interest in history as well as art.

Book is used by most art departments in their art appreciation courses and for a good reason: it succinctly covers the emergence and explosion of art from the earliest time up to the renaissance.

Great explanations and definitions; the photographs are spot-on and beautifully rendered.

I don't have much to say about the book, I just purchased material as directed by scholars, I rented this from rentals, I have more to say about 's rentals, its convenient, easy to return and has very good prices, it was my first and best alternative after chegg.com which I had a very bad experience with and turned out to be more cheap!!!!

Wonderful, well written text with plenty of great images provided. Provides an excellent overview of the cultural, political, and religious contexts of the art of different time periods up to the early Renaissance. Easy to understand and greatly contributed to my understanding of early art. I highly recommend it!

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