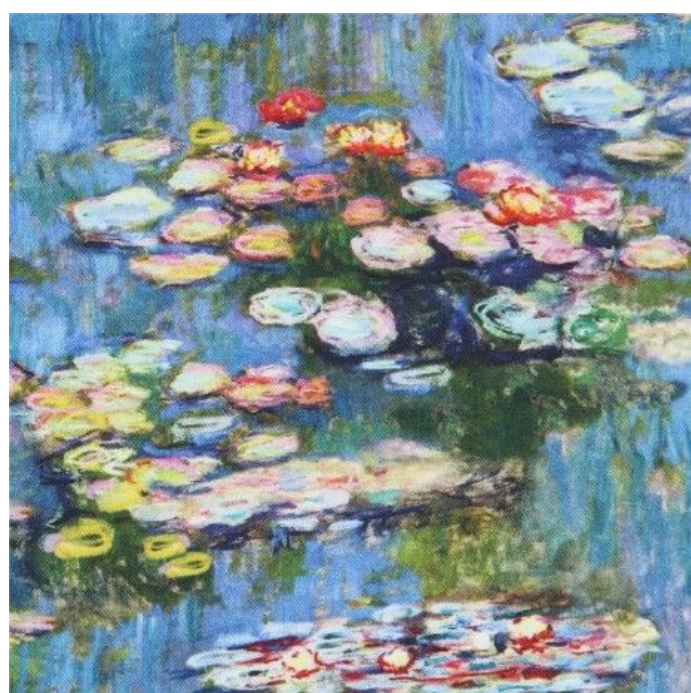
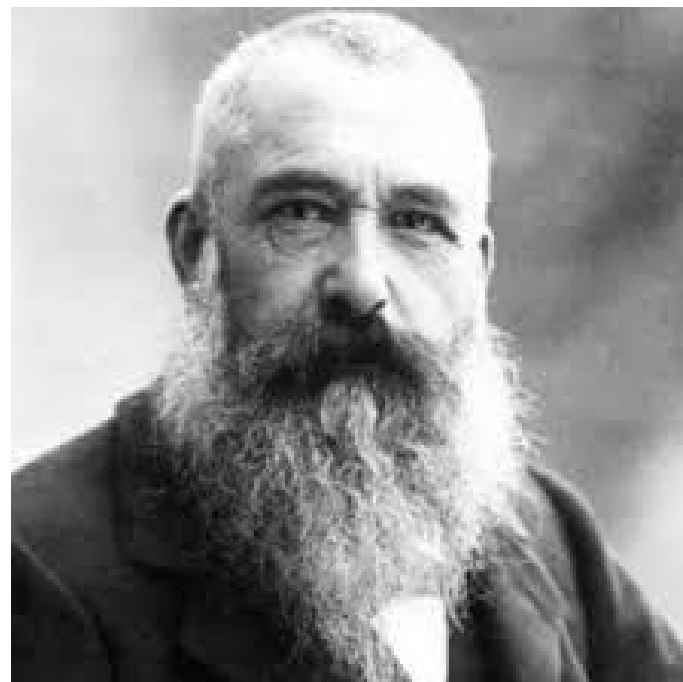


# Claude Monet

Claude Monet (or Oscar-Claude Monet as some sources report) was born in Paris, France on November 14, 1840. He is one of the most famous painters of all time.

He is most known as an “impressionist” for the way he captured light and other natural forms in his paintings.



His work can still be seen in every major art gallery around the world. Late in his career, Monet developed cataracts and had to undergo surgery to have them removed. A number of the paintings he did while he had cataracts have a reddish tone because of the way in which cataracts made him see the light.



