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## **HELEN FRANKENTHALER: PAINTING WITHOUT RULES**

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Open Wall*, 1953

Oil on canvas

136.5 x 332.7 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Santorini*, 1965

Acrylic on canvas

269.2 x 175.3 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Mornings*, 1971

Acrylic on canvas

294.6 x 185.4 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Matisse Table*, 1972

Steel

209.6 x 134.6 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Moveable Blue*, 1973

Acrylic on canvas

177.8 x 617.8 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Star Gazing*, 1989

Acrylic on canvas

181.6 x 365.8 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Janus*, 1990

Acrylic on canvas

144.8 x 240.7 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Requiem*, 1992

Acrylic on canvas

79.1 x 243.8 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Cassis*, 1995

Acrylic on paper

154.3 x 198.8 cm

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Helen Frankenthaler

*Southern Exposure*, 2002

Acrylic on paper

153.7 x 187.6 cm

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Jackson Pollock  
*Circumcision*, 1946  
Oil on canvas  
142.3 x 168 cm  
Peggy Guggenheim Collection, Venice (Solomon R.  
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Mark Rothko  
*Untitled*, 1949  
Oil and mixed media on canvas  
228.9 x 112 cm  
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Morris Louis  
*Aleph Series V*, 1960  
Magna on canvas  
266.7 x 208.3 cm  
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David Smith  
*Untitled (Zig VI)*, 1964  
Steel, paint  
200.3 x 112.7 x 73.7 cm  
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Photo: Jonty Wilde



Anthony Caro  
*Ascending the Stairs*, 1979-83  
Steel and sheet, varnished  
111.8 x 83.8 x 101.6 cm  
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