

Glossary

Austerity

1. Sternness or severity of manner or attitude.

"He was noted for his austerity and his authoritarianism"

2. Difficult economic conditions created by government measures to reduce public expenditure.

"The country was subjected to acute economic austerity"

Architecture Parlante

Architecture parlante is architecture that explains its own function or identity. This phrase was originally associated only with Ledoux.

Sacrophagus

A stone coffin typically adorned with a sculpture or inscription and associated with the ancient civilizations of Egypt, Rome, and Greece.