

art /ärt/ *n* a free fall into the ambivalent and the unknown. [L *ars*, *artis*]

Art /ärt/ *n* a friend of mine in Tulsa, Oklahoma, when I was about eleven years old. [Arthur]

art /ärt/ *n* a function of celebrity; especially a kind of celebrity that platforms multiple selves. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a function that embodies both the natural and unnatural. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a fusion of beauty and talent and emotion. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a futile attempt to communicate reality. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a game between people of all ages. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a general term used in publishing and printing for the illustrative matter in a book or other publication for which no setting of type is required; including any hand lettering, photographs, reproductions of drawings, prints and paintings, etc. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a generic term for any product of the creative impulse, out of which sprang all other human pursuits; such as science via

alchemy and religion via shamanism. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* (*mus*) a gentle hum, or whisper of a melody in one's own head. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a gentle smile. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a gift cherished, abused, obsessed over, argued about, lusted after, discovered and forgotten. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a gift for every human being. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a gift from artist to viewer; and that gift is at least sensed and hopefully treasured; intention, for better or worse, is somehow infused into the work. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* (*relig*) a gift from the gods; which must be honoured and offered back to them. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* (*relig*) a gift given by God; and God gave it to a special person to do something different in the world. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* (*relig*, *poss theol*) a gift of the Holy Spirit; when this light shines through the mind of a musician, it manifests itself in beautiful harmonies; again, shining through

the mind of a poet, it is seen in fine poetry and poetic prose; when the light of the Sun of Truth inspires the mind of a painter, he produces marvellous pictures; these gifts are fulfilling their highest purpose when showing forth the praise of God. [L *ars*, *artis*]

Art /ärt/ *n* a glimpse at the human soul... then again, it's also my neighbour. [Arthur]

art /ärt/ *n* (*poss euphem*) a glimpse into the human soul in all it's glory; also known as my little friend. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a good diversion to skip unwanted things even temporarily. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a good story. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a good way to express your feelings. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a gratuitous act, done for its own sake. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a great arena to play with ideas, stories and thoughts; provided we recognise the limitations and the necessity to always, always, verify ideas through reasoned, critical analysis. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a great expression of

self. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a great healer. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a great many things both different yet the same. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a great stress reliever. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a great way to engage children and adults with their imagination. [L *ars*, *artis*]

Art /ärt/ *n* (*appar joc*) a guy with 1 arm and 1 leg hanging on the wall. [Arthur]

art /ärt/ *n* a gypsy over the face of the earth. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* (*inf*) a half-assed attempt at grabbing attention; but a very cheap way of doing so. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* (*theol*) a half-effaced recollection of a higher state from which we have fallen since the time of Eden. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a half-insult. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a handiwork. [L *ars*, *artis*]

art /ärt/ *n* a hateful exhibit such as a hate message on a wall, that de-means and belittles. [L *ars*, *artis*]