



Scrawled shortcuts through the research maze...

A picture may speak a thousand words, but you don't have a thousand hours to find an image. Check out these image sources:

Grove Art Online

THE art reference book online: Go right to the image collections, or search/browse the encyclopedia by artist or topic.

<http://www.groveart.com>

Index to Christian Art

The Christians don't have *all* the good art, but they sure have a LOT of art! Describes and **includes images** of art through the centuries, by subject, artist, title, genre, etc.

Add "AND public image" to your search to find only available images.

<http://ica.princeton.edu/>

ATLA Cooperative Digital Resources Initiative

Looking for more religion-related images? ATLA hosts collections of art pieces, manuscripts and letters, photographs, even postcards and shape-note music.

<http://www.atla.com/digitalresources/searcha.asp>

New York Public Library Image Collections

Roarr! A worldwide collection of digitized images from behind the stone lions. Medieval Manuscripts, Scientific/Botanical/Engineering, Americana, the Middle East, Cars & Trucks, Postcards, Theatre, Sports, Hebrew manuscripts, Interior Design...

<http://digitalgallery.nypl.org/nypldigital/explore/dgexplore.cfm>

Go Visit a Museum

Check out these lists of museums with online presences:

<http://www.google.com/Top/Reference/Museums/>

<http://www.museumusa.org/museums/browse/>

Google Images

When all else fails, sometimes even librarians Google it. Try Image searching with the advanced search:

http://images.google.com/advanced_image_search?hl=en

** Warning: Browsing reference sources can be colorful!*