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Transection

Pectoral

Plait

Intersection

Criss-Cross

Enfolding

Borderline

Threshold

Horizon

Edge

PARTING EMBRACE by Dennis Del Favero

LIST OF WORKS

"Parting" No 1, 1997, Type C Print in timber and perspex frame, 100cmx150cm, Value DM4,000

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PARTING EMBRACE

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Embrace No 5	1.5m x 1m	\$2,000					

15cm x 25cm \$300 ea

(including frame)

All prints are in an edition of six

Fold No 1- No 15, 1997, Type C Prints

PARTING EMBRACE by Dennis Del Favero

DOMENTATION NOTES FOR BODY SHOW, AGNSW

PARTING EMBRACE List of Works

INSURANCE VALUE: All works are to be insured for \$3,000 each.

All works are signed and dated in the bottom right hand corner.

The prints comprise a polyptych of four adjacent works.

PARTING EMBRACE INSTALLATION NOTES

The following instructions are to be strictly observed:

UNPACKING

- Please check and document each print for damage. Report any damage immediately to Mori Gallery, 168 Day Street, Sydney. Phone 92832904 or 92832903, Fax 92832909.
- Handle all prints with white gloves.
- When unpacking and mounting all prints are to be <u>kept absolutely flat</u> at all times to avoid creases, buckles and dents.
- Ensure that prints are handled with extreme care at all times.

PACKING

- Check before packing for any new damage and notify Mori Gallery, Sydney, immediately of damage.
- When demounting and packing all prints are to be kept absolutely flat at all times.
- Carefully remove low tack tap and velcro from back of each print.
- Interface each print with supplied white tissue.
- Pack the large prints into supplied large white folder.
- When all the prints packed, tape white folders over the grey tape on the three edges of the folder.
- Wrap folder in its entirey in plastic bubble.

MOUNTING

- All prints are signed and dated in the bottom right hand corner.
- Handle prints with white gloves at all times.
- Do not rub the surface of the prints.
- Mount prints by strictly applying only the <u>LOW TACK TAPE</u> supplied to the four back corners of the prints and applying either velcro or double-sided tape to the back of <u>LOW TACK TAPE</u> and then applying to the wall.

• There should be a gap of 0.2m between each work. The works form a polyptych of four adjacent prints.

TO: Lubo Marun, Head of Registration, Art Gallery of NSW 13th August, 1997

Dear Lubo,

Please find attached the <u>first consignment</u> of five photographs for Berlin. <u>The second consignment</u> of two photographs will be arriving by the end of next week, namely the 22nd August.

The two consignments are to be packed into one as large a PVC Tube as possible. Rosemary Peel has suggested that it is best to roll the prints with the interleaving around a smaller tube then place this tube inside the larger tube. Please ensure that photographs are handled with white gloves and extreme care to ensure that they are not bent, creased etc. Please interleave the photographs with the white sontara supplied. The photographs are to be sent to:

Andreas Weiss Galerie Andreas Weiss, Leibnizstr. 45 10629 Berlin Germany

Phone +49.30.32701280 or +49.30.32701281 Fax +49.30.32701282

Please instruct Bryan Barrel to fax the Airway Bill Number and Flight details to Andreas Weiss at the above fax number and to myself at Civitella Ranieri Foundation, Umbertide, 06019PG, Italy, Fax +39 75.9417613

Phone + 39 75.9417612 once the tube is on its way. I will be at the Italian address from the 20th August. Galerie Andreas Weiss will collect the tube from the airport in Berlin. If there are any problems please call Stephen Mori on 92832904 or 92832903 immediately.

Fax 49.30.32701282

Please retain the foamcore folder until my return from Berlin on November 3rd.

Sincerely yours

Dennis Del Favero

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

INVOICE 13th August, 1997

TO: Andreas Weiss Galerie Andreas Weiss, Leibnizstr. 45 10629 Berlin Germany Phone 49.30.32701280 or 49.30.32701281 **DESCRIPTION**: Seven artworks Type C Prints 1 x 1.5 metres each by Dennis Del Favero for exhibition in Germany. The subject matter of the work is the human environment. The total value of the work is \$2,000.

