



**Reclining in tree by Goddard Riverside  
Community Center NY, NY**

**Date**

June 1978 (printed 2021)

**Primary Maker**

Meryl Meisler

**Medium**

Archival inkjet print

**Description**

Meryl Meisler was born 1951 in the Bronx and grew up on Long Island, NY. Meisler frequented and photographed the legendary New York City discos. A 1978 CETA Artist Grant supported her portfolio on Jewish identity. Upon retiring from 31 years as a New York City public school art teacher, she began releasing previously unseen work, including her books, *A Tale of Two Cities: Disco Era Bushwick* (Bizarre, 2014), *Purgatory & Paradise:*

*SASSY '70s Suburbia & The City* (Bizarre, 2015) and *New York PARADISE LOST: Bushwick Era Disco* (forthcoming 2021). (Source: Light Work, Syracuse, NY)

**Dimensions**

Image: 8 x 8 in. (20.3 x 20.3 cm) Sheet: 14 in. x 10 15/16 in. (35.6 x 27.8 cm)