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18452 Caravaggio. Narcissus small, 2019



Sebastian Riemer

18452 Caravaggio.Narcissus small , 2019 serie Stills small

Pigment-print + white frame and museum glass

Image: 90x90 cm ou 35.43x35.43 in

Frame: 92x92x4 cm ou 36.22x36.22x1.57 in

Edition of 5 ex + 2 AP

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Description:

The slides from that new series by Sebastian Riemer were once used to represent the visual canon during lectures. Obsolete today, they have been replaced by digital images. The source material is visually offered to the beholder in the form of large scale ultra high resolution reproductions. It highlights the materiality and all the traces of time that were accumulated since then, revealing what we normally could not see with our eyes.

The same way the visible world is projected on our retina, the slides are seen here upside down. This is the direction they need to be inserted into the apparatus to present an upright image.