

The background of the cover is a detailed illustration of a lush jungle. In the upper left, there are white line drawings of various plants and flowers, intended to be colored in. The rest of the scene is filled with green foliage, including large leaves and ferns. A person with dark skin and long hair, wearing a rainbow-striped tunic, stands in the middle ground playing a long, thin flute. To the right, a lion is partially visible, looking towards the viewer. In the foreground, there are several large, colorful flowers, including a blue one on the right and a pink one in the center. The overall style is artistic and detailed, typical of a coloring book.

# The ART Coloring Book



# Join me on a journey through the world of art!

Along the way you'll see many famous paintings that you can finish and add to, color in, or even change—any way you like.



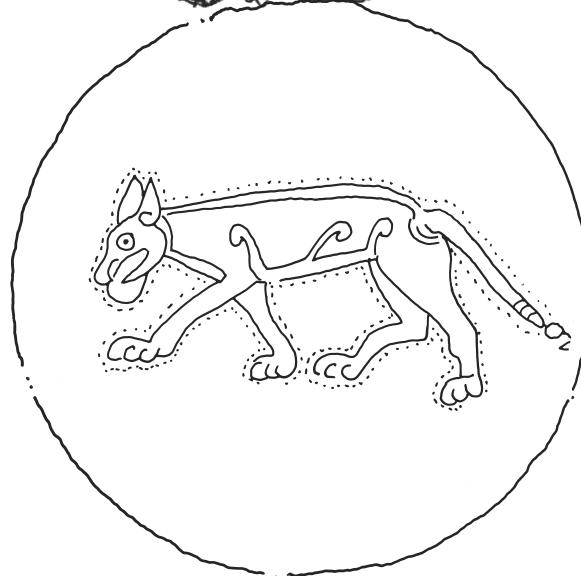
*as old as the hills ...*



Hi, I'm Paul.  
Do you like to paint  
and draw as much  
as I do?



*somewhat newer...*

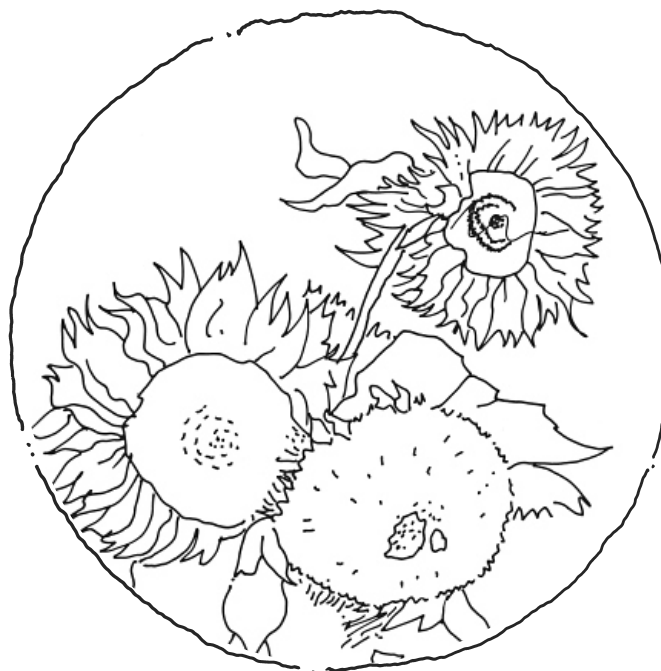


*very old ...*

**You only need  
your favorite paints  
or crayons!**

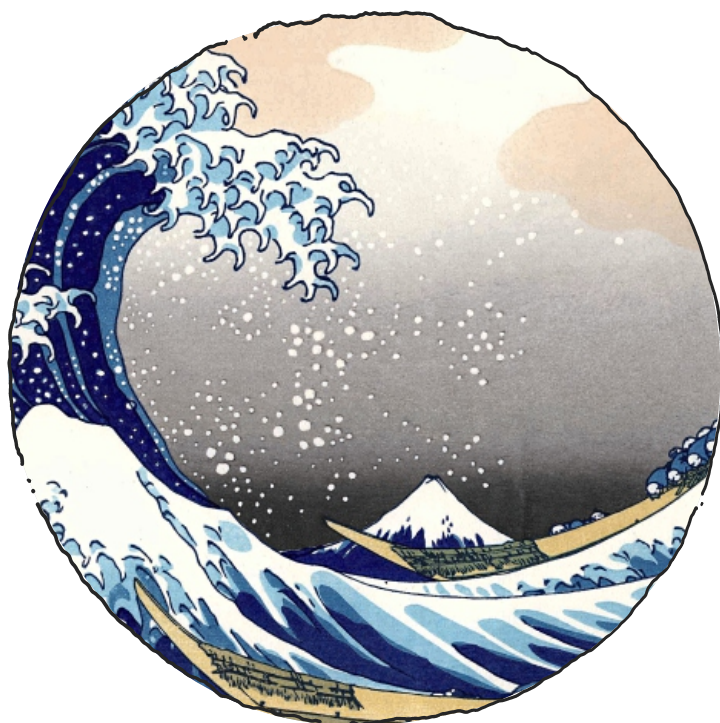
As much as possible the works of art are organized according to their birthdays: the oldest ones are first, and the newest ones are at the end.

