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GUARDIANS

CAMARGUE 2018-2019

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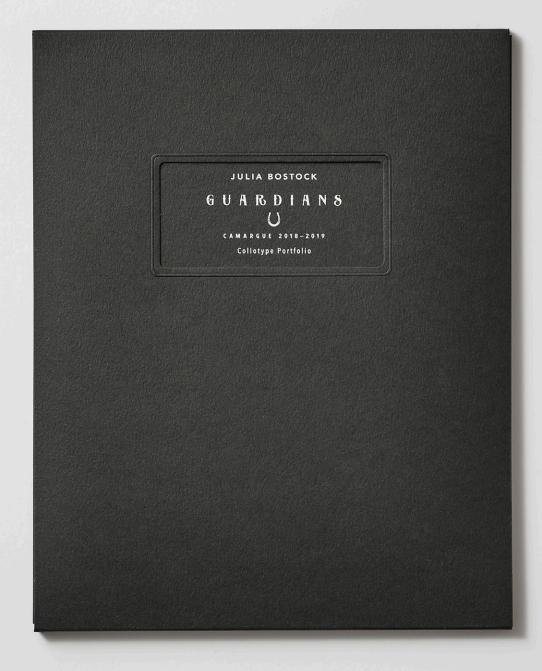
Eight Limited Edition Prints



It all started with a trip to Arles. We were invited to a party in the middle of the dusty Camargue. It was a community festival to celebrate the branding of young bulls. The field was mostly full of male horsemen, known as *Gardians*, except for one 16 year old girl whose confidence and poise shone out and spoke to me. Serenely she held the reigns of four horses in the midst of the busy scene, while the *Gardians* jumped off to tether and brand the bucking, writhing young animals.

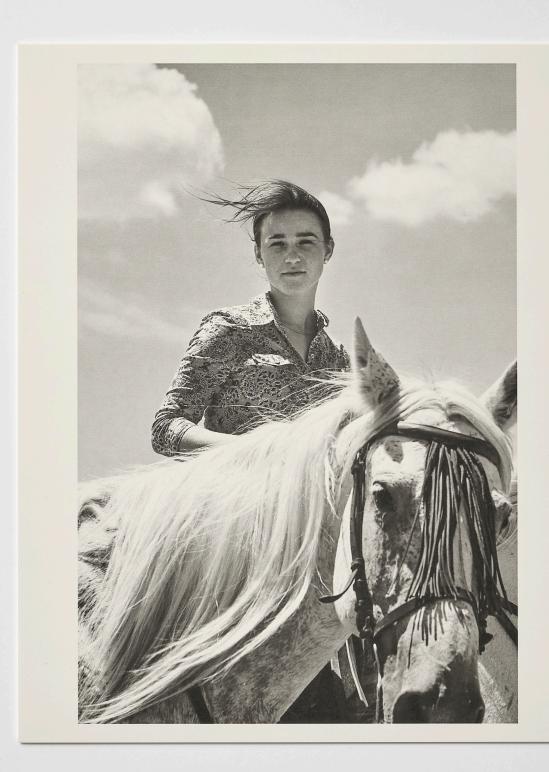
Her name was Melodie.

I followed her, we talked and thus began a year during which I photographed her with her young friends — both human and equine — and their beautifully simple life in harmony with the natural world.









Melodie, Camargue, 2018

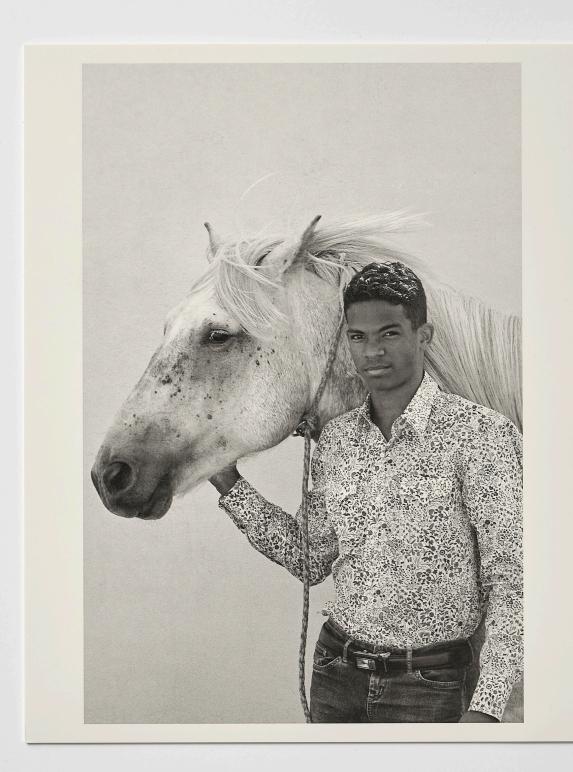




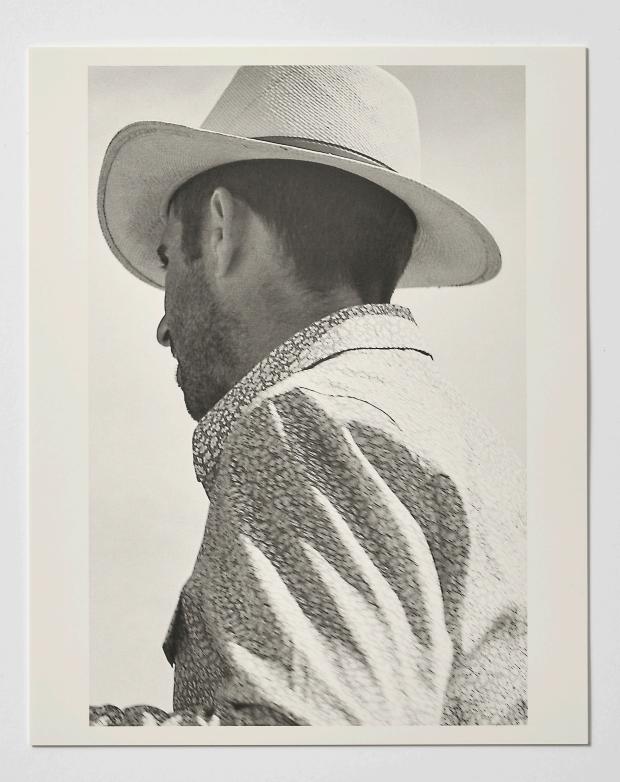








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