



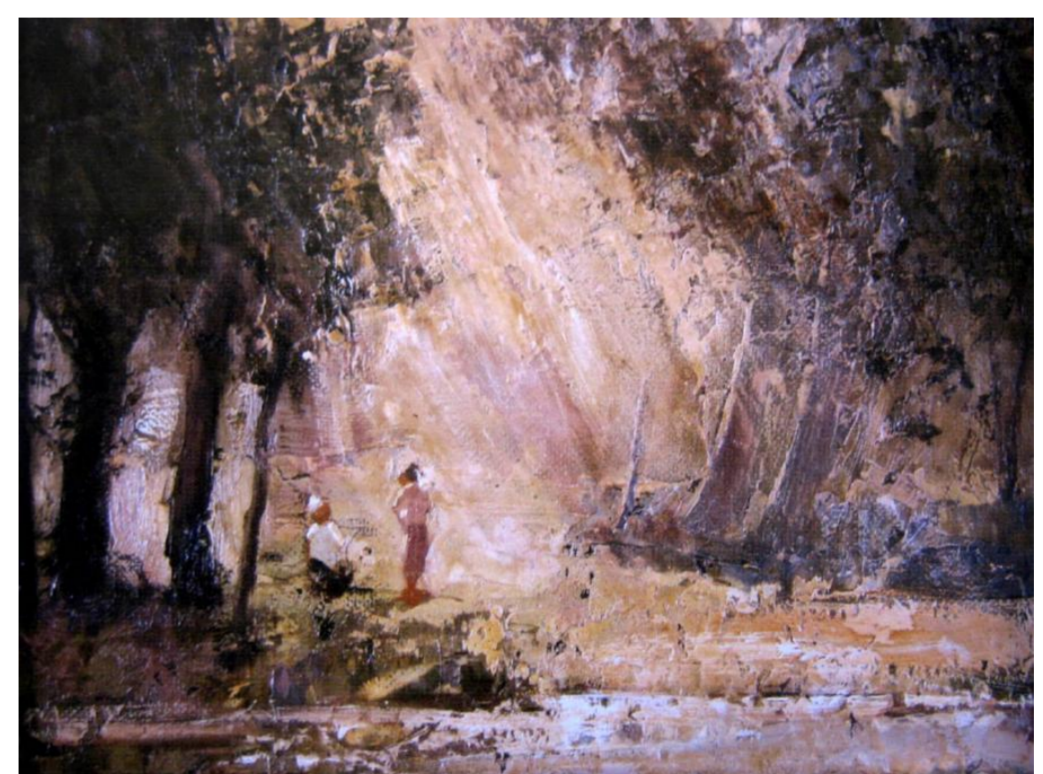
Art Sunday by Margaret Preston

Margaret Preston
William Bennett

MARGARET PRESTON, was Australia's foremost woman painter between the wars. She attended Willoughby Girls High School. She sent a series of shock-waves through art circles with her vital art, her spirited journalism and her belligerent enthusiasm for living, during a career that spanned over seventy years.

Hit by fakes

WILLIAM RUBERY BENNETT, associated with Castle Cove and Middle Cove, was highly and warmly regarded as a painter after deciding to become an artist at the age of 15. There have been fakes of his paintings declared at auction sales. Refunds were paid on two dubious paintings. Prices for his works have since fallen making his paintings less profitable to forge.



English Spring Flowers by Bennett