FLUX_001

2026-04-16 — 2026-05-15

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WHAT IS FLUX

FLUX is an open-source chronological photography publishing system.

36 photographs become one complete numbered issue.

The system generates:
- PDF publication
- contact sheet
- metadata manifest
- printable issue

STEP_01
CAPTURE

CAMERA: compact digital camera
FILE TYPE: small JPEG
COLOR MODE: high contrast monochrome

PURPOSE:
- eliminate processing
- eliminate workflow friction
- maximize speed

STEP_02
SELECT

SELECT 36 PHOTOGRAPHS

REVIEW PHOTOGRAPHS
AS SMALL THUMBNAILS

MAKE FINAL SELECTIONS
QUICKLY

DO NOT:
- overedit
- oversequence
- overanalyze

STEP_03
UPLOAD

UPLOAD 36 JPEG FILES AT:

flux.dantesisofo.com
/generator/

STEP_04
SYSTEM AUTOMATION

SYSTEM AUTOMATICALLY:
- reads timestamps
- preserves chronological order
- generates derivatives
- creates metadata
- generates contact sheet
- generates issue number
- generates issue PDF
- compresses for sharing

OUTPUT:
downloadable issue PDF

ISSUE STRUCTURE

DIGITAL ISSUE INCLUDES:
- chronological photo pages
- 6x6 contact sheet
- metadata manifest
- printable PDF

ALL PHOTOGRAPHS REMAIN
IN CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER

STEP_05
ISSUE GENERATION

SYSTEM AUTOMATICALLY:
- reads timestamps
- sequences photographs
- builds complete PDF

