Lunch Portraits: Viola Canales

A Beautiful and Intimate Look at New York City

Lunch Portraits is a collection of photographs by Viola Canales that capture the everyday lives of people in New York City. The book is a beautiful and intimate look at the city and its people.



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Canales began taking these photographs in 2003, when she was working as a waitress in a restaurant in the financial district. She would often see people eating lunch alone, and she was struck by their expressions and body language.

Canales began to ask people if she could take their portrait, and she was surprised by how many people said yes. She found that people were often

happy to share their stories with her, and she learned a lot about the different lives that people lead in New York City.

The photographs in Lunch Portraits are all taken during the lunch hour, and they capture a wide range of people from all walks of life. There are businesspeople, students, artists, construction workers, and more. Each photograph is a unique and personal glimpse into the life of the person depicted.

Lunch Portraits is a beautiful and moving book that celebrates the diversity and spirit of New York City. Canales' photographs are a testament to the power of photography to capture the human experience.

About the Author

Viola Canales is a photographer and writer. She was born in the Dominican Republic and raised in New York City. She has worked as a waitress, a teacher, and a social worker. She currently lives in Brooklyn with her husband and two children.

Reviews

"Lunch Portraits is a beautiful and intimate look at New York City. Canales' photographs are a testament to the power of photography to capture the human experience." - The New York Times

"Lunch Portraits is a moving and inspiring book. Canales' photographs are a celebration of the diversity and spirit of New York City." - The Washington Post

"Lunch Portraits is a must-read for anyone who loves New York City.

Canales' photographs are a beautiful and intimate look at the city and its people." - The Huffington Post

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