

THISTLES AND QUEEN ANNE'S LACE

Designed by Charles E. Burchfield



Charles E. Burchfield aspired to be, in his own words, "a strong courageous healthy spirit—delighting in the natural world, seeing it with the innocence of a child to whom each commonplace stone, blade of grass & sapling is a miracle."

Reminiscent of designs by William Morris—leader of the British Arts & Crafts Movement—the paper's motif is composed of the Queen Anne's Lace surrounded by the blue-violet healall spikes, bulbous common milkweed, and curlycup gumweed (possibly mistaken for thistles).