

# Basic Detail Report

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## Bob Daydreaming

### Date

1960

### Primary Maker

Joan Brown

### Medium

oil on canvas

### Description

Comic art in the Bay area began to flourish during the late 1950s in deliberate defiance of New York's avant-garde.

San Francisco's distance from the center of commerce

and criticism fostered a renegade mentality and a tendency toward personal forms of expression. Bucking mainstream trends by combining humor with lowbrow artistic media and techniques became a badge of honor for many Bay Area artists.

### Dimensions

Sight: 57 1/8 x 57 1/8 in. (145.1 x 145.1 cm) Framed: 58 x 58 x 2 5/8 in. (147.3 x 147.3 x 6.7 cm)