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Male Nude Prints

Thom Bierdz

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When I was 12 I saw a Playgirl magazine and have not found anything since as beautiful as the naked male body. Over the years I have painted the male nude in different styles, and usually in color, but these 100 images translate well to black and white for the purpose of this work.

I created this retrospective as a simple coffee table art book, but if you like, cut out the images and mat and frame them.

If you prefer the higher resolution, signed, 8 x 10" limited-edition prints in white 11 x 14" mats, contact me at www.ThomBierdz.com. (2018 price is only \$35 each, minimum 3, no shipping charge in USA).

Wishing you the men of your dreams,

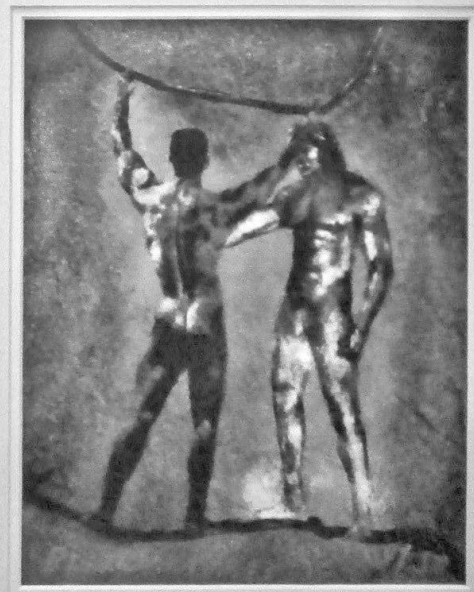
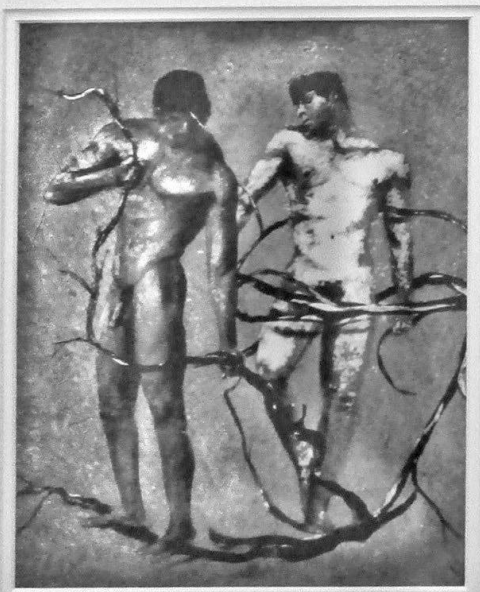
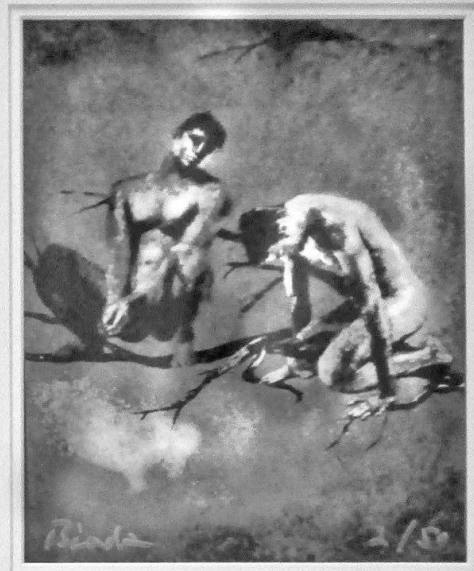
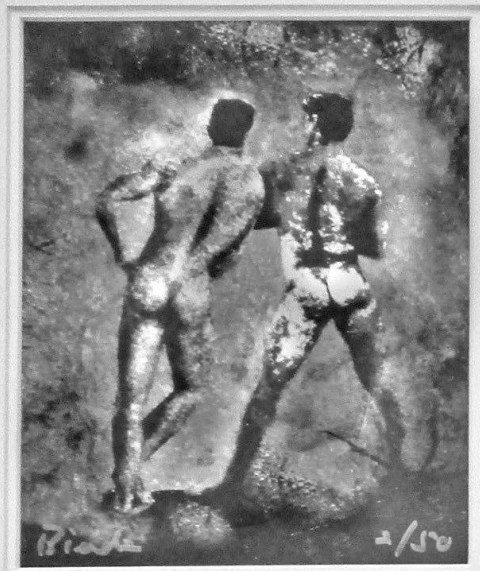
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Following these painting images comes a second book titled, "100 Black And White Photos Of The Artist."