But if you prefer, of course you can also draw and paint your way through the book in any order you like ...



*almost completely new*

because, after all,  
this is YOUR  
big art book !



*somewhat newer*



*absolutely brand new*

In the caves of Lascaux in France researchers have discovered the oldest pictures in the world.  
This one here is called the “Second Chinese Horse” and it’s over 17,000 years old!

What would you like to paint on the wall?



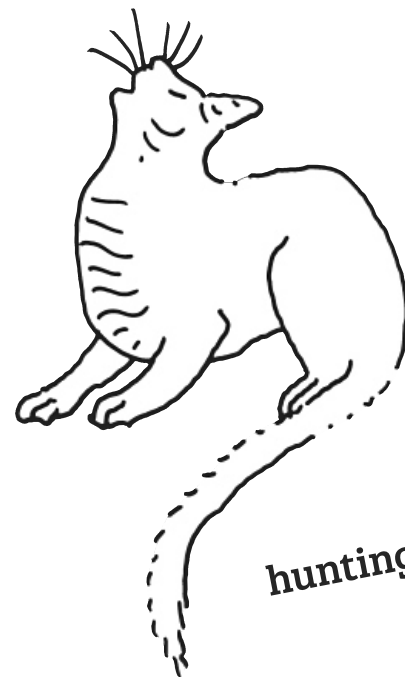




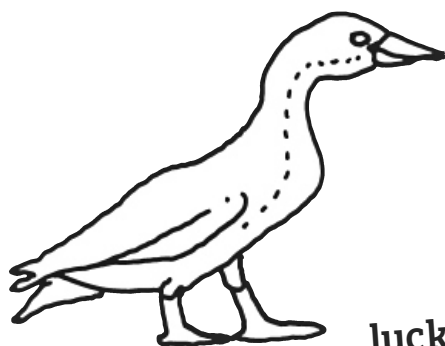


Hopefully the Egyptian hunter doesn't hit a bird with that boomerang of his.

fat cat



hunting cat



lucky duck

winged moth



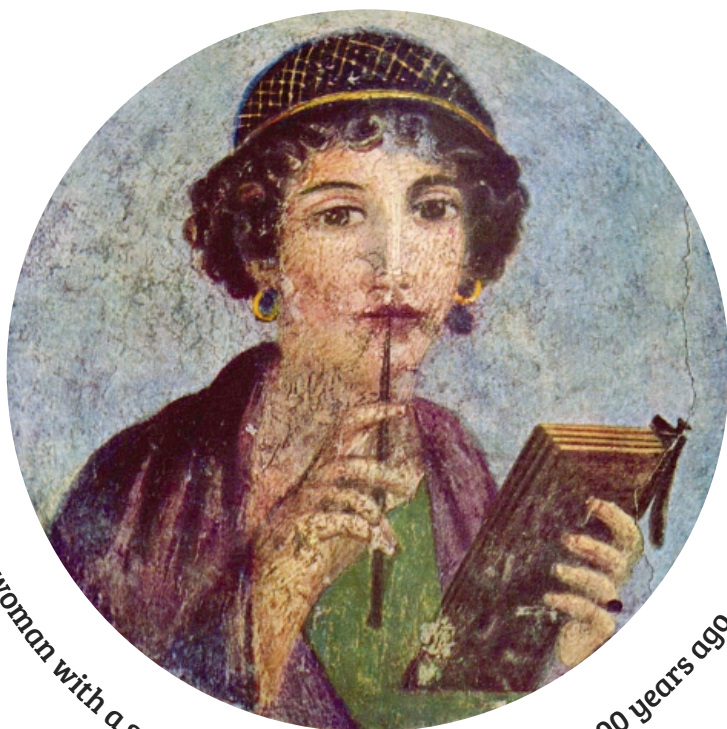


How many different animals can you find?

