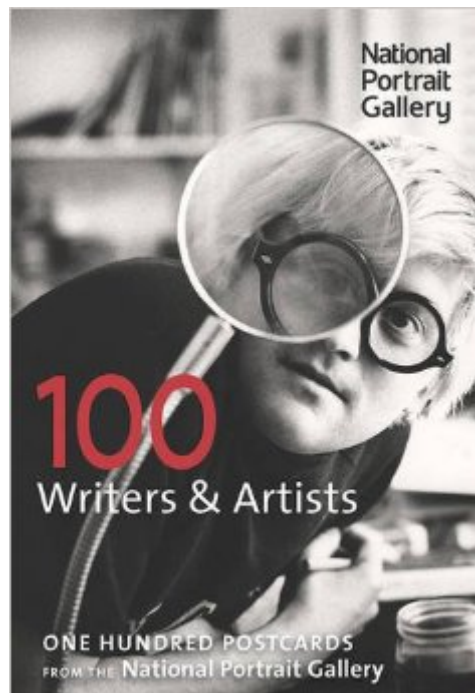


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Founded in 1856, the National Portrait Gallery in London holds the most extensive collection of portraits in the world. 100 Writers and Artists from the National Portrait Gallery brings together a huge range of cultural icons - from William Shakespeare to J.K. Rowling to J.M.W. Turner all the way to David Hockney. This box contains 100 postcards of authors, poets, painters, sculptors and photographers, in colour, as well as black and white, and a wide variety of styles, packed in a sturdy keepsake box. Portraits include Agatha Christie, Byron, Charles Dickens, Daphne Du Maurier, Dante Gabriel Rossetti, DH Lawrence, EM Forster, Frances Bacon, George Bernard Shaw, Gwen John, Virginia Woolf, Henry James, Henry Moore, Ian Fleming, Iris Murdoch, James A M Whistler, J M Barrie, James Joyce, Joan Miro, John Constable, Joseph Conrad, Katherine Mansfield, Kazuo Ishiguro, Keats, Laurie Lee, Lewis Carroll, Lucian Freud, Lucien Pissarro, Man Ray, Nancy Mitford, Noel Coward, Oscar Wilde, R L Stevenson, Rudyard Kipling, Rex Whistler, Samuel Beckett, Seamus Heaney, T S Elliott, Vanessa Bell, Vita Sackville West and William Wordsworth. As well as many self portraits, such as portraits by Cecil Beaton, Vanessa Bell, Ida Kar, Peter Edwards, Camille Pissarro, Duncan Grant, John Gay, Richard Doyle, Howard Coster, Clemence Dane, Godfrey Argent, John Singer Sargent and Augustus John.

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The cards provide a wide variety of photographs and paintings. I would have liked to see more authors who are still writing. The microscopic "index" of images on the back cover is impossible to use. A printed index inside the box would have elevated the value of the collection.

I got these as a gift for my sister that recently got published and she absolutely loved them! They were made out of thick cardstock and she plans on writing the poems that get published on the back and using them as a wall display. These were seriously nice postcards that can have some great meaning to those in the literary world.

These were for an engagement party to be used as advice cards. They were brilliant and perfect. Loved the packaging and the storage. Great postcards.

This is a great collection. I wish there were a similar collection of American writers and artists.

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No issues.

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