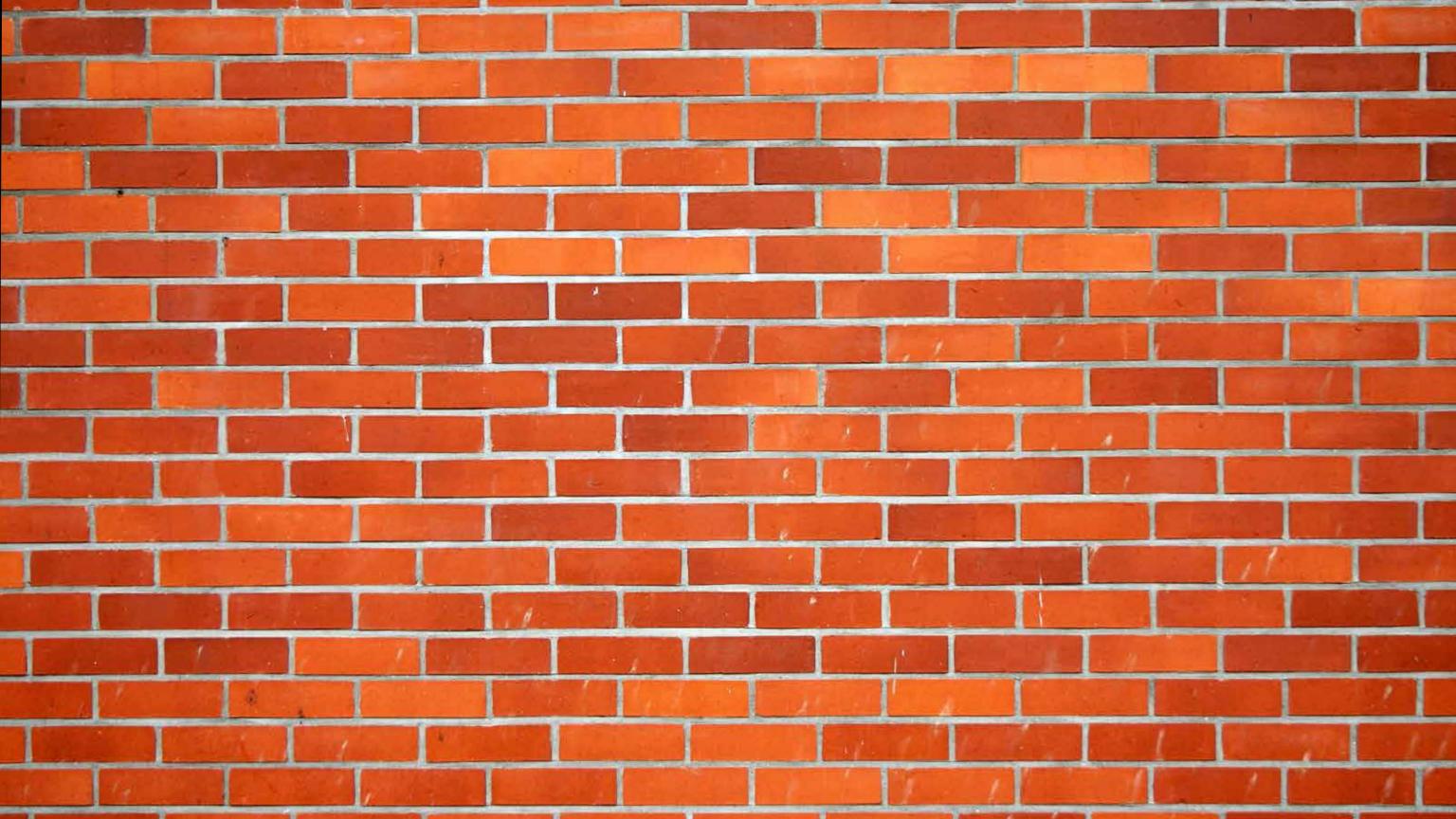
