EMBROIDERED PHOTOS - ANZERI





Maurizio Anzeri makes his portraits by sewing directly into found vintage photographs. His embroidered patterns garnish the figures like elaborate costumes, but also suggest a psychological aura, as if revealing the person's thoughts or feelings.

HOW TO DO IT

- Select a photograph to work with if it is printed on paper cover the back with sellotape or sticky backed plastic
- Use tracing paper to draw your design lightly in pencil and then use a pin to pierce holes in appropriate places through your photo
- Thread a needle and start to join up the holes with stitching - be careful not to pull the thread too tight
- Use sellotape to attach the end of the thread to the back of the photo this will stop the thread pulling through

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OF OTHER
CULTURES.'

Maurizio Anzeri

FURTHER RESEARCH AND KEY WORDS







Julie Cockburn

Mana Morimoto

Jose Romussi

JULIE COCKBURN

Julie Cockburn's work is best defined by its delicate craftsmanship and by the transformation of every day and found objects into works of art

MANA MORIMOTO

Mana Morimoto likes to give old images a special finishing touch with needle & thread. Using bright colors, she gives a playful & contemporary look to all kinds of images

JOSE ROMUSSI

Using a needle and various multi-coloured threads he embroiders patterns and words over photographs and magazine pages to imbue them with captivating new life





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EMBROIDER

To decorate with ornamental needkework.

CONTEMOPORARY

Of the present time. In art; work that is being produced currently