Dennis Del Favero

DENNIS DEL FAVERO BODY show

PARTING EMBRACE

LIST OF WORKS

INSURANCE VALUE: All works are to be insured for \$3,000 each. The four works comprise of polyptych.

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"Embrace" No 5, 1997, Type C Photograph, 100cmx150cm

All works courtesy of Mori Gallery, Sydney

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PARTING EMBRACE

THIS SIDE DOWN FACING FLOOR

TO: Lubo Marun
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Art Gallery Of New South Wales
Sydney
Phone 2251700

Freight to: Galerie Andreas Weiss Leibnizstr.45 10629 Berlin Germany Fax 49.30.3271282 Phone 49.30.3271280 3271281

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DENNIS DEL FAVERO

PARTING EMBRACE

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DENNIS DEL FAVERO

PARTING EMBRACE

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Art Gallery Of New South Wales
Sydney
Phone 2251700

SPARE COPIES FREIGHT TO GALERIE ANDREAS WEISS ONLY IF DIRECTED BY ARTIST. OTHERWISE HOLD IN STORAGE AT ART GALLERY.

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LIST OF WORKS

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ATTENTION: FRED UDEN

PRINTING AND PACKING INSTRUCTIONS FOR AGNSW PRINTS

- 1 PAPER TO BE HANDLED WITH GLOVES AT ALL TIMES
- 2 PRINTS TO BE PLACED IN MASTER COPY FOLDER SUPPLIED AND INTERLEAVED WITH THE WHITE MATERIAL SUPPLIED
- 2 ENSURE DURING PRINTING NO KINKS OR MARKS ARE LEFT ON PRINTS
- 3 AFTER PRINTING CHECK PRINTS WITH USE OF TUNGSTEN LIGHT PROVIDED TO ENSURE THAT THERE ARE NO DRYING MARKS OR LINES ON THE PRINT SURFACE
- 4 DURING RETOUCHING ENSURE THAT GLOVES ARE USED AT ALL TIMES
- 5 PRINTS ARE TO BE CUT TO 1 X 1.5M
- 6 DURING CUTTING DO NOT TOUCH PRINT SURFACE WITH BARE HANDS
- 7 ON COMPLETION OF PRINTING AND RETOUCHING CONTACT STEPHEN MORI AT THE MORI GALLERY ON 92832903, 92832904 SO THAT HE CAN INSPECT THE PRINTS

FREIGHT INSTRUCTIONS FOR AGNSW PRINTS

- ONCE STEPHEN MORI HAS GIVEN THE OK CONTACT CAROLINE BUTLER-BOWDEN, CURATORIAL SERVICES COORDINATOR AT THE AGNSW, ON 92251873 OR 92251700 TO CONFIRM THAT THE WORK IS READY FOR COLLECTION. WRAP BOTH MASTER AND SPARE COPIES FOLDERS, COMPLETELY IN BUBBLE WRAP.
- 2 THE AGNSW TRUCK IS BOOKED TO COLLECT THE WORK ON FRIDAY THE 22ND AUGUST. IF THERE IS A PROBLEM WITH THIS

DATE PLEASE CONTACT CAROLINE BUTLER BOWDEN IMMEDIATELY SO THAT SHE CAN RESCHEDULDE THE TRUCK

- 3 BOTH THE <u>MASTER</u> AND <u>SPARE</u> COPY FOLDERS ARE TO BE COLLECTED BY THE AGNSW TRUCK
- 4 RETAIN THE NEGATIVES, PROOF SHEETS AND REFERENCE PRINTS AT FLASH IN NEGATIVE FOLDER SUPPLIED. ALSO RETAIN THE TUNGSTEN LIGHT. I WILL COLLECT THESE ON MY RETURN NOVEMBER 3 AT WHICH POINT I WILL REQUIRE TO COMPLETE THE PRINTING OF THE FINAL FIVE MURAL PRINTS
- 5 ONCE WORK HAS BEEN COLLECTED BY AGNSW PLEASE FAX ME ON +39.759.417612 TO CONFIRM