NO MANUAL LAYOUT

STEP_06
PRINT

PRINT: double sided
PAPER: 8.5 x 11 office paper

STACK PAGES
ALIGN EDGES
DO NOT FOLD
STAPLE LEFT SIDE
USING COVER MARKS

STEP_07
DISTRIBUTE

PRINT
DISTRIBUTE

STORE
IN MANILA FOLDERS
CHRONOLOGICALLY

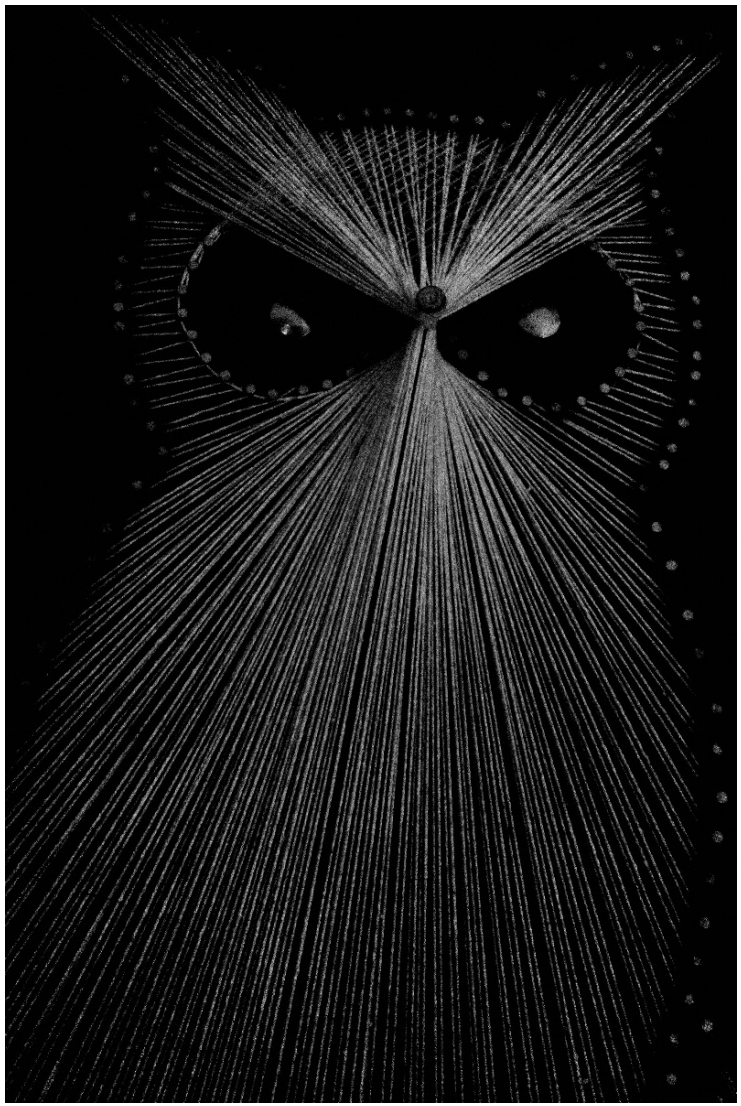
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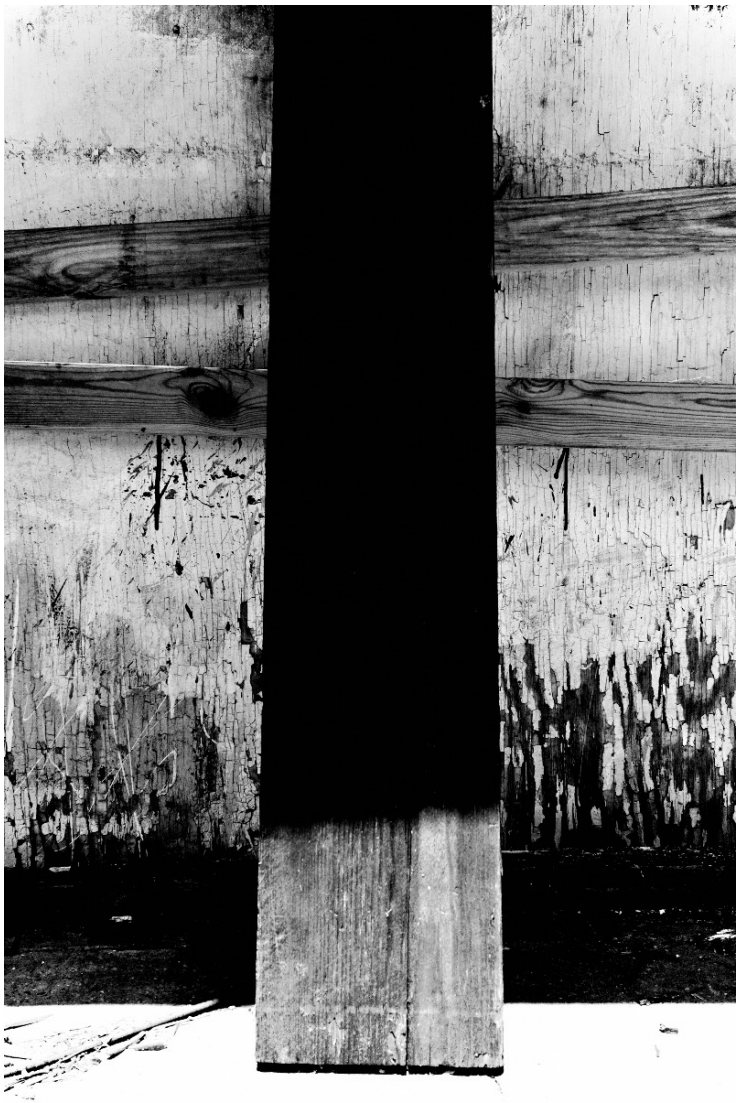
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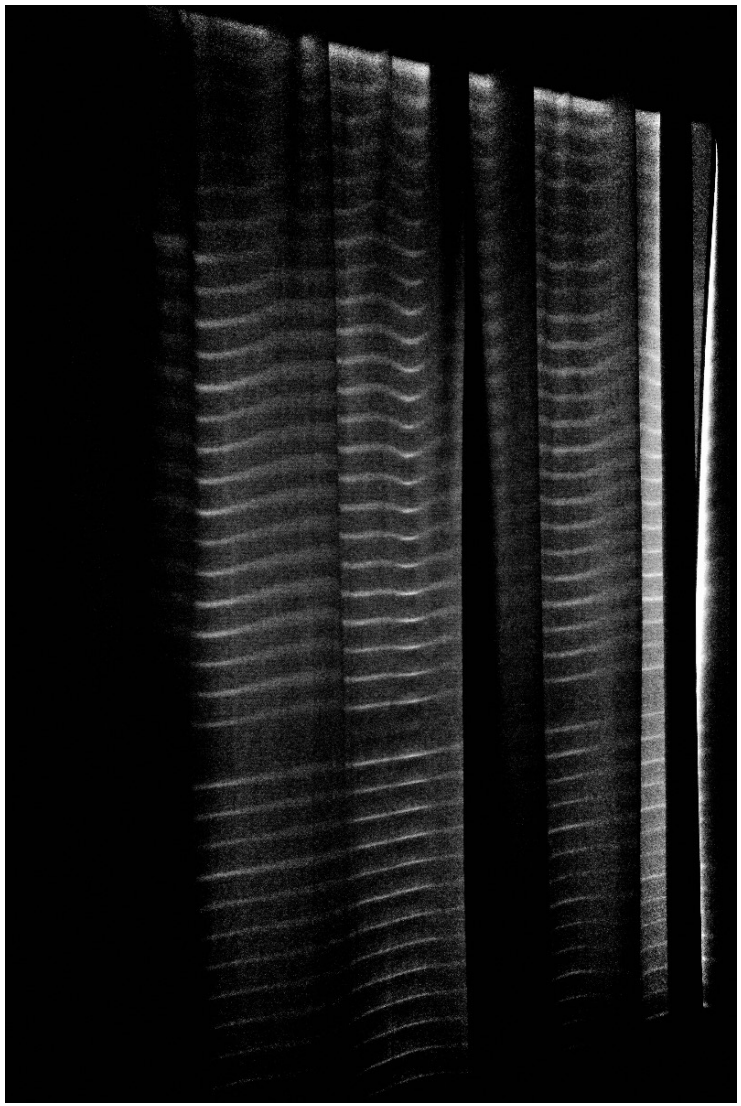
SCAN TO CREATE
YOUR OWN FLUX ISSUE



