

TODAY

**Work
together to
recreate
this Queen
album
cover.**



SOME HISTORY

Photographed by Mick Rock in 1974

It was the band's second album.

Their first album did not do so well,
and Queen wanted to get more
attention to their music.

The band liked photography Mick
Rock had created for David Bowie,
Iggy Pop, and Ziggy Stardust and
wanted a similar glam style.



INSPIRATION

"For the concept, I was feeding off the music and the band. They had no doubt they were going to make it big, so I felt it needed to have a certain grand quality. I'd come across a photo of Marlene Dietrich on the set of 1932's Shanghai Express, and she was under a top light, with hood eyes, arms crossed, fingers spread. I showed Freddie the image and he loved it."

-MICK ROCK



ASSIGNMENT

Work as a team of 4 students to make a portrait of each member of class using the lighting style and color of light shown in this Queen album cover. Decide who will portray each band member shown here. Help each other with posing and lighting.

How close can you get to the original artwork?

