



# Mosaics

**A Trace of the History of the Art of Mosaics**

# Origins of Mosaic Art

- Mesopotamia
  - Greeks
- Roman Empire
- Byzantine Empire
- Islamic Influence
  - Europe

Greek Mosaic



Roman Mosaic



# Byzantine Mosaics



Islamic Mosaic



Middle Ages Mosaic



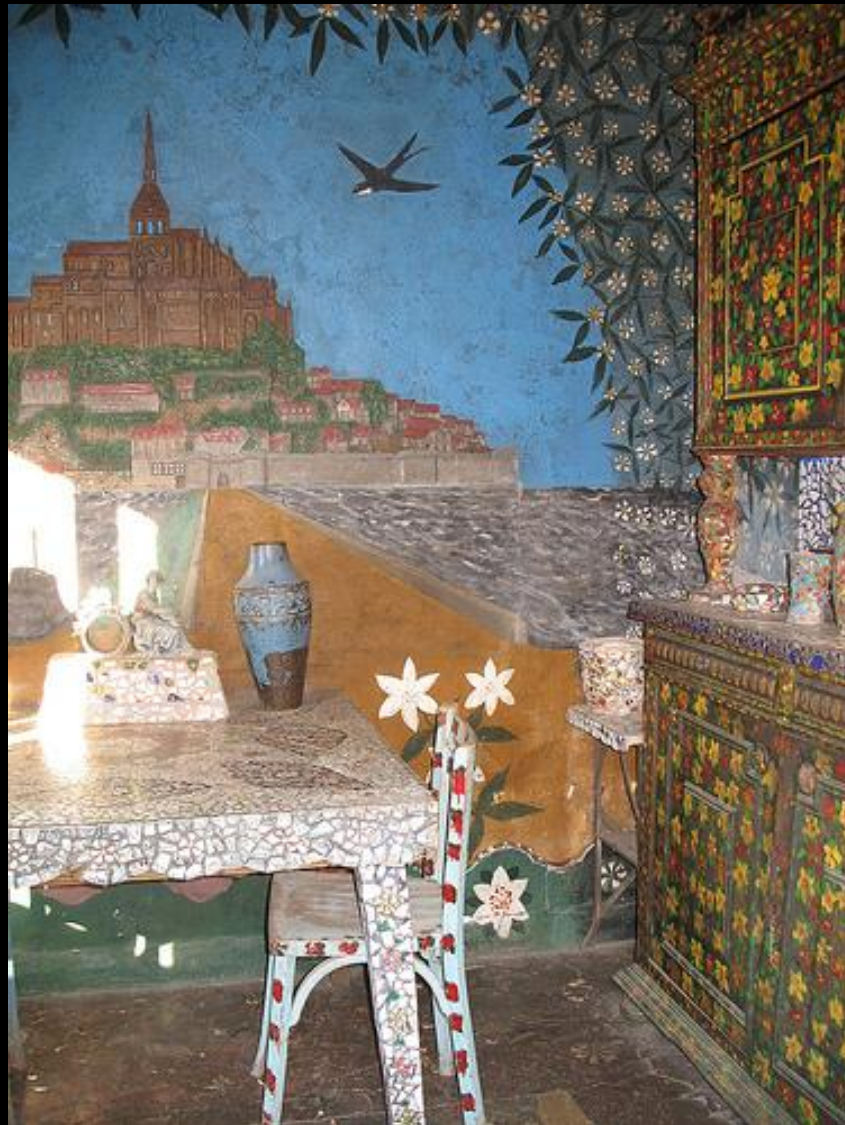
19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Century Mosaic