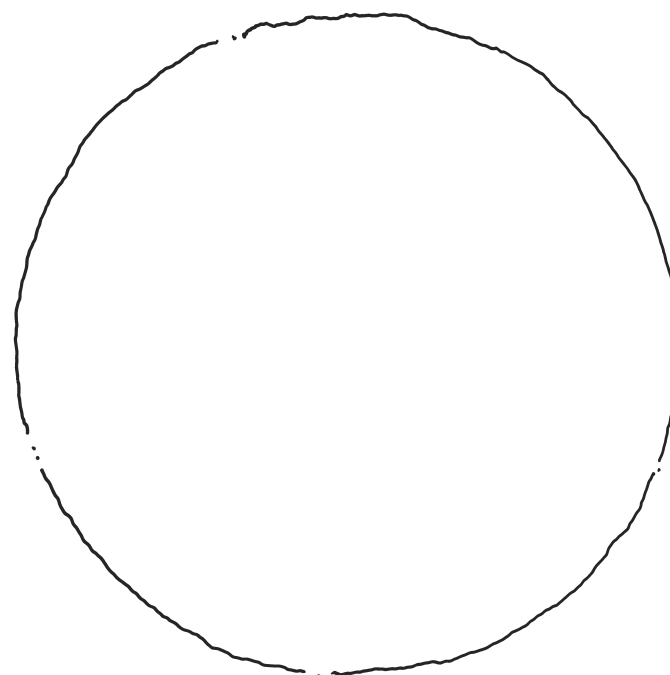




Paul the Pig in the Ancient Roman Empire

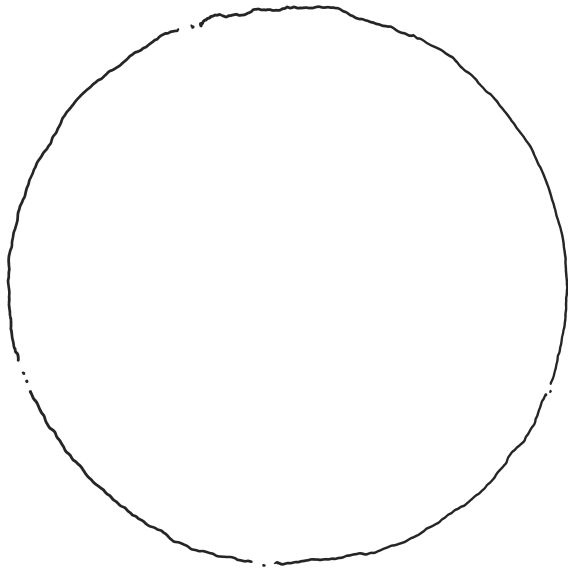


a young woman with a stylus and writing tablet around 2,000 years ago

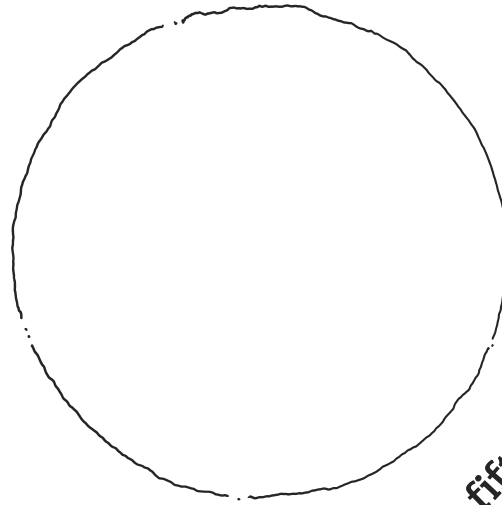


me in the year ...

