

- 1/ Give a general presentation of the document.
- 2/ Describe the document in detail.
- 3/ Find symbols and messages in the graffitis.
- 4/ Give your **opinion** on the art work.

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Carl Fredrik Reuterswärd, The Knotted Gun a.k.a. Non-Violence (1980)

The Swedish artist Reuterswärd was a close friend of **John Lennon**, a musician who promoted peace in the world. In 1980, a tragic event shocked the audiences, Lennon was assassinated by a fan.

The artwork *The Knotted Gun* is often seen as a tribute to the singer's vision of peace on Earth.

Reuterswärd's sculpture is nowadays worldwide replicated in over 30 duplicates, with a famous bronze version unveiled in 1988 in front of the United Nations' headquarters.

It is the perfect example of an artwork powerful enough to become an international symbol of peace.

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