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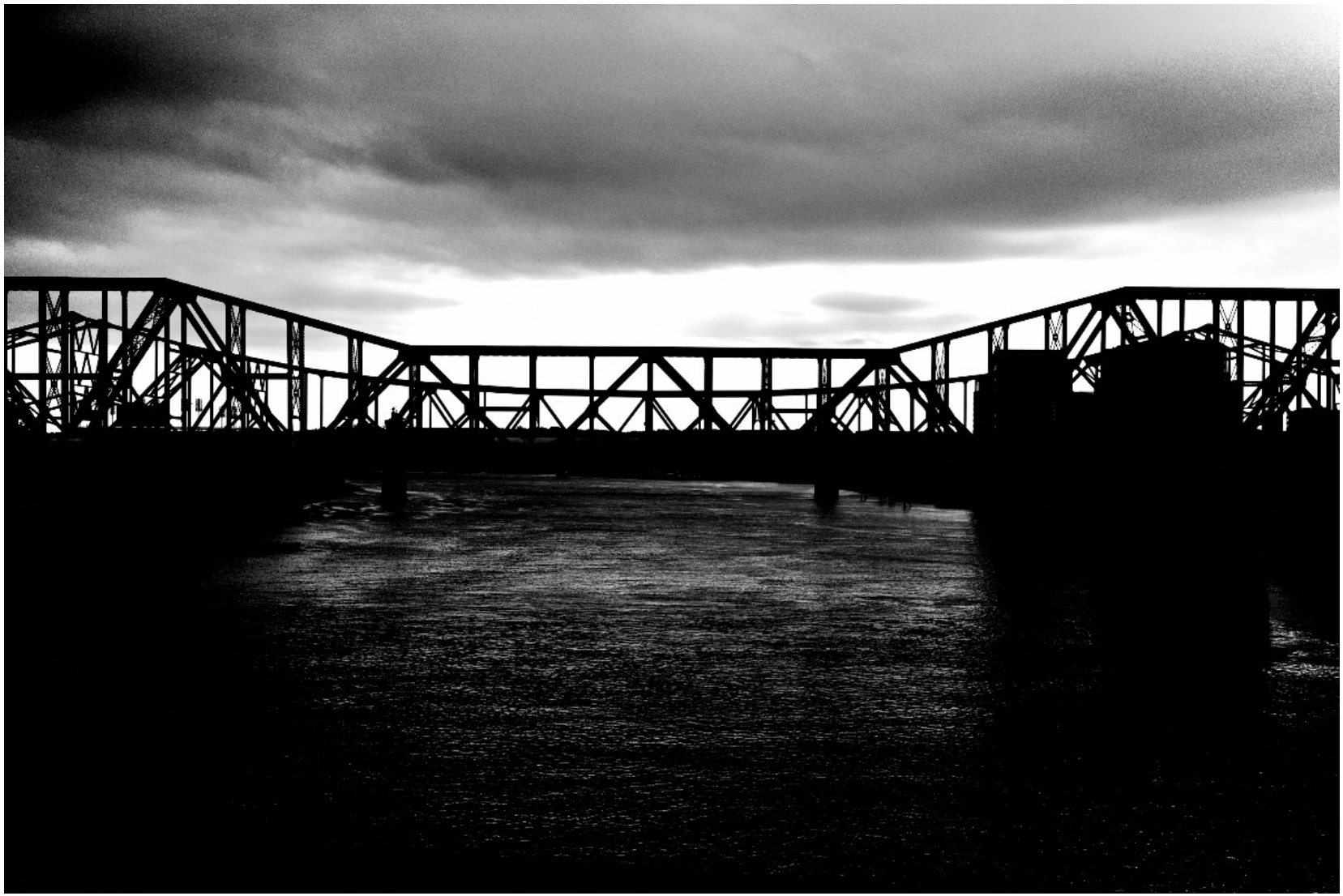






