

Naomi

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Primary Maker Cara Romero

Medium

Archival pigment print

Description

This photograph is part of Cara Romero's ongoing First American Girl series, which depicts named Indigenous women in life-size doll boxes, and is intended to act as a corrective to past misrepresentations of Native women. Romero works collaboratively with each sitter to determine how they will be represented. The resulting photographs celebrate the resilience and individuality of each woman, who is shown with items specific to her bioregion and everyday life—rooted in tradition yet very much of the modern world.

Dimensions

Image: 46 3/4 × 40 in. (118.7 × 101.6 cm) Sheet: 50 5/8 × 43 15 //16 in. (128.6 × 111.6 cm) Frame: 51 1/2 × 44 1/2 × 2 3/8 in. (130.8 × 113 × 6 cm)