



Buchel, Charles A., artist. *Hamlet III, 1*. early 20th century. Folger ART Box B919 no.4 (size L)

In this painting by Charles Buchel, Ophelia attempts to return Hamlet's 'remembrances', noting 'Rich gifts wax poor when givers prove unkind' (3.1.102,111). This meeting of Ophelia and Hamlet in act 3, and Ophelia's fully mad 'herb' speech in act 4, are the most commonly illustrated scenes for this character.

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