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Title:

MEXICO »Catalino's letters«

Author:

Catalino (excerpts of letters) Text in Spanish with English translation

Artists:

Stephan Köhler, Clemens-Tobias Lange

Method(s) of production:

Gelatine-Silver-Prints on handcoated papers; coated and printed in Hamburg (CTL-Presse)

Typefaces:

Gill Sans Bold

Paper(s) / Material(s):

Handmade Kozo papers by Stephan Köhler, (40 x 7,1 in --- 18 x 102 cm)

Format (width first) in imperial and metric measurements:

20 x 7,1 in --- 51 x 19 cm

Brief description:

Each of the two volumes begins with exerpts from letters by the farmer Catalino, written from 1987 - 1994. Volume one tells of the hardships of farm life and the devasting effects of a hurricane. The images show daily life on the fields and in the small town Tekit.

Volume two concerns the days of fiesta, the waiting for it in the letters and the mix of cultural identification in the photographs of processions, dance and bullfight.

The semi-transparent pages with Köhler's photographs were printed in the darkroom on the gelatine-coated japanese paper made by the photographer itself. Design, selection, coating and photographic printing, Clemens-Tobias Lange

Binding by Thomas Zwang, Hamburg in linnen and silk, spine in iron; MEXICO is housed in a wooden slipcase.

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