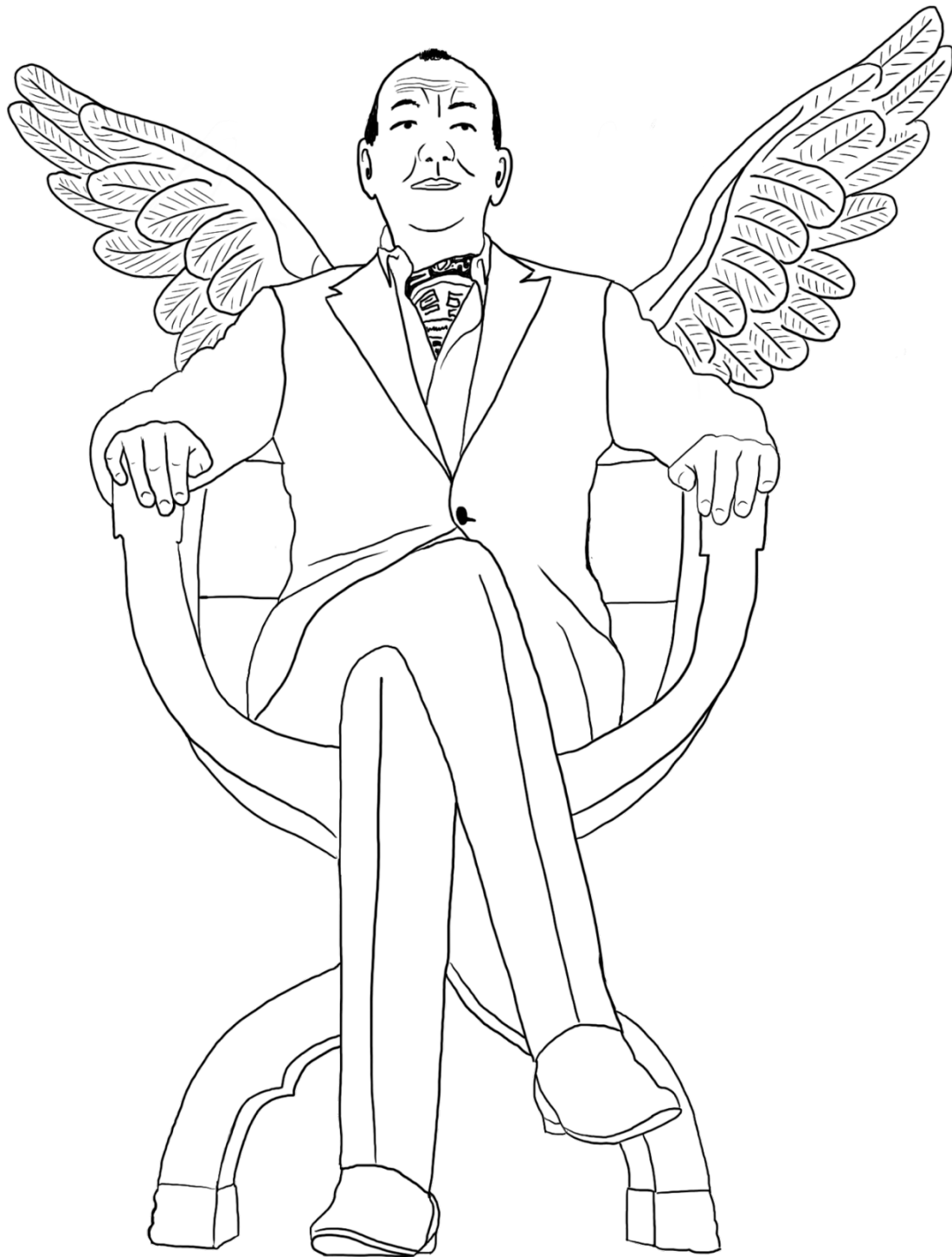


# NOEL COWARD: ART & STYLE



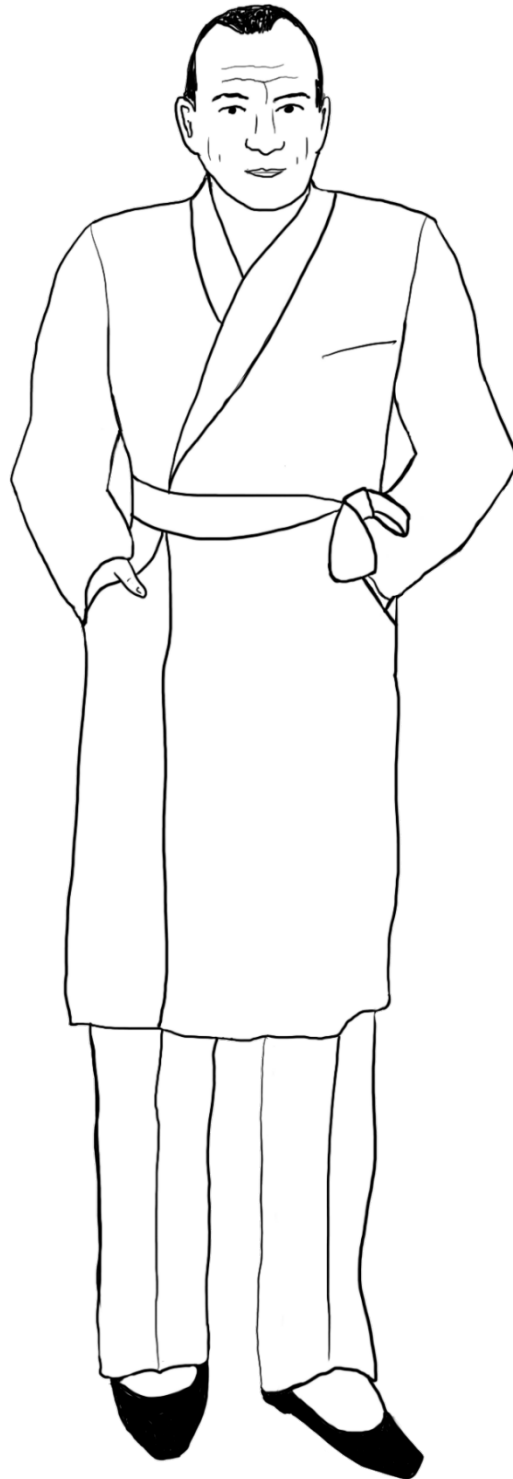
Noël Coward was playwright, director, songwriter and actor. This picture is taken from a photo of him sat in front of some sculpted wings that were on the wall in his house. Coward was known for his style and wit. He once said, "If you're a star, you should behave like one. I always have."

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This picture is of one of Noël's best friends, Gladys Calthrop. She designed costumes and sets for his plays. Gladys was an inspiration to other women for her style and independence. Noël was attracted to men and Gladys was attracted to women at a time when same-sex relationships were against the law, so they supported each other in their private lives. How do you think it felt to be so famous but to have to hide such an important part of their lives?

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Here is a picture to colour in of Noël in one of his dressing gowns, which he loved to wear. Make sure you make it very colourful, just how he liked it! He influenced men's fashions through both his costumes on stage and in his relaxing clothes when he was off-stage.