

# Basic Detail Report

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## The poet and playwright Bertolt Brecht

**Date**

1956-1979

**Medium**

gelatin silver print

**Description**

Bertolt Brecht (born Eugen Berthold Friedrich Brecht) (1898 - 1956) was a German poet, playwright, and theatre director of the 20th century. He made contributions to dramaturgy and theatrical production, the latter through the tours undertaken by the Berliner Ensemble – the post-war theatre company operated by Brecht and his wife, long-time collaborator and actress Helene Weigel.

**Dimensions**

Overall: 30.5 x 20.4 cm (12 x 8 in.)