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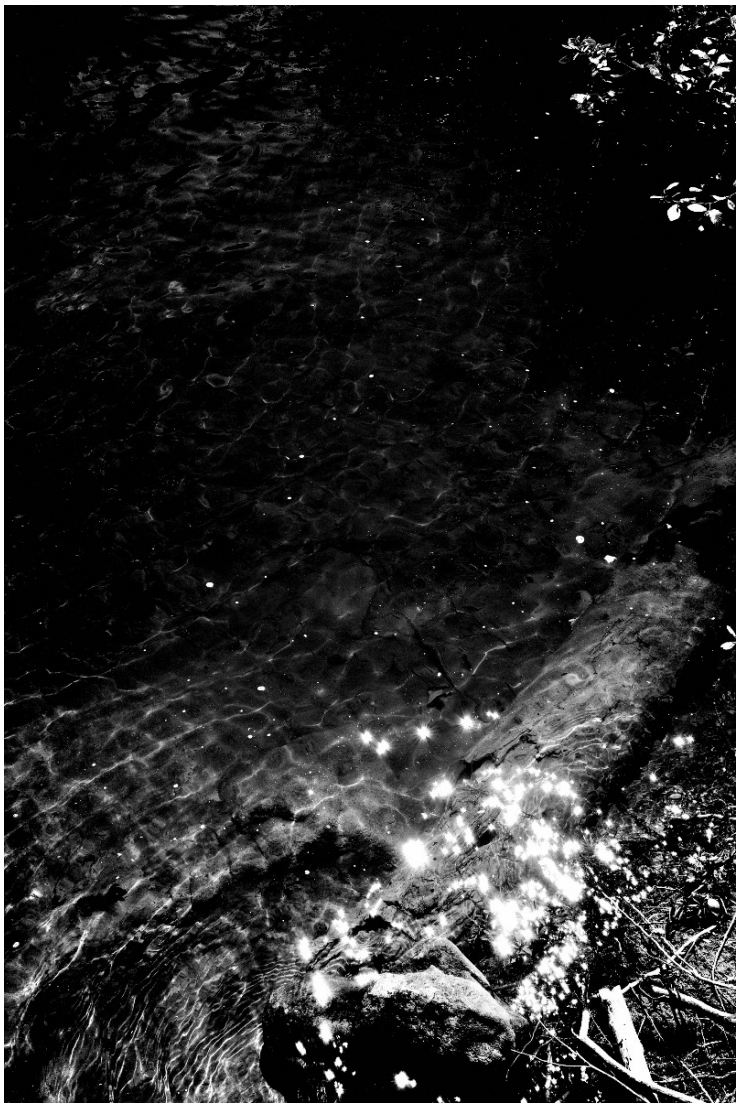
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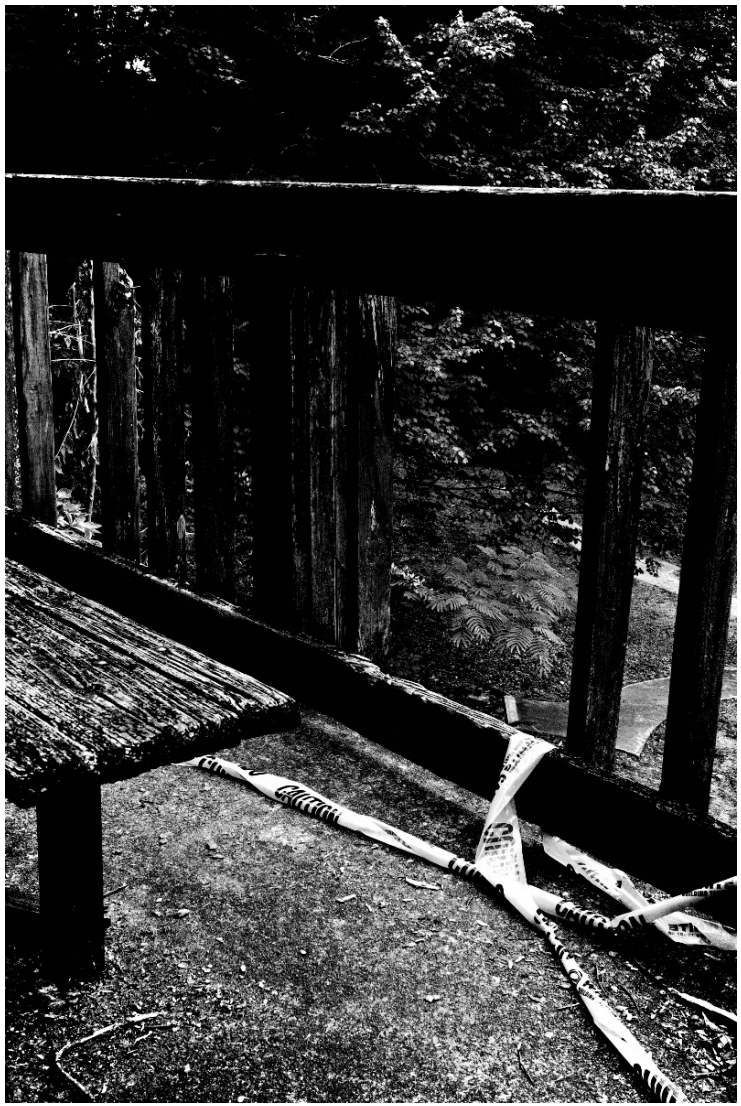
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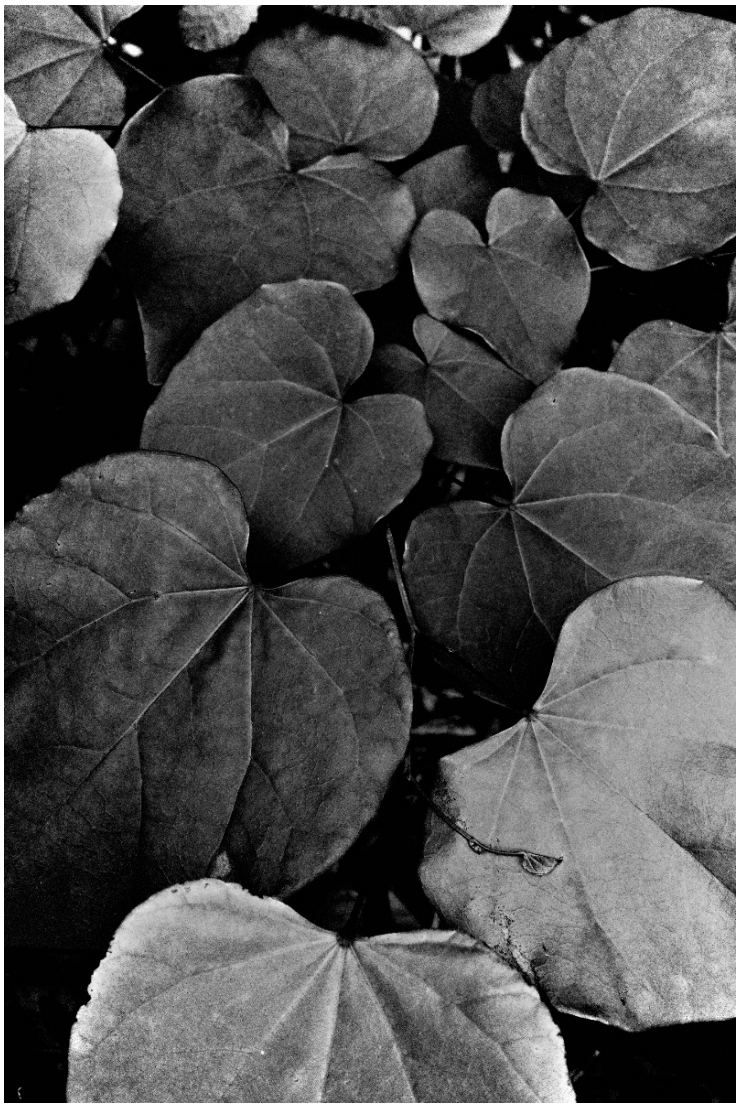






