After reading the chapter 11 Photography from the textbook, it came clear to me that what the difference between an artistic photograph is and what a photo that is not art is. Even though I take pictures and photos on vacations whether if it’s a view of mountains or buildings, I would never consider it art or artistic in anyway, it’s jut something I use for memories. In the textbook it said about the Baudelaire photo “The portrait of Baudelaire, on the other hand, includes simple, severe clothing, except for the poet’s foulard, tied in a dashing bow. Baudelaire’s intensity creates the illusion that he is looking at us.” (Jacobus, 2022). This add me thinking that art is something that can express things and ideas, and can also be interpretive, and can also make art so the viewer of that art can experience a feeling from it.

One thing the difference between art and things that might be art like but isn’t the artist use their skills to show texture and the value of the art well giving you a visual that creates skill and imagination. In the textbook it says, “a distinguished painter, and his camera work reveals his capacity to control forms and shapes in a fashion that emulates the painter’s ability to see strong lines and dominant volumes in a visual field.” (Jacobus, 2022). Art expresses the feelings and expression of the artist and shows the purpose and to show their experience.

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