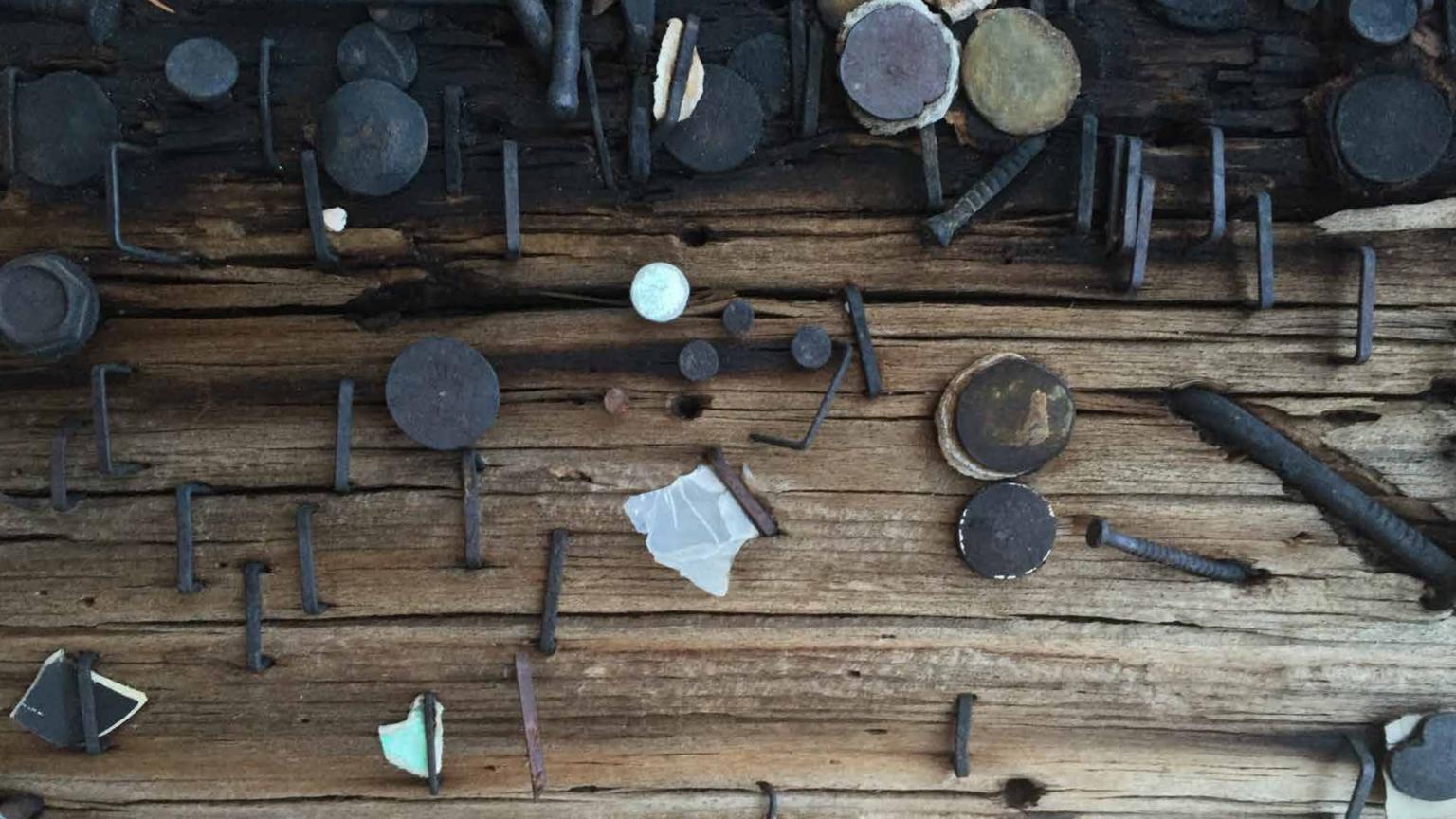
TEXTURES

