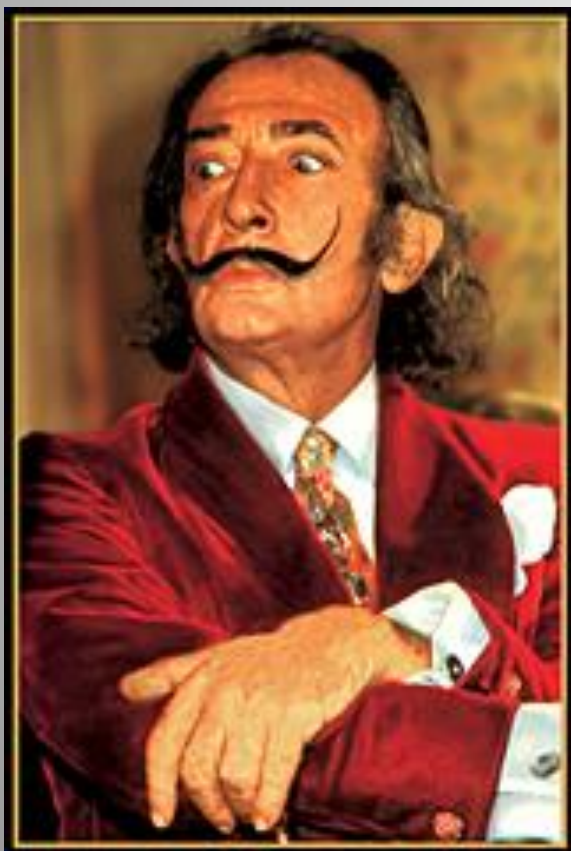


Salvador Dali and his life

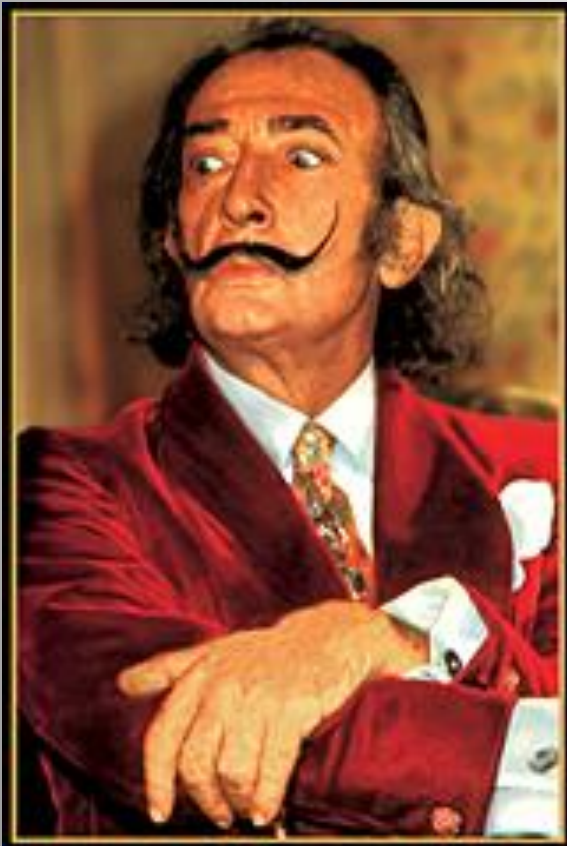


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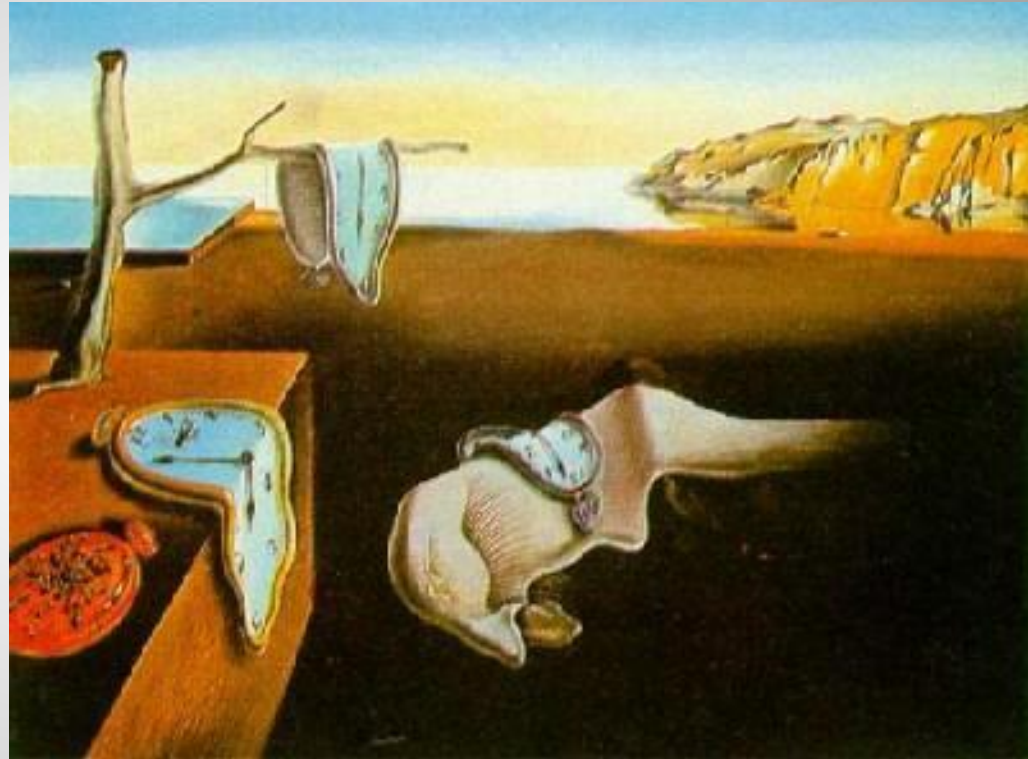
Salvador Domènec Felip Jacint Dalí i Domènech, Marquis of Dalí de Púbol



