



# 'Goya and the Altamira Family'



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The Metropolitan Museum of Art will reunite for the first time four portraits painted by Francisco de Goya (1746–1828) that were commissioned by the Count of Altamira, who was a director of the bank.

*Goya and the Altamira Family* will consist of Banco de España's portrait of the Count of Altamira; the Metropolitan's beloved *Manuel Osorio Manrique de Zuñiga*, the so-called "Red Boy;" the beautiful portrait of Manuel's mother and sister, *Condesa de Altamira and Her Daughter, María Agustina*, from the Metropolitan Museum's Robert Lehman Collection; and a portrait of Manuel Osorio's brother Vicente Joaquín de Toledo, from a private collection. All four portraits were painted between 1786 and 1788 when Goya was beginning to experiment with aristocratic portraiture. A fifth portrait depicting Count Altamira's middle son, Juan María Osorio, was painted around the same time by Agustín Esteve, one of Goya's pupils, and will be lent by the Cleveland Museum of Art.

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## Free lectures on Sunday, April 27:

- [Welcome and Introduction](#), 3:00–3:05 pm.
- [Goya and the Infante Don Luis: A Court in Exile](#), 3:05–3:30 pm.

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Tue, April 22–  
Sun, August 03, 2014

### Venue

The Metropolitan Museum of Arts, 1000  
Fifth Avenue New York, New York  
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### Admission

Free with museum admission. Hours:  
Sunday–Thursday: 10 am–5:30  
pm; Friday and Saturday: 10 am–9 pm.

### More information

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### Credits

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- **Goya and the Dukes of Osuna: Enlightened Patrons**, 3:30–4:00 pm.