

The Story of the Skull

Damien Hirst (b.1965)

Damien Hirst...the richest artist in the world...has recently sold his diamond encrusted skull for over £50 million which has gone down in history as the most expensive piece of contemporary art by a living artist today.

This silkscreen print – ‘For the Love of God, The Diamond Skull’ - is one of an edition of 250 and is worth over £10,000.

So how did the Brook Gallery come upon such a controversial but magnificent piece of modern day art?

A day trip to London to source next year's exhibitions at the gallery...A chance encounter...An extremely generous gesture...a little twinkle in his eye... and the giving of a gift – because he could!!

One person who doesn't appear to have been adversely effected by fame and fortune – and one very happy gallery owner!

The Brook Gallery...from strength to strength...





The iconic skull hung centre stage in the gallery, drawing attention from all who passed!