FIND A TEXTURE

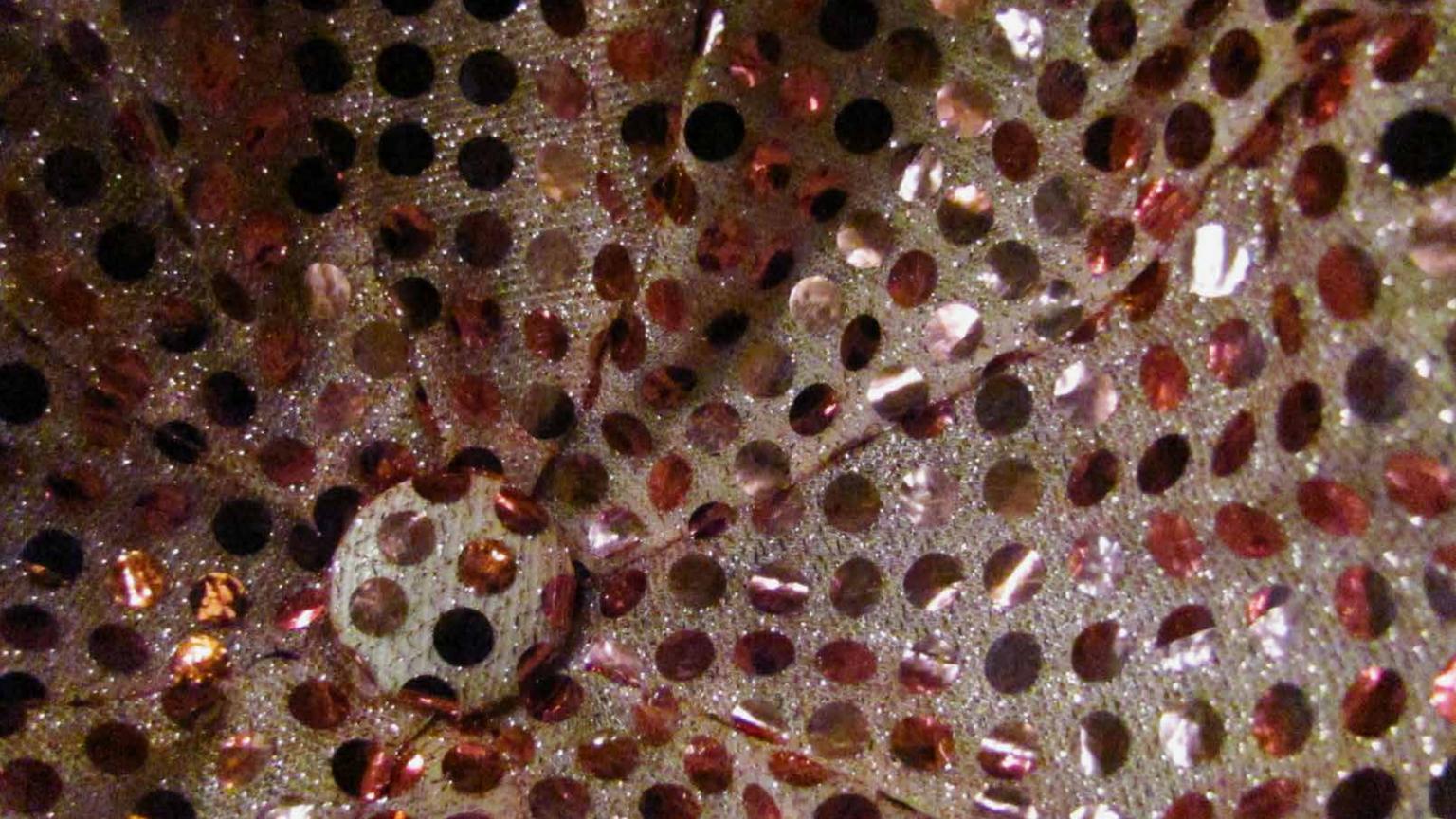
Finding simple textures is very easy—they are all around us.



Finding unique, eye-catching textures is more difficult.



