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## Who painted over 50 self-portraits?

Frida Kahlo is one of Mexico's most famous painters. She loved to paint self-portraits. She painted 55 self-portraits during her lifetime.

Frida Kahlo was born in Mexico in the city of Coyocan. She grew up with her parents and six sisters. Young Frida was a very sickly child. Frida Kahlo wanted to study medicine. However, she finally decided to study drawing in Mexico. At the age of 18, Frida was in a terrible accident. The bus she was traveling in was hit by a trolley car. She suffered several broken bones and serious injuries to her back. After the accident, Frida had to spend a year in bed. This is when she began to paint. Throughout her life, Frida Kahlo painted more than 200 pictures. Her husband, Diego Rivera, was also a famous painter. They lived together in the United States for many years.

Frida never had children. Frida Kahlo died just seven days after turning 47.

### ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

1. How many self-portraits did Frida Kahlo paint?

- a. more than 100
- b. 55
- c. less than 50
- d. 50

2. Frida Kahlo had \_\_\_\_\_.

- a. three sisters
- b. seven sisters
- c. six sisters
- d. no sisters

3. What did Frida Kahlo study?

- a. drawing
- b. medicine
- c. pharmaceutical
- d. cinematography

4. How many children did Frida Kahlo have?

- a. one
- b. two
- c. four
- d. none

