

Marino Marini: Picture "Marino from Shakespeare II, Panel VI" (1978)

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Horses were among Marino Marini's favourite subjects. The artist once explained his choice of the motif by saying that his studio in Monza, where he lived in the 1930s, was located next to a horse stable. Thus, the subject would have seemed to force itself on him. The interplay and symbolism of horse and rider preoccupied Marini in his sculptures and his graphic art, whereby he formally moved in the field of tension between abstraction and figuration.

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