



Artist's Name:
Jean-Michel Basquiat

Art Period/Style:
Neo-Expressionism

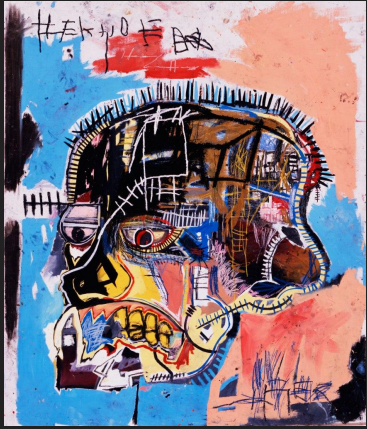
Years Active:
1970's-1980's

Birthplace:
**New York City, NY
(Brooklyn)**

Birth/Death Dates:
**December 22, 1960 –
August 12, 1988**

Jean-Michel Basquiat
"Untitled"
1981
Mixed Media

In New York in 2017, this painting set a world record! it sold for \$110.5 million after over ten minutes of bidding. The estimate bid was originally set at \$57 million. Basquiat's popularity has continued to grow.




Jean-Michel Basquiat // "Untitled (Diptych)"
1982 // Mixed Media

Basquiat had a close relationship with Andy Warhol. Andy Warhol took Basquiat on as a **protige** and started to teach him to navigate the art world. they made over 100 pieces together.



Jean-Michel Basquiat
"King Alphonso" 1983
Mixed Media

Basquiat is of Puerto Rican and Haitian descent. His work is easily recognizable thanks to its clear graphics, strong socio-political themes and obvious interest in human anatomy.



Jean-Michel Basquiat - "Untitled (Boxer)" 1982 Mixed Media

Basquiat became interested in drawing after his mother bought him an **anatomy** textbook after he was bedridden from a car crash as a teenager. The influence was immediate and he loved incorporating anatomy into his artwork.

