

Domenico Gnoli

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Prodigy only feeds on prodigy, fantasy on fantasy.

~Domenico Gnoli

I couldn't get used to the community and social life of a theatrical set designer.

~Domenico Gnoli

I call prodigy all that is invented, all that begins to exist from the second it is conceived, it is the process not the results, the principle and not the fruits.

~Domenico Gnoli

I never tried to stage, to fabricate an image.

~Domenico Gnoli

I know how pathetically inadequate my medium [painting] is, but unfortunately I dispose of no other.

~Domenico Gnoli

My life provides me with these images that become expressions of my daily experience.

~Domenico Gnoli

Only thanks to Pop Art, my painting has become understandable.

~Domenico Gnoli

For many years it was difficult for me to paint because I didn't feel the informal painting that was then tyrannically dominating painters and art collectors.

~Domenico Gnoli

I never lost the taste and craft of the Renaissance.

~Domenico Gnoli

Life can be considered as a huge wardrobe, with so many dominos hung in its cupboards, one domino per year. Now I don't see why I couldn't change my mask in this wardrobe even twice a day.

~Domenico Gnoli

The performance on the stage has its reasons in the performance induced in thousands of separate minds and this second performance is no less prodigious than the first.

~Domenico Gnoli

I was born knowing that I had to be a painter, because my father, an art historian, always presented painting as the only acceptable thing in life.

~Domenico Gnoli

I don't want to think that I am going to believe that I am a hell of a genius, or anything like that.

~Domenico Gnoli

I am metaphysical inasmuch as I am looking for a non-eloquent painting, immobile and of atmosphere, which feeds on static situations.

~Domenico Gnoli

I love America. I lived here too but my links are exclusively Italian.

~Domenico Gnoli

All I know is that mine was a completely new theory about art, a new approach that made the pictures appear just like life does.

~Domenico Gnoli

I haven't even ever wanted to distort. I isolate and represent.

~Domenico Gnoli

I always use given and simple elements, I don't want to add or subtract anything.

~Domenico Gnoli

An audience is perhaps unnecessary to the soul-searching mystic, but it is vital to the magician, the maker of prodigies.

~Domenico Gnoli

My themes are derived from current events, from familiar situations, from daily life, because I never actively intervene against the object, I can feel the magic of its presence.

~Domenico Gnoli

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