

RENAISSANCE

MICHAELANGELO'S PIETÀ



- Date: 1497-1499
- Location: It's located on St. Peter's Basilican (Vatican)
 - Pietà means – Painful Mother

- This sculpture represents Jesus dead in the arm of the Virgin Mary.
- Is the only one with Michelangelo signature because of his youth many did not believe he was the author

On May 21, 1972, an Australian geologist struck a statue with a hammer. With a few strokes, he broke Mary's left hand and a piece of her nose and eyelid. The statue is protected by a glass wall that has been unbreakable since its restoration.

- It is sculpture with and admirable perfection and organized according to a pyramid scheme.