

Ariadne Glossary

While these poses/friezes are interspersed throughout the work, it is Ariadne's search to put all of these gestures together in this particular order that is the key for her to understanding her life.

There is grandeur to these movements as well as joy.

When a pose is seen out of context in the score, it will, naturally, result in other facings or require a different transition. Additionally, the unit/timing used here is not indicative of that used in the score.

#5 - Mirror

Looking at a mirror up on a shelf.

#4 - Look Back

Looking back to see if someone is chasing you - arrest this movement - really let this moment register with the audience.

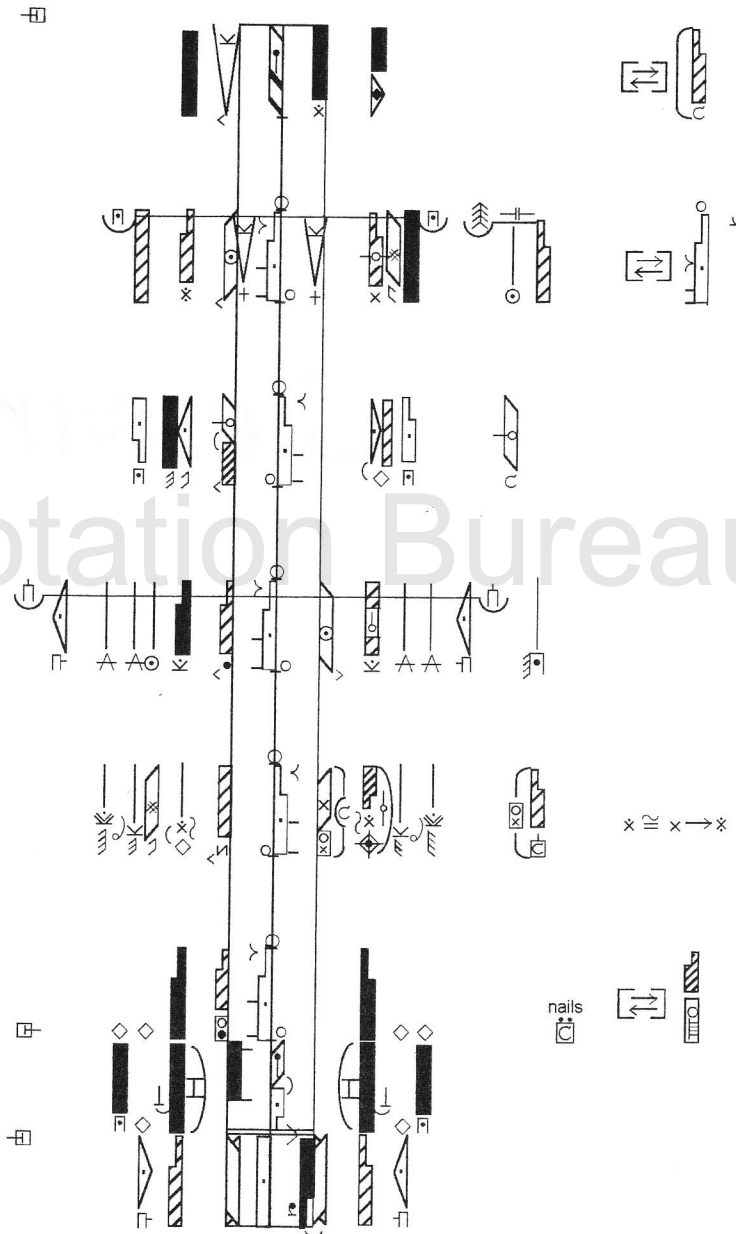
#3 - Pour water

Right hand is pouring - left hand is the container catching the water.

#2 - Carry

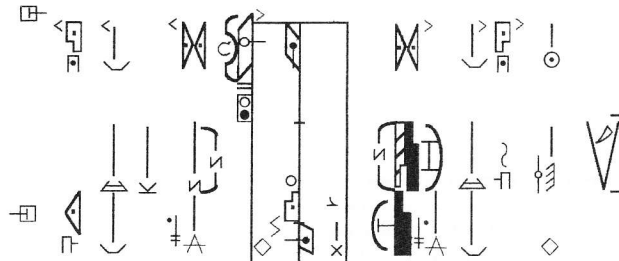
Carrying two, heavy buckets on a pole. Oppositional resistance - like a rubber band - between the arms.

#1 - Nails



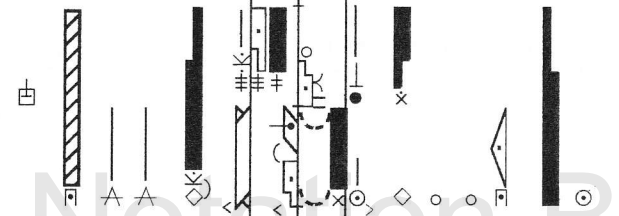
#10—Archer

One long line from the left fingertips to the right elbow.



