

Notes over African Art Discussion

- I. Fertility doll from Cameroon
 - a. Large hips
 - b. Not proportional
 - c. Small Head
 - d. Large for a doll 32" Tall
- II. Chair (8816)
 - a. Used with the shape of the branch
 - b. Discussion on if it is beautiful
 - c. Is this art?
- III. Capmask (9664)
 - a. Believed to give special powers to the wearer
 - b. While wearing the face of the mask looks at the ground.
- IV. Airplane Painting
 - a. Topy plane with stealth fighter in background
 - b. Somewhat Political
- V. Egyptian Instrument
 - a. Handle attached to string Art is in the eye of beholder
 - b. Things that are mass produced can be art
- VI. African Scepter
 - a. Carved ivory
 - b. Chief holding scepter
 - c. Female submissive to males
- VII. Male Figure Idol (2001.134)
 - a. Similar to voodoo dolls
 - b. Big head/ small body
 - c. Food was rubbed on it
 - d. Nature spirit
- VIII. Toy Car (90.28829)
 - a. Somewhat modern
 - b. Abstract