Was born on May 11, 1904,
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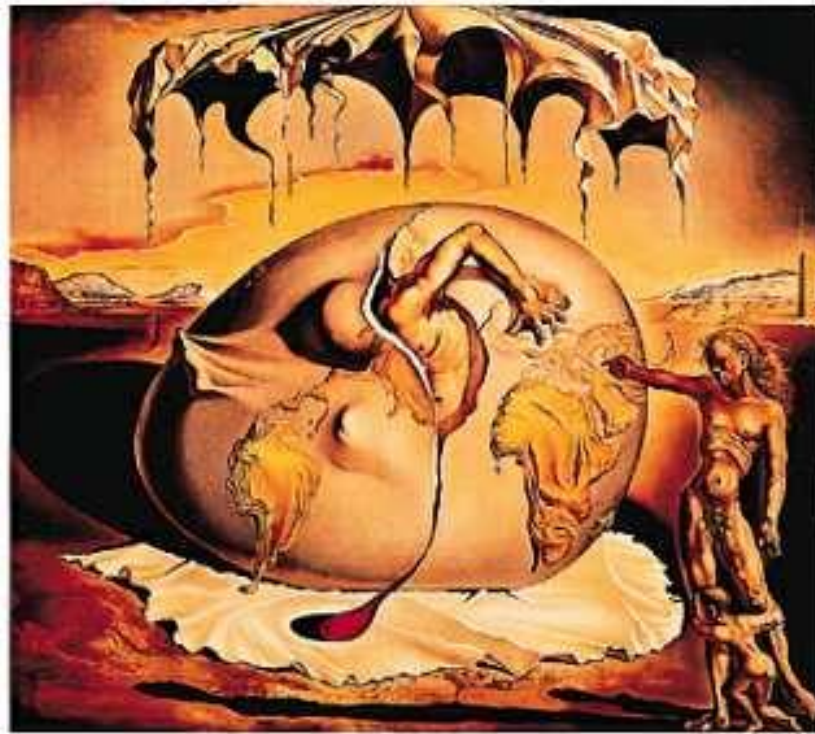
Artist

- Salvador Dali is most famous for his surreal paintings.



1904:

- Born on 11 May in Figueres. Son of the notary public Salvador Dalí Cusí and his wife Felipa Domènech Ferrés.



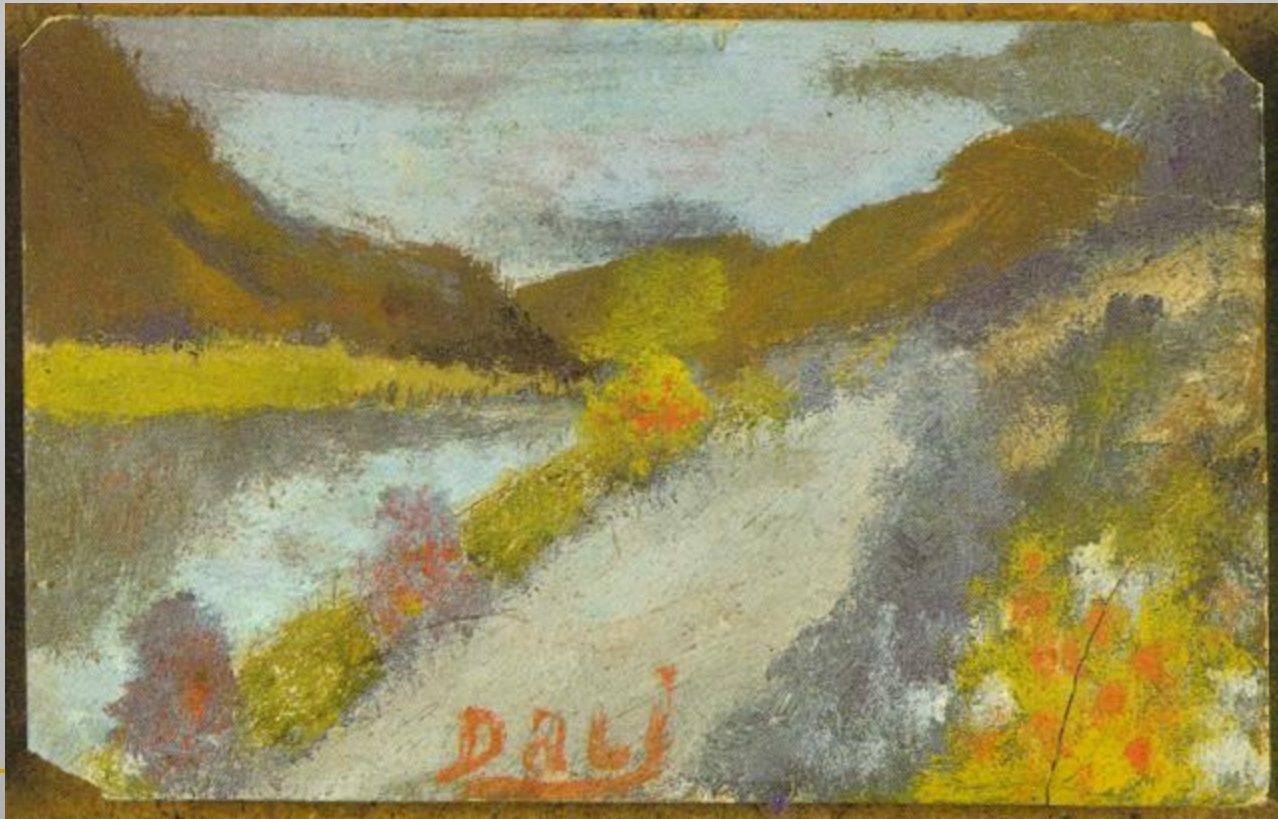
1910:

- Salvador's father decided to enroll him at the Hispano-French School of the Immaculate Conception in Figueres, where he learned French.



1916:

- Salvador spent time at an estate owned by the Pichot family, a family of intellectuals and artists.
- It was there that he discovered Impressionism.



1921:

- Salvador's mother died in February. The following year, his father married Catalina Domènech Ferrés, his sister-in-law.



1923:

- He was expelled from the Academia de San Fernando, accused of having led a student protest.



1925:

- Salvador presented his first individual art exhibit.



1927:

- He held his second individual exhibition in Barcelona.



1929:

- Salvador met his future wife, Gala, who was married to another man.



1934:

- Marries Gala. Traveled to America for the first time.



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1937:

- In February he met the Marx Brothers in Hollywood. Along with Harpo, he began work on the script for a film entitled *Giraffes on Horseback Salad* (but called in its latest version *The Surrealist Woman*), which was never actually produced.



1939:

- In May he signed a contract to take part in the World's Fair of New York. He designed the *Dream of Venus* pavilion, which was presented in the Fair's amusement zone.



1944:

- In *Life* magazine he published an article entitled “Nightmare Journey” and created a cover for *Vogue*.



1945:

- He went to Hollywood to work with Alfred Hitchcock on the film *Spellbound*, whose dreamlike sequences were created by Dalí.



1946:

- Designed covers for *EtCetera* magazine and the Christmas issue of *Vogue*.
- Walt Disney hired Dalí to help produce the film *Destino*.



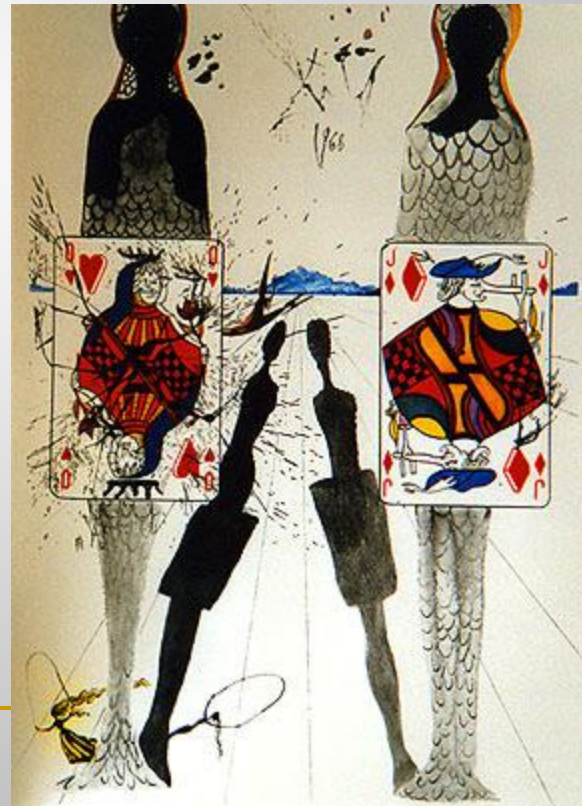
1955:



- He made the *Portrait of Laurence Olivier in the Role of Richard III*, to promote the film *Richard III*, based on the work by Shakespeare.

1969:

- Dalí purchased Púbol Castle and decorated it for Gala. Various books illustrated by Dalí were published: Goethe's *Faust* and *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* by Lewis Carroll.



1989:

- Dalí died at Torre Galatea on 23 January.



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