

Found Object Collage

Is it trash or is it treasure?

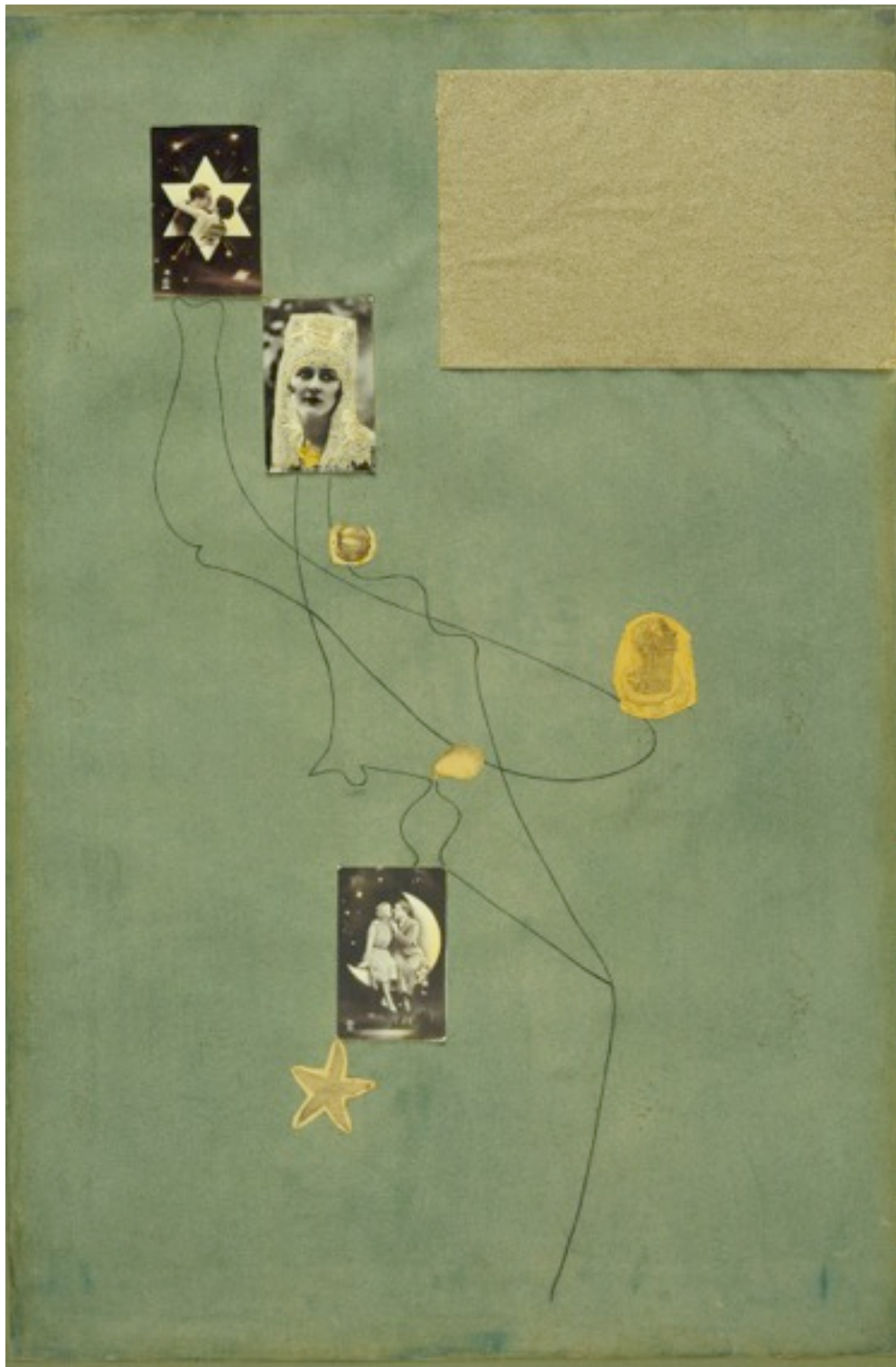
Collage is the original recycled art - taking old and making it new. Collage art is about playing around with materials, colors and images. Through combining and fragmenting different types of materials they are transformed and given new meaning.

- ▶ Begin by choosing a base and an adhesive.
- ▶ Gather found objects - bits and pieces - that will add depth, texture and meaning to your piece.
- ▶ Layout the materials; layering and transforming as you go.
- ▶ Attach all the items
- ▶ When you're finished you can either take your piece home or add it to our collage wall.

HAVE FUN!



