

*With a can of gasoline in one hand  
and an exhibition catalogue in the other*

# WE THE IGNITIONISTS

*declare:*

*When art becomes just another form of entertainment  
any act becomes more sublime than art.*

*Expect from us anything but psychological amusement.  
It is not our intention to alleviate your fears.*

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*We reject all forms of political revolution.  
Today's true ideological battle is being waged in our minds  
against an ubiquitous pop yearning for fleeting stardom.*

*We have come to sear our actions onto culture.  
and by this we mean no other culture than that of the soul.*

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*We stand sublimely indifferent to organised art syndicates,  
their henchmen, and their thirst for the spotlight:  
time and dust will duly pass their verdict on these matters.*

*We will not contribute to the multiplication of nothingness.  
Our actions will either stand out or be thrown out.*

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*At this very moment we are operating in the shadows,  
subject only to the yoke of merciless self-criticism.*

*And if our efforts prove to no avail you shall find us  
feeding our works into the flames of purification.*

*Or in our dens inspiring ourselves with some cult classic.  
Fahrenheit 451, for example.*

*What does not inspire degrades,  
and what degrades must burn.*