thanks

Production Schedule

July-August

July 1-July25 F Prints 23x15

F Design

July 25 F Photo shoot final

July 28 CA Fotofeis/EAF Design

July 24-Aug 8 EAF Mural Prints

Aug 1 DCA photocopies to Civitella

July 28-Aug 14 DCA

Aug 8 F Documentation

Aug 11 EAF Freight

Aug 19 Depart for Civitella

Nov 1-30 F Mural prints

Nov 17-28 F Video editing

Jan 13 F Mori opening

Feb 14 F Mori bump-out

Feb 16 F Freight to Berlin

Edit suite VHS3 Nov 17-28 Dec 1-19

SP Beta Nov 17-28 Dec 1-19

I gun projector July 28-Aug 8

1 gun & 3 gun projector

Jan 6-Feb 17, 1998

Phantasms

by Dennis Del Favero

Draft project proposal 5.6.97

European Art Fair, Berlin, November, 1997 Mori Gallery, Sydney, January, 1998 Galerie Andreas Weiss, Berlin, April, 1998

Description

Phantasms investigates incest through the lens of the psychotic fantasy linking the abuser and the abused, the seductive father and the "complicit" daughter. The work is based on research into a number of recent case studies.

Phantasms will take the form of eight photographic tableaux and a video projection. Six of the tableaux, entitled Act I, will present the fantasies from the perspective of the father, the other six, entitled Act II, will present the fantasies from the perspective of the daughter. Two texts accompanying the photographic tableaux will document on the one hand the suicide note of the father, and on the other, the courtroom testimony of the daughter. Act 111, comprising the video projection, will revisit a number of episodes in the father's psychotic fantasy, projected across a male mannequin protruding from the gallery wall.

Components

Solo exhibition: eight tableaux comprising 1x1.5m to 2x1.5m Type C framed photographs.

Group exhibition: two tableau 2x1.5m Type C unframed photographs, along with video projection (single channel video three mintes duration with audio, SVHS format).

The work will tour in a timber crate 1.1x1.51x0.2m, 65 kilos in weight.

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Phantasms Design Concept

Twelve separate vertiginal scenes, detailing an unspecified but concrete case of abuse/complicity. Each scene evokes the intrapsychic phantasies of "abuse" on the one hand and "complicity" on the other. The scenes are in the form of phantasy fragments recounted by the pair. The two narratives are in conflict. (photography/video as cross-section of blurred sexual space) either:

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- fourty something father and 18 year old daughter OR
- fourty something male academic and 18 year old female student OR
- thirty something brother and 18 year old sister
- Six scenes from the point of view of the man (& female mannequin).
- Six scenes from the point of view of the woman (& male mannequin).
- Six micro-scenes from the point of view of the man as a child (and child mannequin) recounting his childhood

Scene 1

<u>Photographic series 1 (images + separate text tablet)</u>

IMAGE

- folded male body & flesh
- male with female mannequin
- marked female body & flesh
- female with male mannequin

TEXT

• separate statement by man and woman (testimony, analytic notes ?)

Scene 2

Photographic series 2 (images + overlaid text)

IMAGE + TEXT

- composite images of boy's body parts + boy with mannequin
- monologue of child

Scene 3

Video projection across a toy house

IMAGE

• young male body & sexual intercourse

AUDIO

• muffled sounds/sex

Titles

Cutting/embrace

Splitting/embrace

Bosom/embrace

Frigid/embrace

Intertwining/embrace

Cross/embrace

Phantom/embrace

Icy/embrace

Phantasms: text

he

it's as if an electromagnet in my solar plexus were switched on

my mouth dry and my heart pounding

I am like another person when I go into sex

the best was anonymous sex initiated with a secret touch

I spent my adult life watching for her pouting, damaged, sullen

the social world is a thin, irritating haze covering the real world of sex

I'd store it in my fantasy bank and shape it into a porn video

the substance I used was human beings

my heart slamming my breastbone like a hammer

the membrane between the two worlds had by this time been worn to nothing

I concocted scenarios, relishing the anticipation

after we went to bed it was over for me

I'd have to find some way to stay inside sex with her

sex didn't satisfy my need to be seducing

Dark. Dangerous. Devastating.