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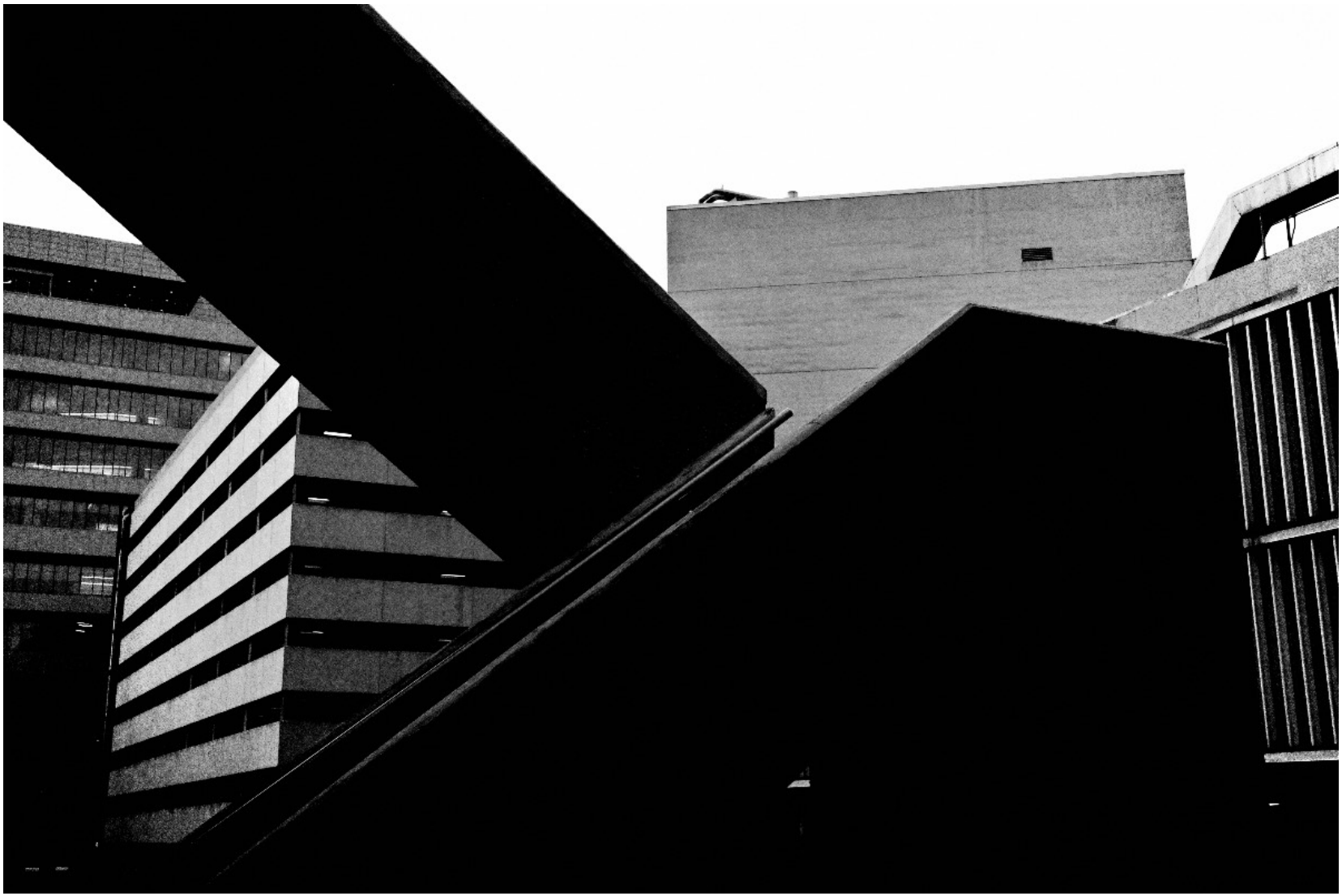
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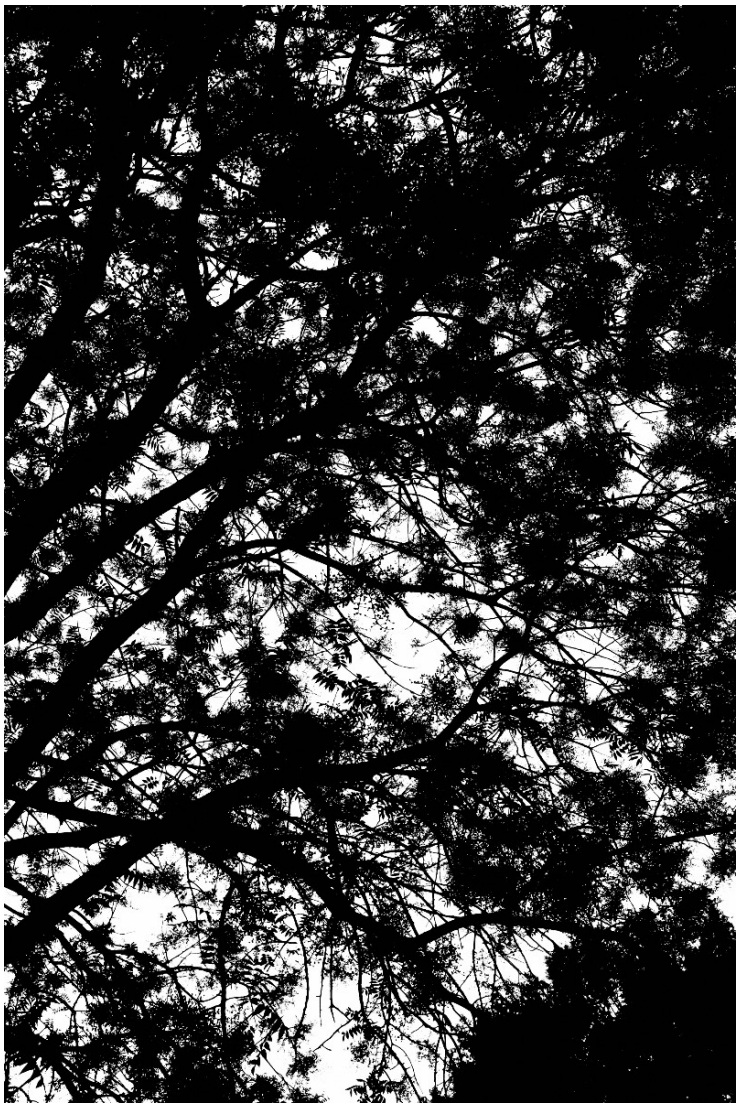
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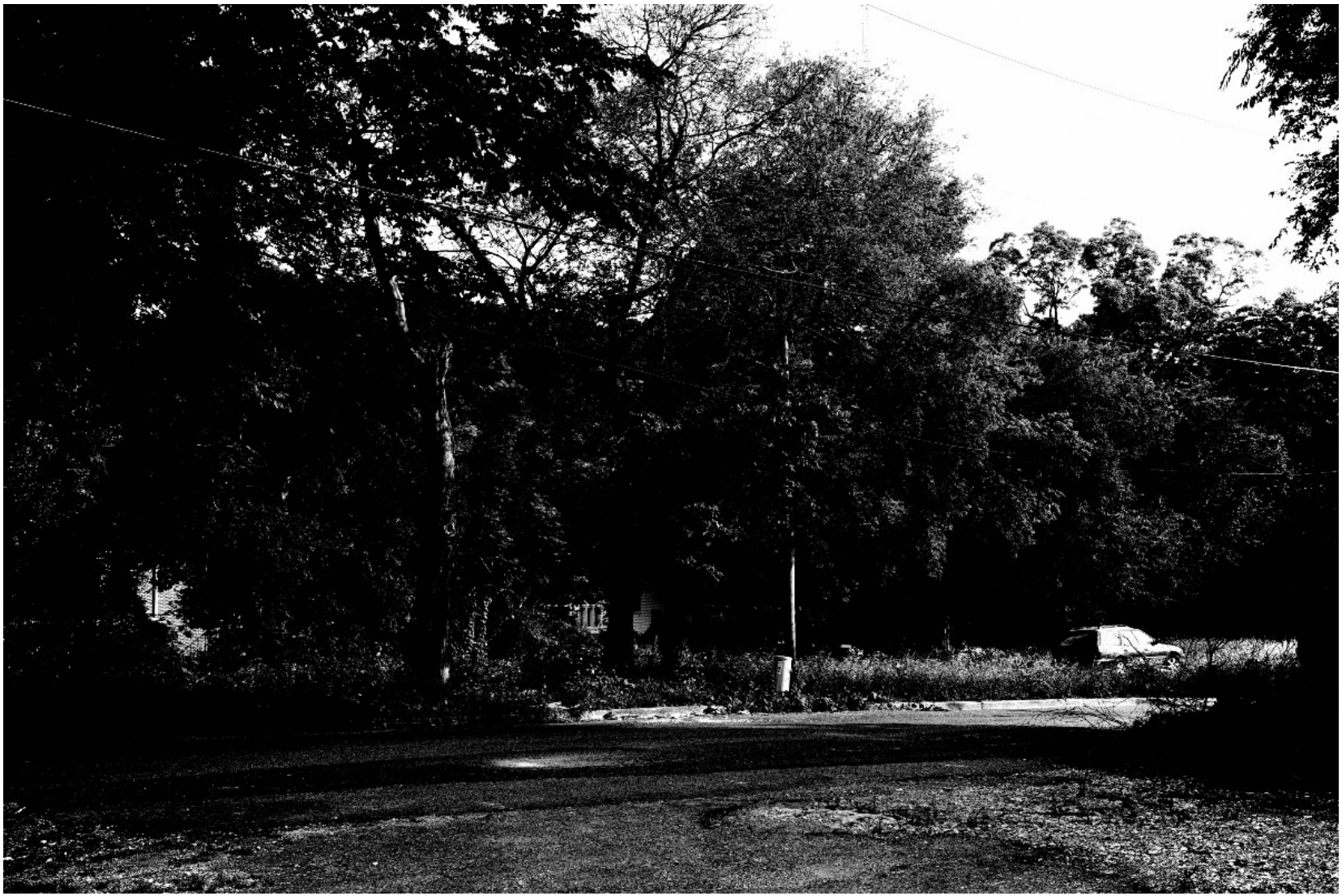