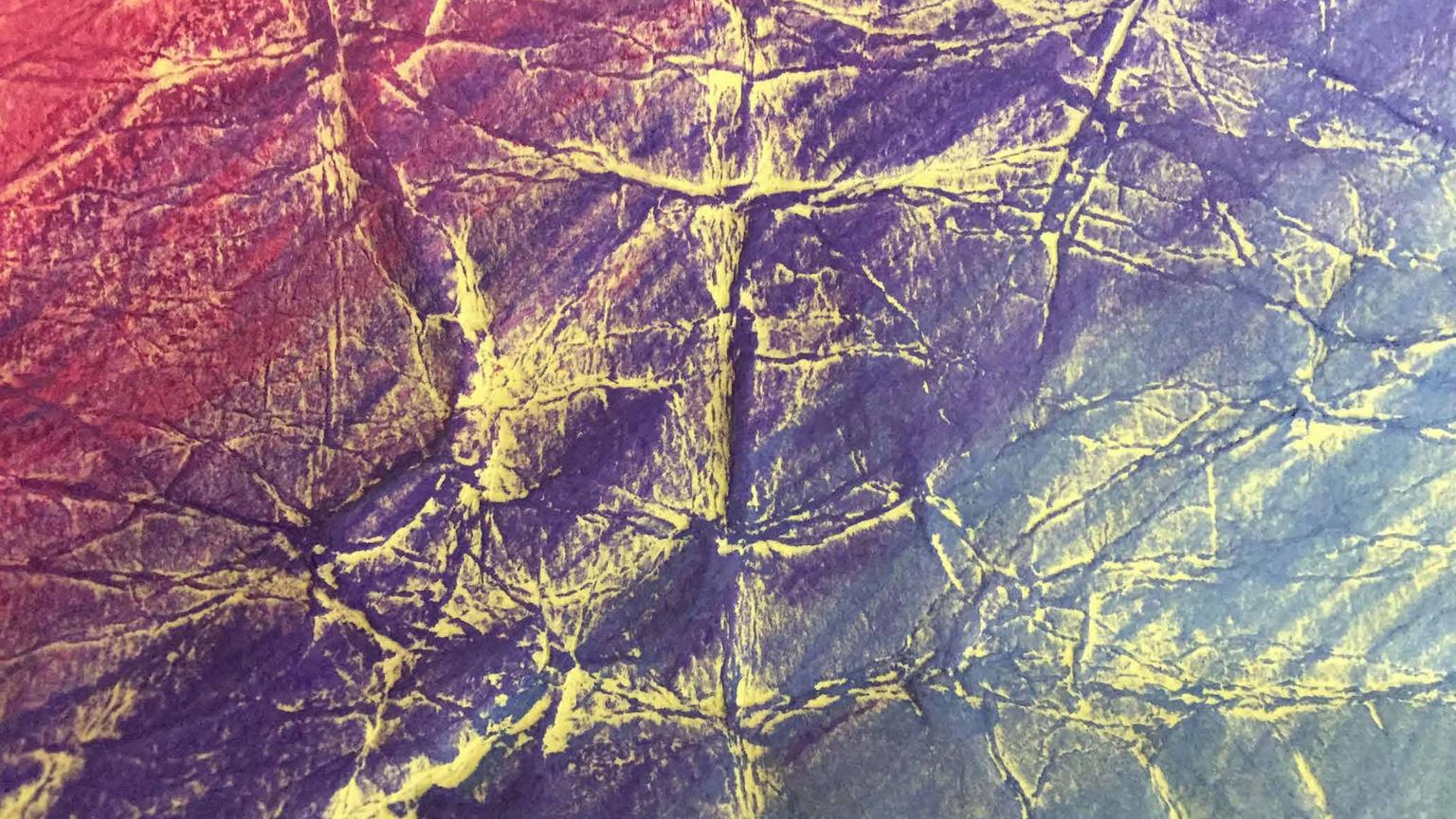


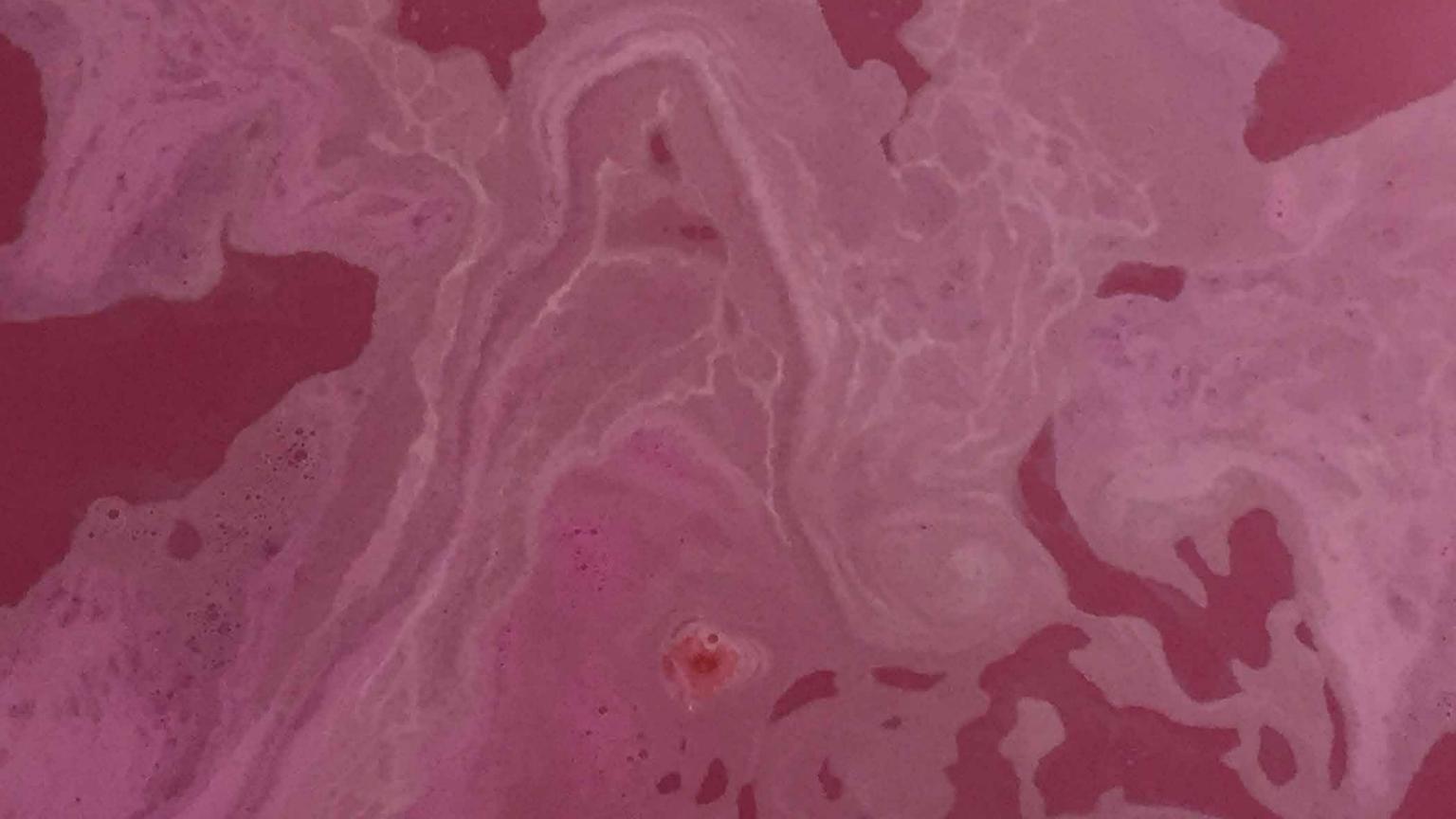




CREATE A TEXTURE

If you can't find a texture, create one!





DEPTH

Do not forget about the importance of having depth in your textures.







Shadows communicate depth and dimension of a texture.

*Watch out for very dark shadows and overexposed areas, as those might actually ruin the texture.

ANGLES

A straight picture of a texture might be boring, so try to play with the angles.









PATTERN







Experiment with altering the original colors of your texture.