I was a magnet for suicidal women for whom sex was self-annihilation

I could pick out the ones who hab been molested the minute they walked into a room.

She was my student during the week and my lover on weekends

She said she felt invaded.

I just wanted more and more of her, to take her further sexually than she had ever gone and then some

This fantasy was the way I could stay inside sex with her

I was another person when I went into sex: I was her molester

To be invaded, to be confused about where the other person ends and you begin: this is what it feels like to be molested

For easch woman I seduced there were two more I tried to seduce and then more I wanted to seduce

She was perfect: sophisticated and furious at her parents, a bomb about to explode.

We'd play underwater games. This is when I would first touch her. It would be like lightning hitting my fingers. She'd love it and let me know she'd love it.

All evening our desire would be excruciating. I'd brush the back of her thigh while she was clearing the dishes. That night while her parents were asleep she would sneak down to my room in her nightie.

she

all I can remember is a screaming child deep inside me

after that first night I had strange dreams - I had never dreamt before

my ecstacy was unbounded. I was be tied to him and would remember him for the rest of my life.

I don't know where I end and where he begins

nothing could be more absorbing, transporting, shameful

I feel like a detective trying to track down the missinmg parts of my soul as if they belong to someone else

I am without fondation my feelings are gripped by a hidden hand

I am a figment of my own imagination

I have few memories of specific incidents, mainly just snudges and half-images

I am swimming along in clear shallow waters and suddenly I feel afraid

why am I always afraid?

It is as if a tortured god had looked down and said: "I will make you special with these gifts. I will give you the gift of a mind so that you may know my confusion, the gift of sex so that you will know shame, the gift of being so that you will know fear, the gift of a self to know shit, and the gift of bewliderment so that you may not know me" What the gods had done was too terrible for me to bear, so I became someone else.

boy

I was in a strange house with lots of rooms

there was one dark and foreboding room

I saw a room flooded with water and a n electric cable in the pool

he put his arm around me while we looked at the guns

when I had pulled my clothes off he suddenly pulled the curtain back

standing straight up I didn't reach his waist

when it was still stiff he brought over a towel and dried me off

he had me and he knew it

he explained it was an even better secret we could share

inside the dream feeling he wad kneeling in front of me

it was a lot bigger than mine, red and angry

I remember posing nude in his attic studio, a child Bacchus

it was as if I were inprinted

he was kneeling in front of me, my pants around my ankles

as my breath returned, so the dream feeling entered

I knew his hands would start moving soon and after that nothing else would exist

I began not to be able to urinate

at bedtime when my mother turned out the lights an octopus would grow under my bed looking for any part of my body protruding over the edge

the molester is never a stranger

I was different from other kids, a great hero bound for a great destiny

FANTASMI Production Schedule 8.4.96

1996

November30 Technical research final Theoretical research final

1997

January 30 Text final

Design final

February 15 Shoot final

March 30 Catalogue copy

Sample prints final

April 30 Prints final

Catalogue design final

May 30 Catalogue print

June 18 Mori opening

Document European package

FANTASMI Design Concept 8.4.96 intimacy which is not intimacy abuse rape complicity

Act 1

scenario of older male philosopher and 18 year old female student in a case of sexual abuse

eight separate scenes of events surrounding the abuse

four scenes from the point of view of the man

four scenes from the point of view of the woman

one scenario but two conflicting narratives dealing with the violence and complicity revolvong around the struggle for sexual power

4 x male narrative 4 x female narrative

color negative prints 1.5x2m color negative prints 1.5x2m

Act 2

eight separate narratives of sexual abuse dealing with eight distinct relationships priest and parishioner father and son brother and sister uncle and niece psychiatrist and patient photographer and model color negative prints 30x40cms