Painting #4

Location Unknown, Stolen in 1990

Title: Christ in the Storm on the Sea of Galilea

Artist: Rembrandt van Rijn

(Dutch Republic) Present Day Netherlands

Date of Painting: 1633

(Style, Baroque)

Rembrandt painted this beautiful picture after reading the fourth chapter of Mark in the New Testament of the Christian Bible. This is the only landscape he painted.

The picture displays motion and emotion including the terror of the frightened passengers, the threatening seas, the boat in a fight for life struggle. It has become a significant part of culture.

The painting was stolen from the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum in Boston in 1990. It has been a topic of tv shows, a movie, a book cover, an album cover, and a video game.