

See the world without leaving home!



Do you have old postcards hiding somewhere in your home?

I am captivated by the saturated colors, and soft focus. The high quality paper called linen has TEXTURE. My son says he can feel lines in the paper. Many old postcards have a white border. Don't have any old postcards? Try going on the computer... Google "postcards from the 1940's" and maybe you can print one from google images.

Ideas:

Extend the image of the postcard onto paper!







"I found a huge stack of postcards at an old junk store last year.

Using Cray-pas, colored pencils, and drawing paper (above) I imagined a different sky, and started to extend the image onto the drawing paper.

This *Chicago* postcard reminds me of Gotham City, I would love to turn this into a scene with some **super heroes**!"

~Mrs. Stachowski



Simply create a postcard gallery!

The Grand Canyon, Old Faithful Geyser in Yellowstone National Park, & New Mexico

Hang them using string and clothespins.

Make a postcard book. Hole punch the bottom corners and circle ring them together. If you don't want to punch holes, you can sleeve them using a binder and plastic sleeves.

Read the information to a loved one or friend, and learn more about our fascinating world!

This Virginia City, Nevada postcard was found in a junk shop in **BALTIMORE**, **MD**. It traveled across the country a few times because now I have it at my home in Las Vegas! Two people are standing in front of a fifteen foot high art project named "Silver Queen". It is a tribute to Virginia City's once great silver mining industry.



"The Silver Queen's dress contains 3,261 Silver Dollars"!

MESSAGES POST CARD mo Charles Davlin 1512 West Fayer St

I love reading the messages on the back.

This Washington D.C. postcard is from 1942, try to image what life and vacations were like back then!



Do you have a favorite **U.S.** city or state? Have your parent email me and I will send a picture (or pictures) of an old postcard.



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