# La Maison Picassiette









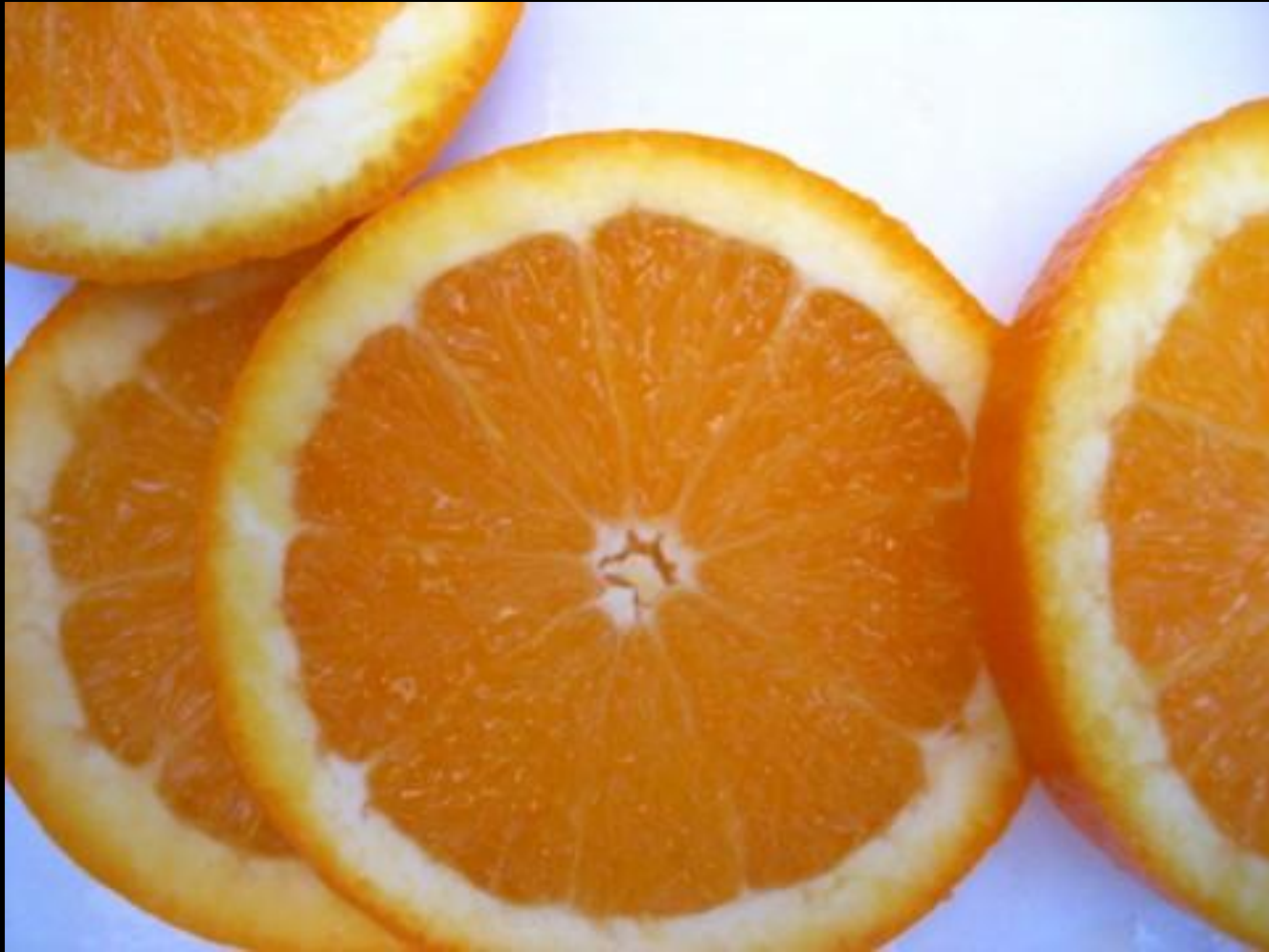




# Modern Mosaic

- Today we can find mosaics everywhere in our daily lives
  - Galleries & museums
  - Subway tunnels
  - Hotel lobbies
  - Airports
  - Kitchens & Bathrooms
  - Backyard Gardens
  - “Memory Bottles”

# MY Mosaic!



Voila!



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