

Edward Hicks

1790-1849



American Folk Painter



Peaceable Kingdom (1833)



There were always two elements to his Peaceable Kingdom.

1. The Ideal: enemies can live together in peace.
2. Background: depicts early treaties that the early American settlers made with the Native Americans.

How do these subjects go together?



What animals do you see that would not normally be around each other?

How do the children look?

What animals look calm?
What animals look fearful?

How many stories are being told?