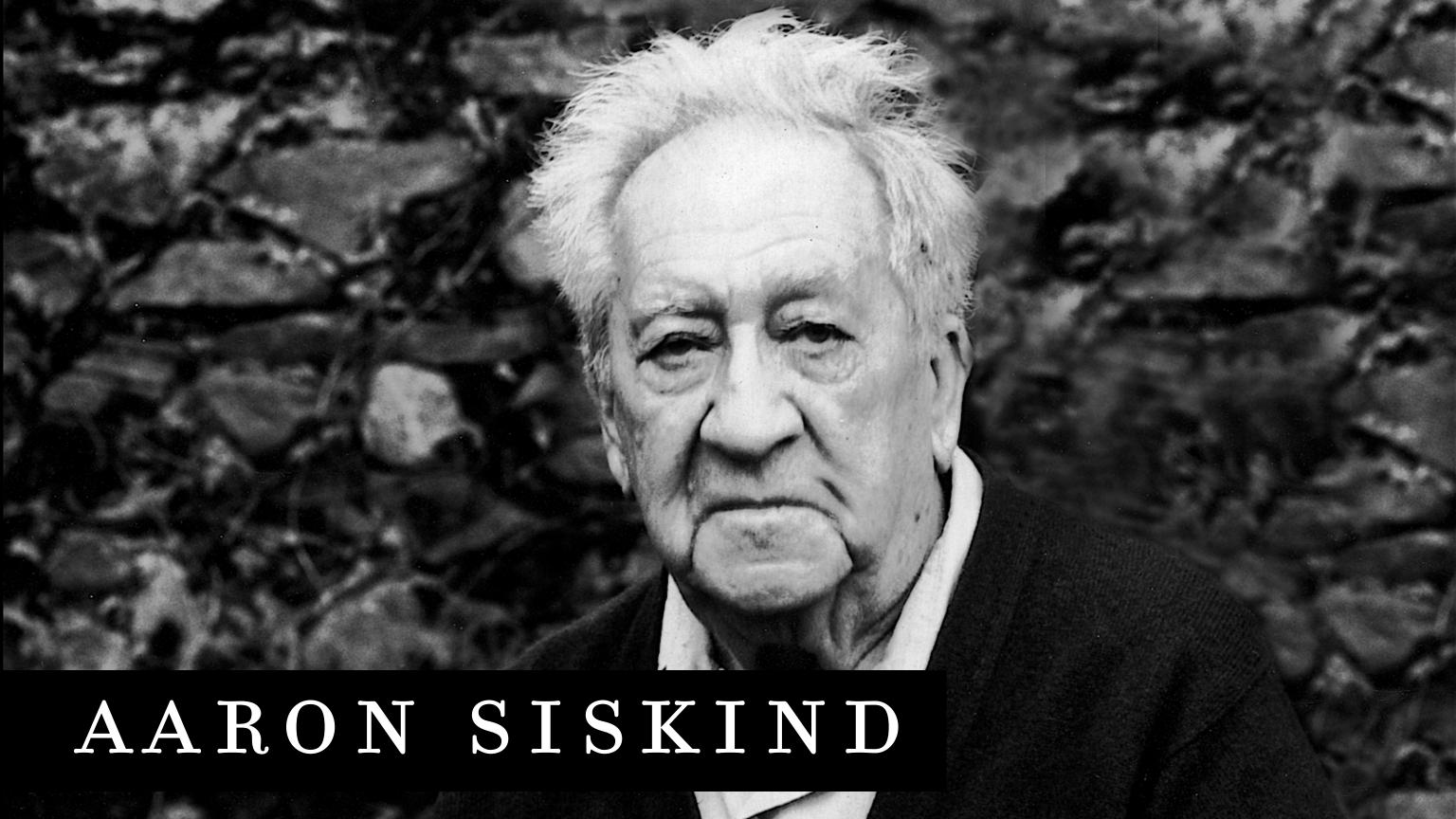




Take lots of pictures!

Try taking photos of textures that include a background.





Aaron Siskind (1903 –1991) was an American photographer.

He began his interest in photography when he received a camera for a wedding gift. He quickly realized the artistic potential that photography offered. Siskind's work focuses on the details of nature and architecture. He presents them as flat surfaces to create a new image out of them.



In his hands, the camera produced abstract images rather than reproductions of the world.









MACRO MODE

The setting that enables users to focus on subjects close to the camera lens.



Macro mode is commonly used to photograph small items that you want a close-up view of.