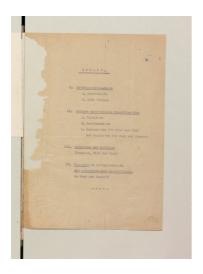
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Excerpt from the "Divinely Gifted List"
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3 Letter from the Reich Chamber of the Fine Arts to Eduard Bischoff

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Richard Scheibe is being erected in the courtyard of
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5 Richard Scheibe working on the model of *Fortuna* for Schloss Charlottenburg in Berlin

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7 Hans Breker's identification card for the Weimar Academy of Architecture

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8 Unveiling of the *Flaming Angel* by Adolf Wamper in front of the Düren Town Hall

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Mayor Luise Albertz and chief municipal director Dr Werner Petersen view the model of the Mourning Woman in Willy Meller's studio June 1961

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10 Installation of the sculpture of the Mourning Woman by Willy Meller

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Hermann Kaspar with Richard Knecht during the preparation of the procession "2000 Years of German Culture" on the occasion of the "Day of German Art"

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12 Hermann Kaspar in front of the design for the Gobelin Lady Musica in his studio

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13 Unveiling of Hermann Kaspar's Lady Musica in the Nuremberg Meistersingerhalle Nuremberg, 12 January 1970

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15 Article "Everyone has their standpoint" on Paul Mathias Padua

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14 Flyer of the AStA of the Munich Art Academy on the "Exhibition on the documentation of the Hermann Kaspar case", redacted by Kaspar's class

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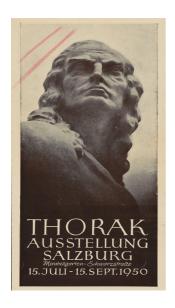
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17 Folder for the exhibition of Josef Thorak's works in the Mirabell Garden in Salzburg

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19 Photo of Arno Breker and Ludwig Erhard with portrait bust

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18 Model for the Paracelsus memorial by Josef Thorak

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20 Arno Breker in his studio with a portrait bust of Ludwig Erhard

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Iron curtain of the Vienna State Opera after designs by Rudolf Hermann Eisenmenger
 Vienna, November 1955
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Werner Peiner, Allegory of Peace
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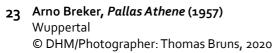


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24 Hans Breker, Memorial of Destruction (1964)
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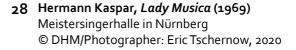
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27 Hermann Kaspar, Deckengemälde (1965) Hofbräuhaus München © DHM/Photographer: Eric Tschernow, 2020





29 Rudolf Hermann Eisenmenger, Painting in the City Cinema in the Vienna Artists' House (1948)

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