

Body of work, "He Will Be Missed"

ARTIST STATEMENT

There is one instance when traveling to a new location for the first time is not met with anticipation; when traveling due to a love one passing away. In early 2020, my Father-in-law passed away from what we later found out was Covid-19. Traveling to El Salvador for the funeral arrangements, it had been 14 years since my husband had returned home and my first time visiting his country. It was a bittersweet reunion with his Mother in his childhood home. These photogravures are a documentation of decayed memories and heavy grief from seeing that nothing has changed and yet things will never be the same.

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