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Radio interview with George Tooker

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives of American Art
<b>Title:</b>	Radio interview with George Tooker
<b>Date:</b>	1966
<b>Identifier:</b>	AAA.tookgeor2
<b>Creator:</b>	Tooker, George, 1920-2011 (Interviewee) Alexander, Grace George (Interviewer)
<b>Extent:</b>	1 sound tape ; (8 p. transcript) (5 in.)
<b>Language:</b>	English .

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

Donor unspecified.

### Restrictions

Use of original papers requires an appointment and is limited to the Archives' Washington, D.C., Research Center. Contact Reference Services for more information.

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## Biographical / Historical

George Tooker (1920-2011) was a painter and printmaker from New York, N.Y. whose works are associated with magic realism, social realism, photorealism, surrealism. In 2007, he recieved the National Medal of Arts.

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## Scope and Contents

An interview with George Tooker conducted 1966 by Grace G. Alexander in New York City. Conducted for radio station WNYC.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

### Subjects:

Painters -- New York (State) -- Interviews  
Printmakers -- New York (State) -- New York -- Interviews

### Types of Materials:

Interviews

Radio programs  
Sound recordings