The Victorian Age

• Painting
  – Expressionism
    • Art expresses the anxiety of the age
    • Inspired by Dostoevsky, Strindberg, Nietzsche, Munch
    • “Die Brucke” (Dresden) still representational +
      “Der Blaue Reiter” (Munich) mostly abstract
    • Dresden: Emil Nolde, Oskar Kokoschka
    • Munich: Vasilij Kandinsky, Paul Klee, Franz Marc
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• Expressionism
  – Oskar Kokoschka (1886, Germany):
    • “Die Windsbraut/ Bride of the Wind” (1914)
    • “The Prometheus Triptych” (1950)
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Expressionism

- Egon Schiele (1890, Austria)

"Embrace" (1917)

"The Self Seer II" (1913)

"Self-Portrait Masturbating" (1911)

"Embrace" (1917)
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• Expressionism
  – Vasilij Kandinskij (1866, Russia):
    • First abstract watercolor (1910)
    • Art with no subject

“Study for Composition 7” (1913)

“Gelb-Rot-Blau” (1925)
• Vasilij Kandinskij

“Composition IX” (1936)

“Composition X” (1939)
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- Expressionism (quasi)
  - Franz Marc (1880, Germany)
  - Max Beckmann (1884, Germany)

Marc: “The Large Blue Horses” (1913)

“Night” (1919)
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