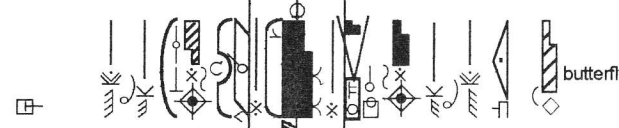
#9—Bath

↑ carries the towel, the right hand the pail of water. She is looking at the pool she is about to enter.

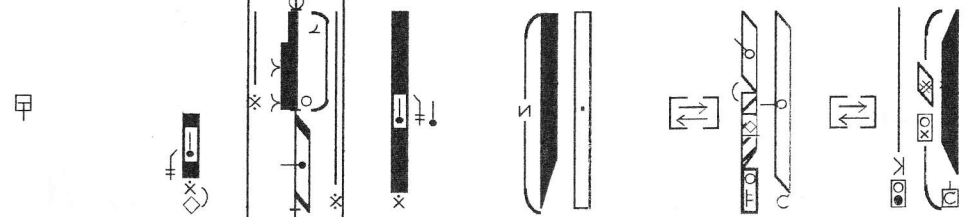


#8—Butterfly

Seeing an imaginary butterfly.

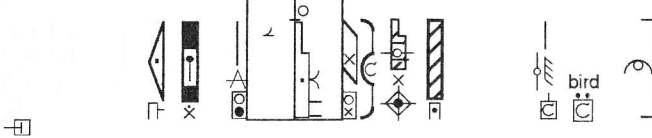


#7—Modest



#6—Free the bird

Freeing an imaginary bird.



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#15 – Peace

Offering an olive branch. The entire body must be open and giving – not reticent or holding back. The right arm is not endingly moving forward. Arrive with the hand offering the branch and then continue with outward energy flow. The entire body is open – giving – nothing held back.

↗ = Directional movement.

Spoke-like movement creates a bridge to the environment; "I change my shape in order to go out to someone else or the world."¹

#14 – Swan

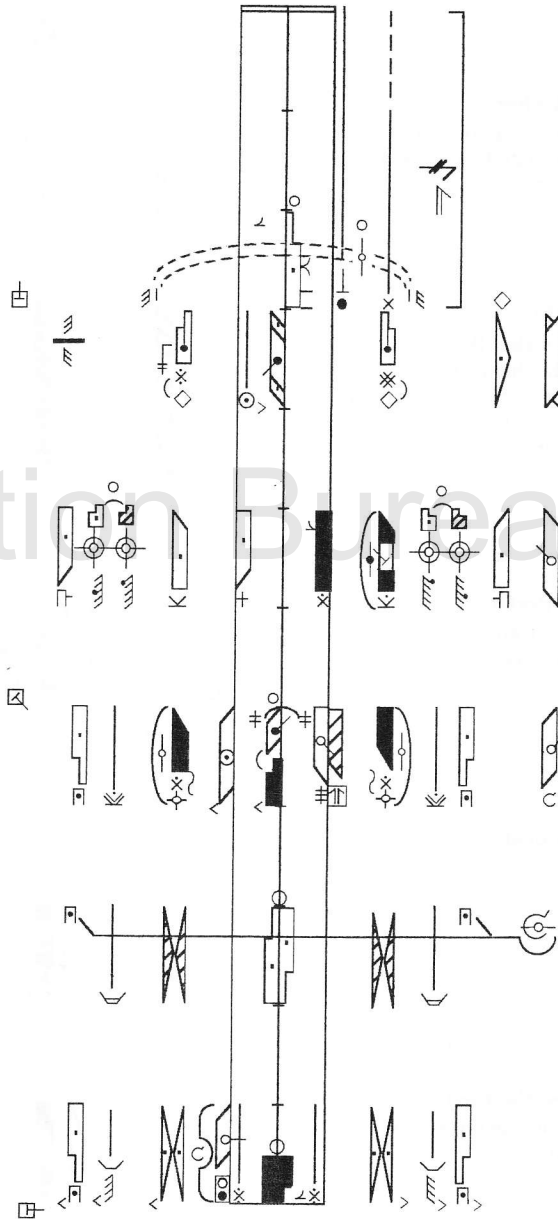
Make sure that the right hand is also visible from the audience.

#13 – Hunt

She's holding her bow.

#12 – Hair

#11 – Sisters



¹ Hackney, Peggy. 1998. *Making Connections: Total Body Integration Through Bartenieff Fundamentals*. New York/London: Routledge