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Keith Haring was born in Reading Pennsylvania, in 1958.

Keith started drawing when he was a child and he did it very well.

When he was 18 he started studying at art school in Pennsylvania but he didn't stay there long because he moved to an art academy in New York.

In New York he found his own style of art.

One day Keith was riding the subway and saw a black panel where an advertisement was supposed

to go. Keith bought a box of white chalk

went back to the subway station and did →

P. 79 A7 an intriguing cartoon.

After that he draw on every black space when he saw one.

Keith realized that people liked his subway drawings because nobody tried to rub it off or mess them up. Sometimes Keith created 40 subway drawings in one day.

His drawings became more familiar to the New Yorkers and Keith decided to produce buttons with his drawings and sell them on the subway.

Keith ~~apart~~ opened a Pop-Shop in New York in 1986.

In the shop he sold T-shirts, baseball caps, posters and magnets showing his images.

He wanted ~~to make~~ everyone to be able to buy low-cost products with his images on them.

Keith also worked with children sometimes. They draw wall paintings together.

Keith Haring died at ~~that~~ the age of 31 in 1990 because of AIDS.

In June 2008 there was an exhibition ~~and~~ ~~and~~ about 200 pieces of his work.

Keith is still remembered by many as great artist and friend.