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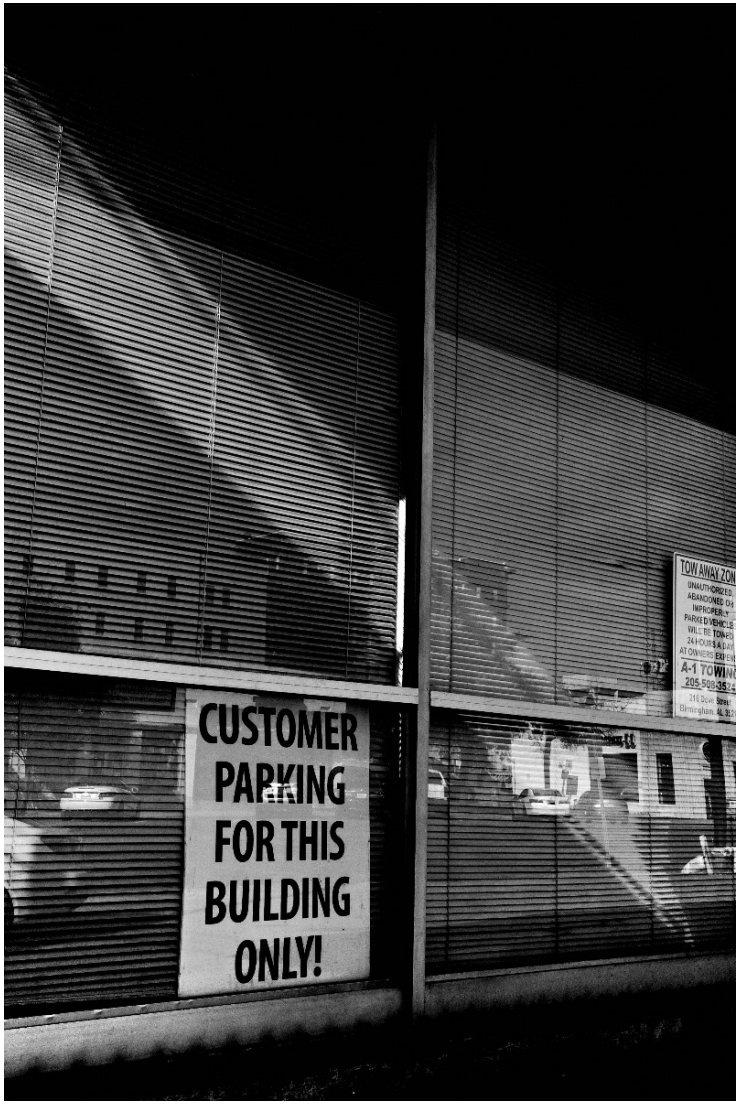




