

# ART THAT MATTERS

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ARJAN SPANNENBURG

## SOLACE

Year: 2023

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### SUMMARY

SOLACE offers a profound vision of shared burdens and relief, redefining the embrace as a sanctuary of common ground The Narrative: A Sanctuary of Shared Humanity SOLACE is the emotional climax of the triptych, representing a deep, layered form of enlightenment. As we move into this close-up perspective, the boyish figure becomes clearly defined, contrasted against the masked face of the protector. This "Common Ground", both the physical sand and the emotional shared basis, is where the weight of fear and loneliness...

### GENRES

LGBT+ · Queer · Freedom · Activism · Conceptual · Photography · Masculine Vulnerability · Male Portraiture

### MATERIALS

#### **Matt plexiglas**

Giclée print Ultrachrome mounted on dibond with Mat plexiglas. This finish is designed for spaces with high ambient light or large windows. The matte surface diffuses light to eliminate harsh reflections, providing a sophisticated, soft-touch finish that allows the image to be viewed clearly from any angle without a "mirror effect."

#### **Framed with Museum glass**

Fine Art print mounted on dibond and framed with museum glass in a wooden frame. The choice for the traditional collector. This combines a structural Dibond mount with the timeless elegance of a wooden frame. By using Museum Glass, we achieve 99% UV protection and a nearly invisible surface, offering the tactile warmth of a classic frame without the green tint or reflections of standard glass.

**Diasec Anti-Reflex**

Giclée print Ultrachrome mounted on dibond with Diasec Anti-Reflex. An exhibition-grade finish that utilises the patented Diasec® chemical bonding process. This creates a permanent, airless seal between the print and a specialised anti-reflective acrylic. It provides the structural "monolith" look of a contemporary mount while ensuring that even under heavy gallery spotlights, the focus remains entirely on the artwork's detail.

**Diasec True-life**

Giclée print Ultrachrome mounted on dibond with Diasec Truelife. The absolute pinnacle of art production. This tier uses Truelife® acrylic, an optic-grade material similar to high-end camera lenses. It provides a stunning "liquid" depth and 3D-like colour vibrancy, while simultaneously being anti-reflective, scratch-resistant, and anti-static.

**EDITIONS & PRICES****Portrait 60 x 90 cm**

Limited Edition (8/8 Available)

€2,800 (Incl. 9% VAT)

**Portrait 60 x 90 cm**

Artist Proof — 2 Available

€3,500 (Incl. 9% VAT)

**Portrait 80 x 120 cm**

Limited Edition (6/6 Available)

€3,700 (Incl. 9% VAT)

**Portrait 80 x 120 cm**

Artist Proof — 2 Available

€4,625 (Incl. 9% VAT)

More Info <https://www.artthatmatters.gallery/en-AU/artworks/solace>

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## GALLERY



## ART EXPANDS PERCEPTION AND INTELLECT.

Art should have an impact

### The Silent Power of Vulnerability

The autonomous work of Arjan Spannenburg (born Texel, 1978) resonates internationally with curators and private collectors alike. Central to his photography is the search for identity and self-expression. Through powerful, predominantly monochrome compositions, Spannenburg portrays youth standing on the threshold of adulthood.

We witness adolescents in a transient, uncertain phase of life. These sensitive portraits capture subjects alone with their thoughts, yet they simultaneously radiate a profound need for communication with the outside world, a search for support, understanding, and love.

**Gallery Representation & Exhibitions** In addition to permanent representation by ZERP Galerie (Rotterdam), Spannenburg's photography has been selected for prestigious international platforms and events, including:

- PAN Amsterdam
- Kunstlinie, Almere
- Schwules Museum, Berlin
- Paratissima, Italia
- Tongerlohuys, Roosendaal

His works are held in diverse private collections and are often seen in prominent public locations, including the City Hall of The Hague.

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