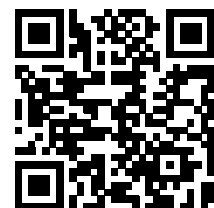


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# Symbols and Meanings in Victorian Art



In the Victorian era, art was not just about \_\_\_\_\_. It also served as a medium to convey complex \_\_\_\_\_ and emotions. Artists often used symbols to express \_\_\_\_\_ such as love, death, and the struggle between good and \_\_\_\_\_. One popular symbol was the \_\_\_\_\_, representing love and beauty but also the pain of its thorns. The \_\_\_\_\_ was another significant symbol, often depicting the passage of time and the transient nature of life. In many paintings, the \_\_\_\_\_ symbolized truth and self-reflection. Animals were also common symbols, with the \_\_\_\_\_ representing bravery and the dove symbolizing peace. The \_\_\_\_\_ was a stark reminder of mortality, a theme prevalent in Victorian \_\_\_\_\_. Nature, with its \_\_\_\_\_, reflected the cycle of life, from birth to death. The \_\_\_\_\_ was a symbol of hope and steadfastness amidst life's storms. Through these symbols, Victorian art told stories that were more than just visual; they were narratives rich with meaning and \_\_\_\_\_. This use of symbolism allowed artists to explore the complexities of human experience in a way that was both beautiful and \_\_\_\_\_.

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