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Bio

Thom Bierdz (born March 25, 1962) is an American actor best known for his portrayal of legacy character Phillip Chancellor III on the daytime drama *The Young And The Restless*, recurring from 1986, last seen in 2011. He was a repeat guest star on *Melrose Place*, guest starred twice on *Murder She Wrote* and once on *Matlock* and *Robin's Hoods*. Other TV and movie roles include *Highway To Heaven*, *St. Elmo's Fire*, *The Last Place On Earth*, *The Gladiator*, *Warm Texas Rain*, *Hungry For Love*, *The Cavanaughs*, *The Takedown*, *Win Lose Or Draw*, *The New Hollywood Squares* and *Old Dogs New Tricks*.

In 1997, young filmmaker Bierdz's first art film, *Heart Of The Oak*, won Best Experimental Film at Philadelphia International Film Festival and Best Experimental Film at University of California Davis snagging the coveted Golden Calf Award.

The art world embraced Bierdz in 2004 when Scarlett Johansson hosted his Soicher-Marin gallery show. In 2005 he won the *Out Magazine* Best Emerging Artist of Los Angeles and in 2006 was awarded the Key to the Light Award from The Thaliens for raising a great deal of money for charities through his paintings.

"Bierdz is able to paint on that instinctual level." Mitch Rustad, *Genre Magazine*.

"Bierdz is now one of Los Angeles' most successful and in-demand artists." David Alexander Nahmod, *Express News*.

"On par with Picasso, Van Gogh, Matisse and Warhol," Tommy Lightfoot Garrett, *Highlight Hollywood*.

Bierdz co-founded www.AmericanArtAwards.com in 2009 and is full-time president. Every year the online fine art site honors the best 25 American galleries and museums, which in turn award breakthrough artists in over 50 countries.

Bierdz's first memoir, *Forgiving Troy*, recounting the murder of his mother by paranoid schizophrenic brother Troy, gained many book awards:

The National Best Books 2007 Awards:

WINNER: True Crime category

WINNER: Audio-book Non-fiction Unabridged category

2007 Indie Excellence Book Awards:

WINNER: Autobiography category

2008 LAMBDA Awards:

FINALIST: Autobiography

The National Best Books 2009 Awards:

WINNER: Autobiography/Memoir category

The 2010 International Book Awards:

GRAND PRIZE: Spirituality "Sacred Light" Award

WINNER: Autobiography/Memoir category

WINNER: Gay & Lesbian: Non-Fiction category

WINNER: Non-Fiction Narrative category

WINNER: True Crime: Non-Fiction category

Forgiving Troy critics remarked:

"Matricide! Suicide! Paranoid schizophrenia! Sound like elements of a juicy soap opera? Not to former *The Young And The Restless* hunk Thom Bierdz – those horrors are part of his true family story. And the actor is going public with them in his startling new autobiography..." Gil Kaan, *National Enquirer*

"...gut-punching memoir that chronicles his triumph over an unspeakable family tragedy... Chilling, hopeful, spiritual." Michael Logan, *TV Guide*

Being the first openly gay soap actor in a principle role, Bierdz was honored in 2009 by the Human Rights Campaign and won a visibility award from Long Island's GLBT Network.

In 2018, Bierdz released *Anonymous True Accounts: How Men REALLY Feel About Being Sexually Abused* as well as his stunningly brave sexual memoir, *Young, Gay & Restless: My Scandalous On-Screen & Off-Screen Sexual Liberations*.