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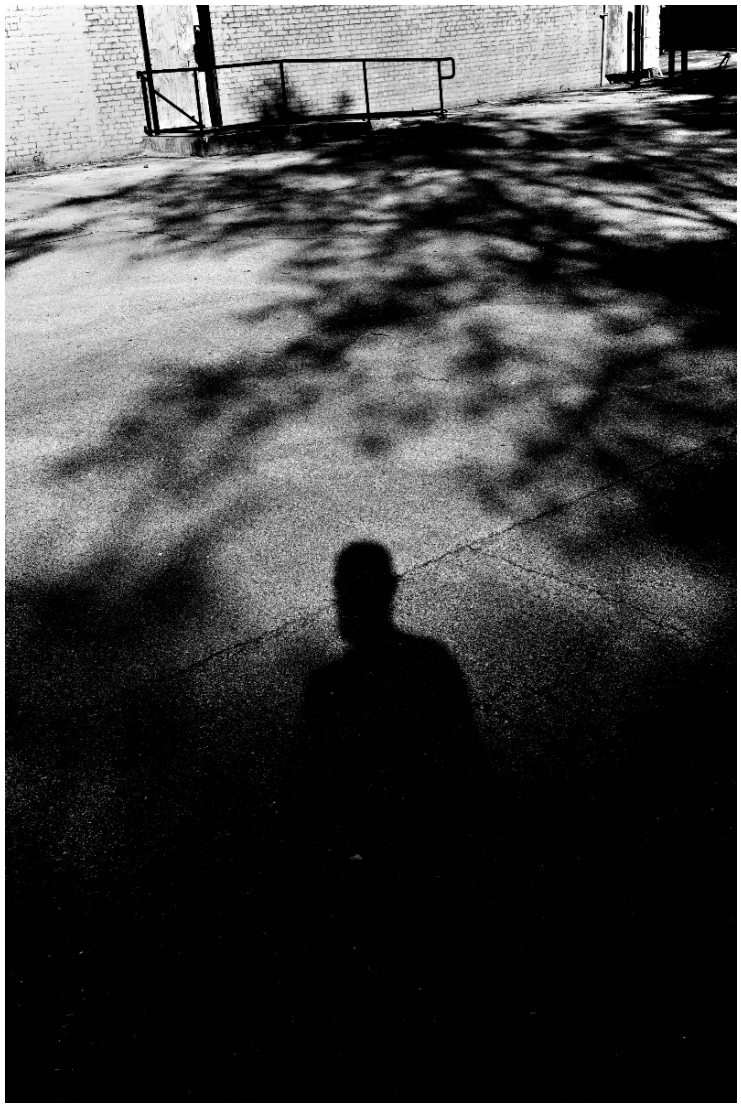


