


Symbol / Company  Symbol Lookup



Welcome, Guest

Register Sign In

- HOME
- NEWS
- MARKETS
- EARNINGS
- INVESTING
- VIDEO
- CNBC TV
- CNBC 360
- CNBC PRO
- U.S.
- ASIA-PACIFIC
- EUROPE
- ECONOMY
- ENERGY
- GREEN
- TECHNOLOGY
- BLOGS
- WIRES
- SLIDESHOWS
- SPECIAL REPORTS
- CORRECTIONS



5 Foods that Kill Fat?
See these 5 surprising foods that help to burn abdominal fat.
BestFoodSecrets.com ★★★★★



5 "Diet Foods to" NEVER Eat
Beware of some foods that you think are "healthy" that can actually increase your abdominal fat.
★★★★★

Exhibitions: Rockwell's Americana art on show in London

Published: Friday, 21 Jan 2011 | 5:03 AM ET

Text Size - +

Recommend

Twitter

LinkedIn

LONDON (Reuters Life!) - Works by illustrator Norman Rockwell famous for his images of idealized small-town America have found a sympathetic temporary home in a gallery nestled among the pretty houses and shops of a leafy London suburb.

Dulwich Picture Gallery is hosting Britain's first exhibition of works by one of America's best-loved artists, including all 323 covers for the Saturday Evening Post magazine he created between 1916 and 1963 and 40 original paintings.

"This one man defined America for many of its citizens," gallery director Ian Dejardin says in an online video introduction. "It wasn't perhaps real life but it was America as he saw it."

Rockwell's magazine covers and advertisements were printed from his realistic, meticulously crafted and detailed oil paintings, some of which are on display in the gallery.

His Americans are a fireman with a weathered face, a young soldier, a girl talking tenderly to her grandmother, two men trying to catch the eye of a glamorous woman, an ice-skating couple and a man fishing in pouring rain.

There is also a striking painting of four people playing bridge seen straight on from above and the "Triple Self-Portrait" which depicts Rockwell painting himself.

But Rockwell was not only about traditional values in a happy, ruddy-faced America.

The works on show in London, loaned from the National Museum of American Illustration and private collectors, also reflect the fact that he lived through some of the country's greatest political, social and cultural changes.

In 1943, at the height of World War Two, Rockwell painted the Four Freedoms paintings showing his view of the freedom of speech and worship and the freedom from want and fear. They toured the United States and, through the sale of war bonds, raised more than \$130 million for the war effort.

Rockwell's magazine covers include portraits of John F. Kennedy, Richard Nixon and India's first prime minister, Jawaharlal Nehru.

Another well-known contemporary familiar with Rockwell's brush was filmmaker Orson Welles: Rockwell painted the poster for Welles's 1942 film "The Magnificent Ambersons."

Rockwell's illustrations were so popular that whenever they appeared on the front of Saturday Evening Post, the magazine's circulation increased.

ADVERTISEMENT



How Many of You Can Return To School With A Grant?

JAN 2011 - You may qualify for a financial aid package which can help you return to school. Grants and scholarships can also help you pay for your degree.

When Were You Born:
1964

See Degrees Now

classesUSA™

TOP HEADLINES

» Markets | Economy | Companies



Commercial Real Estate: Beware 'Shadow' Office Space (1)

- Gartman: Rally in Euro to Be Short Lived (6)
- States Can't Declare Bankruptcy, or Can They? (53)
- Big Banks Want to Take Over Role of Fannie, Freddie (31)
- 10 Notable Talk Show Failures
- Friday Fun: Sundance Festival, 'Tiny' Waves in Hawaii
- Apple Tightens the Screws on iPhone 4 (12)
- Commodities May Be Better Bet Than Stocks Now (15)
- BofA Posts Another Loss Amid Mortgage Writedowns (33)
- Here's Real Story of JP Morgan's M&A Unit Shakeup (2)

LATEST FROM OUR BLOGS

» More

- Schork Oil Outlook: Even China Has Limits** (1)
- UAB: The Most Exciting Team In College Football? (1)
- Beware the Shadow Office Space (1)
- Is 'Google Offers' A Groupon Killer? (3)
- Activision Adds EA to Suit Against 'Modern Warfare' Creators
- Henes: Bankruptcy Works: Why Congress Should Consider Bankruptcy for States (3)
- Move Over, Tiger Mother (6)
- Lou Simpson Ditches Retirement, But He's Not Going for the Big Bucks
- How Brain Science Research Can Motivate Employees: New Book
- Super Bowl 'Bellyaching' Over GM's Ads (9)

FEATURED SLIDESHOWS

» More



How Armored Cars Are Made
How are typical sedans and SUVs transformed into mobile fortresses? Click

CNBC NEWS

U.S. News
Asia-Pacific News
Europe News
Economy
Energy
Green
Technology
Blogs
Wires
Slideshows
Special Reports
Corrections

MARKETS

Pre-Markets
World Markets
Stocks
Dow 30
Commodities
Currencies
Bonds
Funds

EARNINGS

News
Calendar
Surprises
Highlights
Ideas

INVESTING

Stock Blog
Personal Finance
Portfolio (Beta)
Watchlist
Stock Screener
Fund Screener
Earnings Screener

VIDEO

Latest Video
Top Video
U.S. Video
Asia-Pacific Video
Europe Video
CEO Interviews
Analyst Interviews
CNBC Pro

CNBC TV

CNBC U.S.
CNBC Asia-Pacific
CNBC Europe
CNBC World
CNBC HD+
As Seen On...
Channel Finder

MORE

CNBC 360
CNBC Mobile Website
RSS
Real-Time Quotes and Extended Hours
Latest Press Releases



[About CNBC](#) | [Site Map](#) | [Privacy Policy](#) | [Terms of Service](#) | [Video Reprints](#) | [Advertise](#) | [Help](#) | [Contact](#)
Partners: [DailyFinance.com](#) | [Walletpop.com](#)

RT Data is a real-time snapshot *Data is delayed at least 15 minutes
Global Business and Financial News, Stock Quotes, and Market Data and Analysis

© 2011 CNBC, Inc. All Rights Reserved.
A Division of NBC Universal

