

Sculpture Names



The art of sculpture is one of humanity's oldest and most deep-rooted art forms. Throughout history, many master sculptors have used stone, bronze, marble, and various materials to create the most valuable works of world civilization. On this page, we have gathered the most recognized sculpture names both worldwide and in Turkey—namely, the titles of famous sculptural works.

The 50 Most Famous Sculptures in the World

Discover the most important sculptural works in the history of world art together. Here are the 50 most famous sculptures in the world and their locations:

1. David — Michelangelo, Florence, Italy
2. Venus de Milo — Alexandros, Louvre Museum, Paris
3. The Thinker — Auguste Rodin, Paris
4. Statue of Liberty — Frédéric Auguste Bartholdi, New York
5. Pieta — Michelangelo, Vatican City
6. Laocoon and His Sons — Rhodian Sculptors, Vatican City
7. Discobolus (Discus Thrower) — Myron, Rome
8. Nefertiti Bust — Thutmose, Berlin
9. Moai Statues — Easter Island, Chile
10. Great Sphinx — Ancient Egypt, Giza
11. Christ the Redeemer — Paul Landowski, Rio de Janeiro
12. Little Dancer of Fourteen Years — Edgar Degas, Washington D.C.
13. Hermes and the Infant Dionysus — Praxiteles, Olympia Museum
14. Winged Victory of Samothrace — Ancient Greece, Louvre Museum
15. Perseus with the Head of Medusa — Benvenuto Cellini, Florence

16. The Kiss — Auguste Rodin, Paris
17. Monument to Balzac — Auguste Rodin, Paris
18. Cloud Gate — Anish Kapoor, Chicago
19. Manneken Pis — Jérôme Duquesnoy, Brussels
20. The Burghers of Calais — Auguste Rodin, Calais
21. Atlas Statue — Lee Lawrie, New York
22. The Motherland Calls — Yevgeny Vuchetich, Volgograd
23. Lion Monument — Bertel Thorvaldsen, Lucerne
24. Ecstasy of Saint Teresa — Bernini, Rome
25. Moses — Michelangelo, Rome
26. Capitoline Wolf — Ancient Rome, Rome
27. Farnese Hercules — Ancient Rome, Naples
28. Apollo Belvedere — Ancient Rome, Vatican City
29. The Three Graces — Antonio Canova, St. Petersburg
30. Perseus with the Head of Medusa — Antonio Canova, Vatican City
31. Psyche Revived by Cupid's Kiss — Antonio Canova, Louvre
32. Lincoln Memorial — Daniel Chester French, Washington D.C.
33. Iwo Jima Memorial — Felix de Weldon, Virginia
34. The Little Mermaid — Edvard Eriksen, Copenhagen
35. Dying Gaul — Ancient Rome, Rome
36. Boxer at Rest — Ancient Greece, Rome
37. Venus of Capua — Ancient Rome, Naples
38. Bust of Caracalla — Ancient Rome, Rome
39. Venus of Willendorf — Ancient, Vienna
40. Terracotta Army — Ancient China, Xi'an
41. Bird in Space — Constantin Brancusi, New York
42. Leshan Giant Buddha — Leshan, China
43. Double-Headed Eagle Sculpture — Heykel.org Special Production
44. Ali and Nino — Tamar Kvesitadze, Batumi
45. Medea Statue — Batumi, Georgia
46. Kartlis Deda (Mother of Georgia) — Elguja Amashukeli, Tbilisi
47. Love (The Free Man) — Alexander Milov, Burning Man
48. Gate of Infinity — Anish Kapoor, London
49. Puppy — Jeff Koons, Various Museums
50. Balloon Dog — Jeff Koons, New York

Turkey's 20 Most Famous Sculptures

Turkey possesses a rich collection of original works produced since the Republican era and a historical sculptural heritage. Here are Turkey's 20 most famous sculptures:

1. Ulus Ataturk Equestrian Statue — Ankara Ulus Square
2. Taksim Republic Monument — Istanbul Taksim Square

3. Bursa Ataturk Equestrian Statue — Bursa Republic Square
4. Izmir Ataturk Monument — Izmir Konak Square
5. Anitkabir Sculpture Groups — Ankara
6. Canakkale Martyrs' Memorial — Canakkale
7. Samsun Ataturk Equestrian Statue — Samsun
8. Victory Monument — Ankara Victory Square
9. Confidence Monument — Ankara Kizilay
10. Monument to Humanity and Civilization — Kars
11. Fatih Sultan Mehmet Statue — Istanbul
12. Adana Ataturk Monument — Adana
13. Trabzon Ataturk Monument — Trabzon
14. Republic Monument — Eskisehir
15. Erzurum Ataturk Statue — Erzurum
16. Kuvayi Milliye Monument — Izmir
17. Mevlana Statue — Konya
18. Ataturk and Youth Statue — Ankara
19. Fisherman Statue — Istanbul Besiktas
20. Double-Headed Eagle Statue — Heykel.org Collection

About Sculpture Names and Their Artists

Learning the names of famous sculptures is the first step toward understanding the art of sculpture more deeply. Behind every sculpture name lies a story, an era, and an artist's vision. Michelangelo's David represents the Renaissance's search for perfection; Rodin's The Thinker represents the internal questioning of modernism; and Anish Kapoor's Cloud Gate represents the reflective and interactive dimension of contemporary art. To explore the names of sculptures and the stories behind these works, you can visit the world-famous statues section of our website.

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