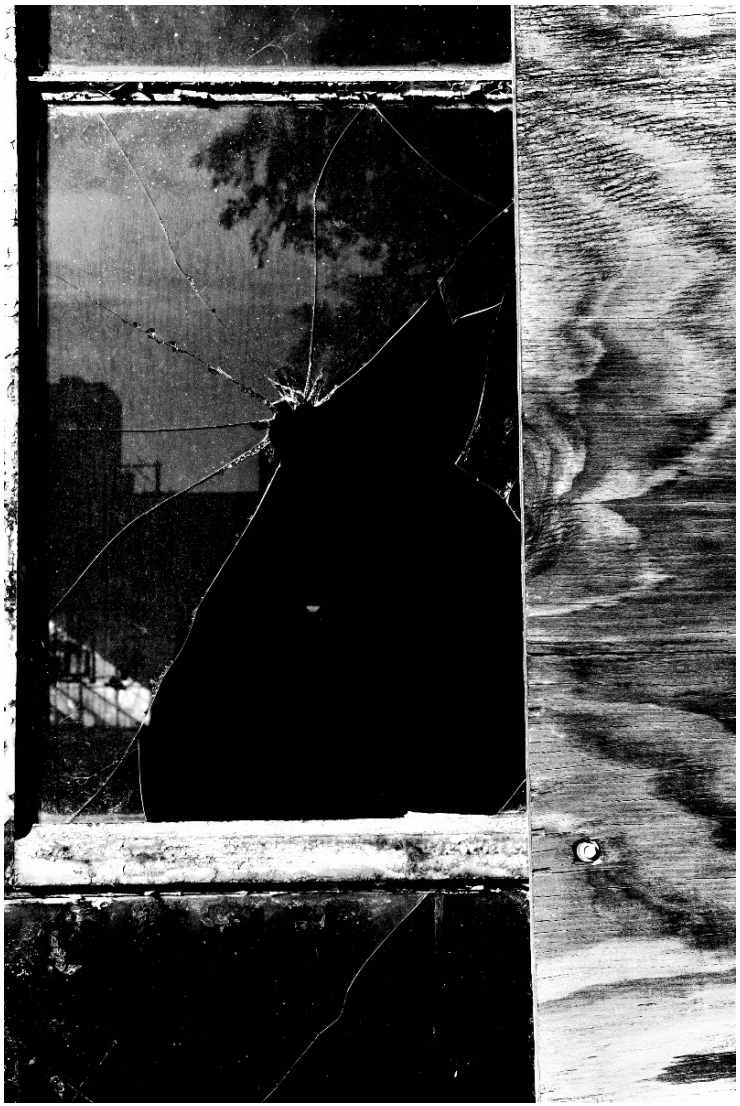
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FLUX_001 — CONTACT SHEET — 36 FRAMES


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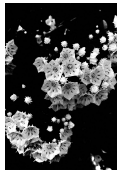

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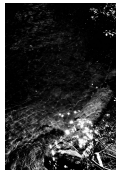

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