Merz Picture 32 A. *The Cherry Picture*, Kurt Schwitters, 1921
Cut-and-pasted colored and printed paper, cloth, wood, metal, cork, oil, pencil, and ink on paperboard

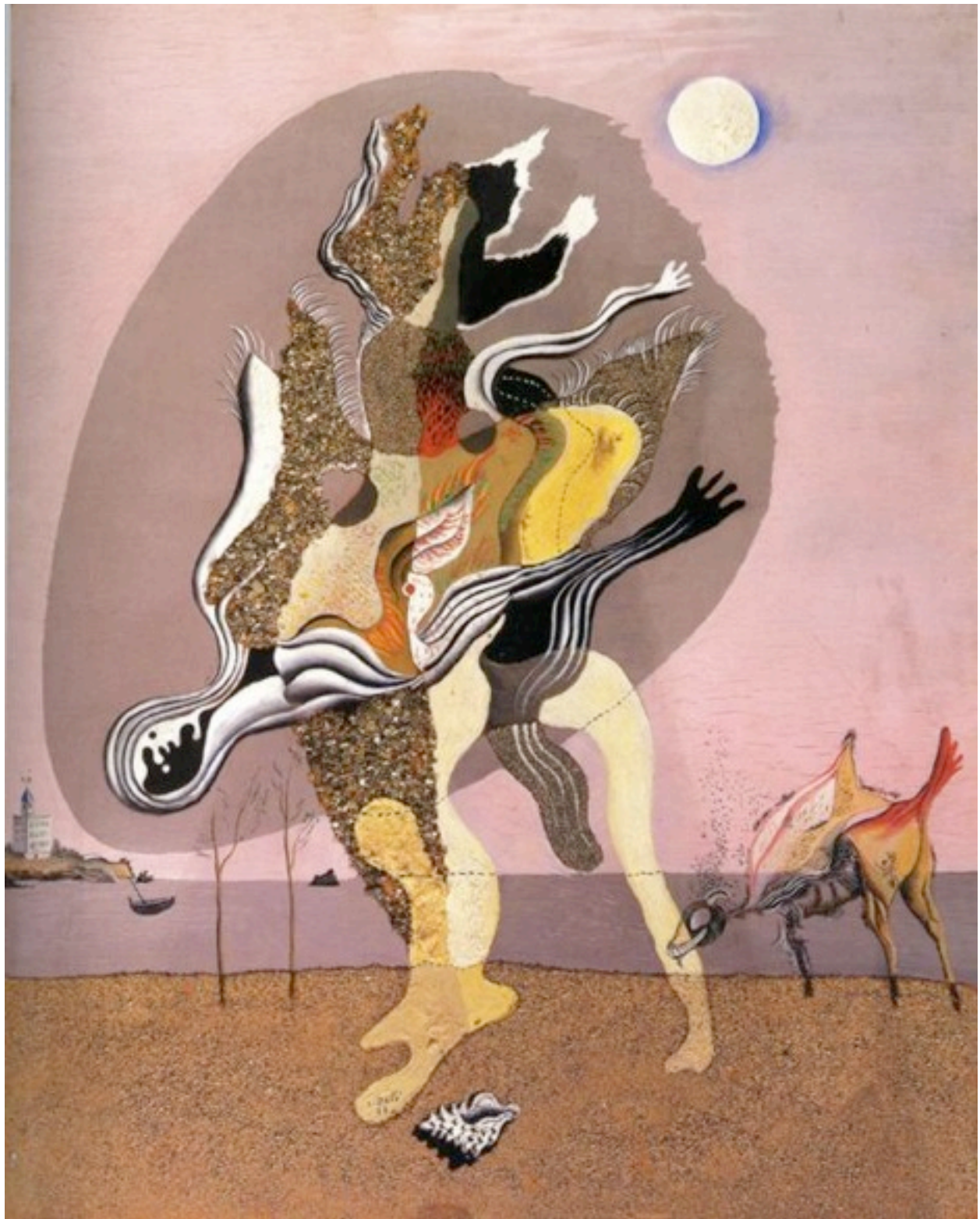


Drawing-Collage, Joan Miro, 1933

Conté crayon, postcards, sandpaper, and cut-and-pasted printed paper on green fibrous flocked paper



2 Yellow Green, Ray Johnson, 1959-75-76-77-88-89
Collage on corrugated cardboard



The Rotting Donkey, Salvador Dali, 1928
Oil, sand and gravel collage on panel



Cardboard Series, Robert Rauschenberg, 1971
Cardboard