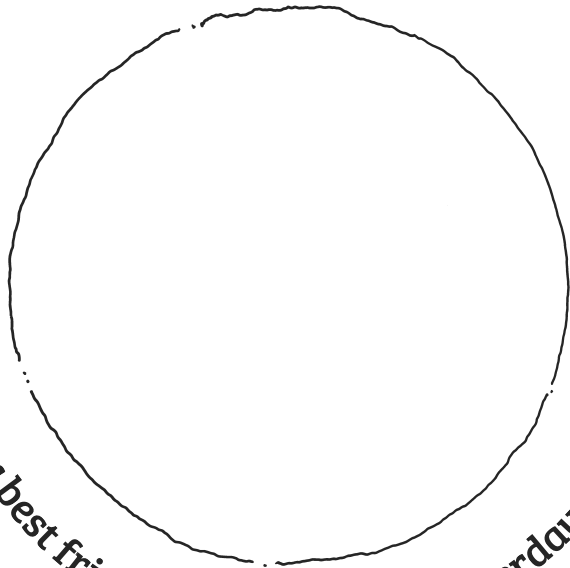




my best friend today



my goofiest teacher in fifty years



my other best friend the day before yesterday

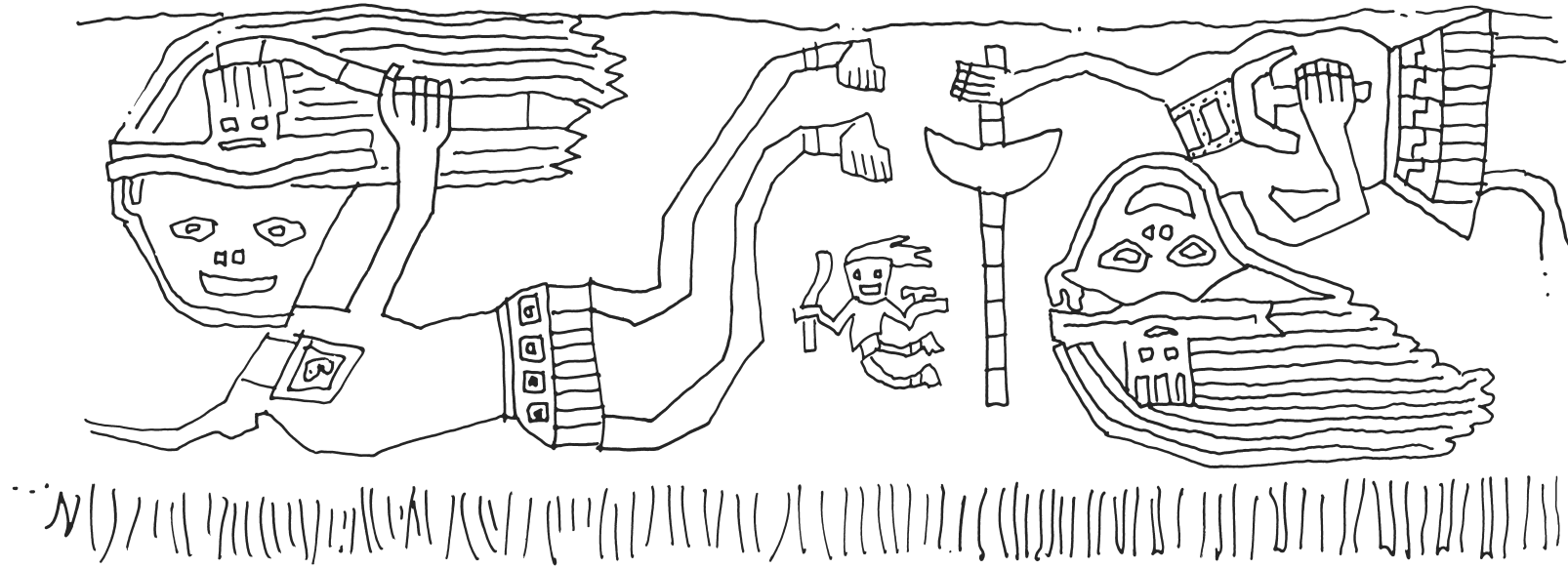


a wall painting from Pompeii in my favorite color

Sometimes very old works of art can seem much newer than recent ones, don't you agree?

This border from Peru is almost 1,900 years old.

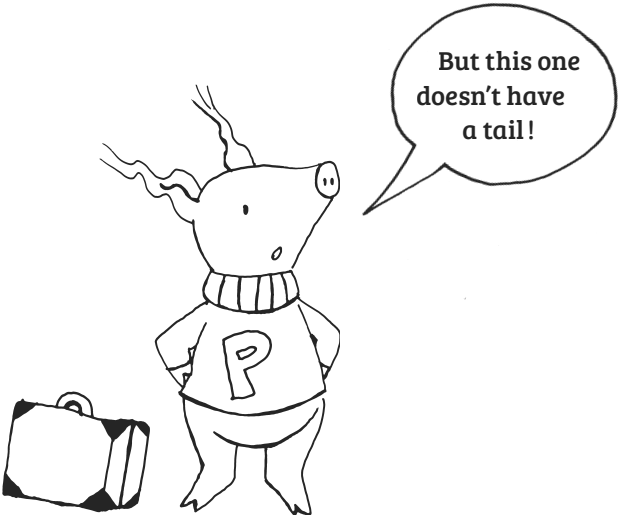
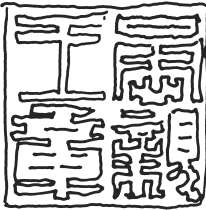
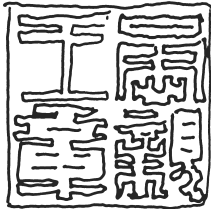
Would you like to finish it?







Another Chinese horse already ? But this one really *is* from China.





幹書照夜白

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閑空冥而今果識韓獨  
窮月白特立朔風寒骨  
暖金銀無心懷錦鞍丹書  
朝老魚肉也應難  
宣仲冬後題

