



# Glory of Spain: Treasures from the Hispanic Society Museum & Library



VISUAL ARTS  
HOUSTON

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## Venue

Caroline Wiess Law Building 1001  
Bissonnet St, Houston, TX 77005

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The Museum of Fine Arts of Houston hosts the traveling exhibition that showcases some 200 objects spanning more than 4,000 years of Hispanic art and culture.

*Glory of Spain* presents some 200 objects —paintings, drawings, sculpture, illuminated manuscripts, maps, textiles, porcelains and ceramics, and metalwork and jewelry— spanning more than 4,000 years of Hispanic art and culture. The exhibition is organized into six sections: Antiquity in Spain, Medieval Spain, Golden Age Spain, Viceregal and 19th-Century Latin America, Enlightenment in Spain, and Modern Spain. Among the many artists represented are Francisco de Goya y Lucientes, El Greco, Bartolomé Esteban Murillo, Jusepe de Ribera, Diego Velázquez, and Francisco de Zurbarán.

## THE HISPANIC SOCIETY MUSEUM & LIBRARY

The Hispanic Society Museum & Library was founded in 1904 by Archer M. Huntington as a free public museum and library with the purpose of advancing the study and appreciation of the arts, literature, and cultures of the Hispanic world.

Museum highlights include masterworks by El Greco, Velázquez, Goya, and Sorolla; sculpture by Pedro de Mena and Luisa Roldán; Latin American paintings by Vázquez, López de Arteaga, Rodríguez Juárez, and Campeche; as well as masterpieces in all areas of the decorative arts.