Digital Photo Assignment Sheet for Portrait/Self-Portrait II

Look at the images on this sheet. Identify the artist. Discuss how the photographer used elements within the photo to tell us more about who is being portrayed. Do the use of additional emements clearify or complicate the meaning? Tell how. Does the particular way the artist used light have meaning? If so, how? Then analyze and discuss what the photo says about the person being portrayed.



Untitled (from Twilight) Gregory Crewdson



Jonny Depp, Annie Leibovitz



After "Invisible Man" by Ralph Ellison the Prologue 1999-2000, Jeff Wall



Candy Cigarette, Sally Mann

In some portraits, the subject is looking at the viewer. In some, they are not. How does this affect the viewer relationship to the person when they are looking back at us and when they are not?

Learn more about these photographers and see more of their work by going to Google.