"...brutal honesty and introspection... completely vulnerable... a great journey and it's sexy and funny and sometimes silly and often moving and inspirational and leaves one very satisfied and still rooting." - Thom Racina, famed *General Hospital* writer

"... will keep you turning pages as your jaw drops. Told with superior flair and keen talent, Bierdz's words are pure candy and cadence." Hilary Jastram, *Sick Success*

Singles In Trees

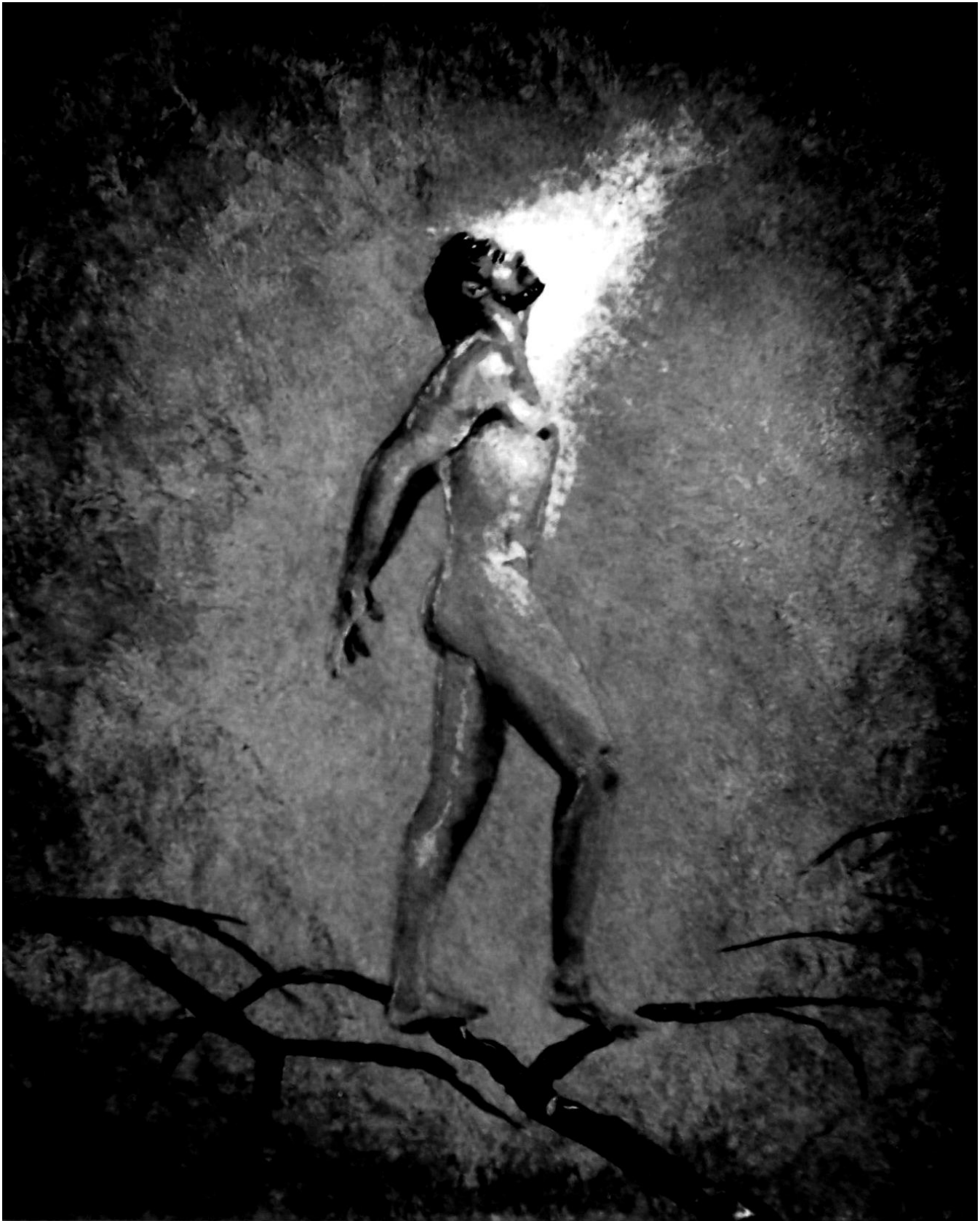
In 2007, I painted about 60 small wood panels of single nudes in trees. I used only white, gold, brown and black paint, both acrylic and oil, then oil varnished with a soft fluffy brush to leave crusted hairs and scratches for an antiquated look. All were framed identically in ornate gold Renaissance frames, and all have since sold.

When I started to offer these as prints, I discovered they transferred beautifully to blue, or red, or green, or black and white.

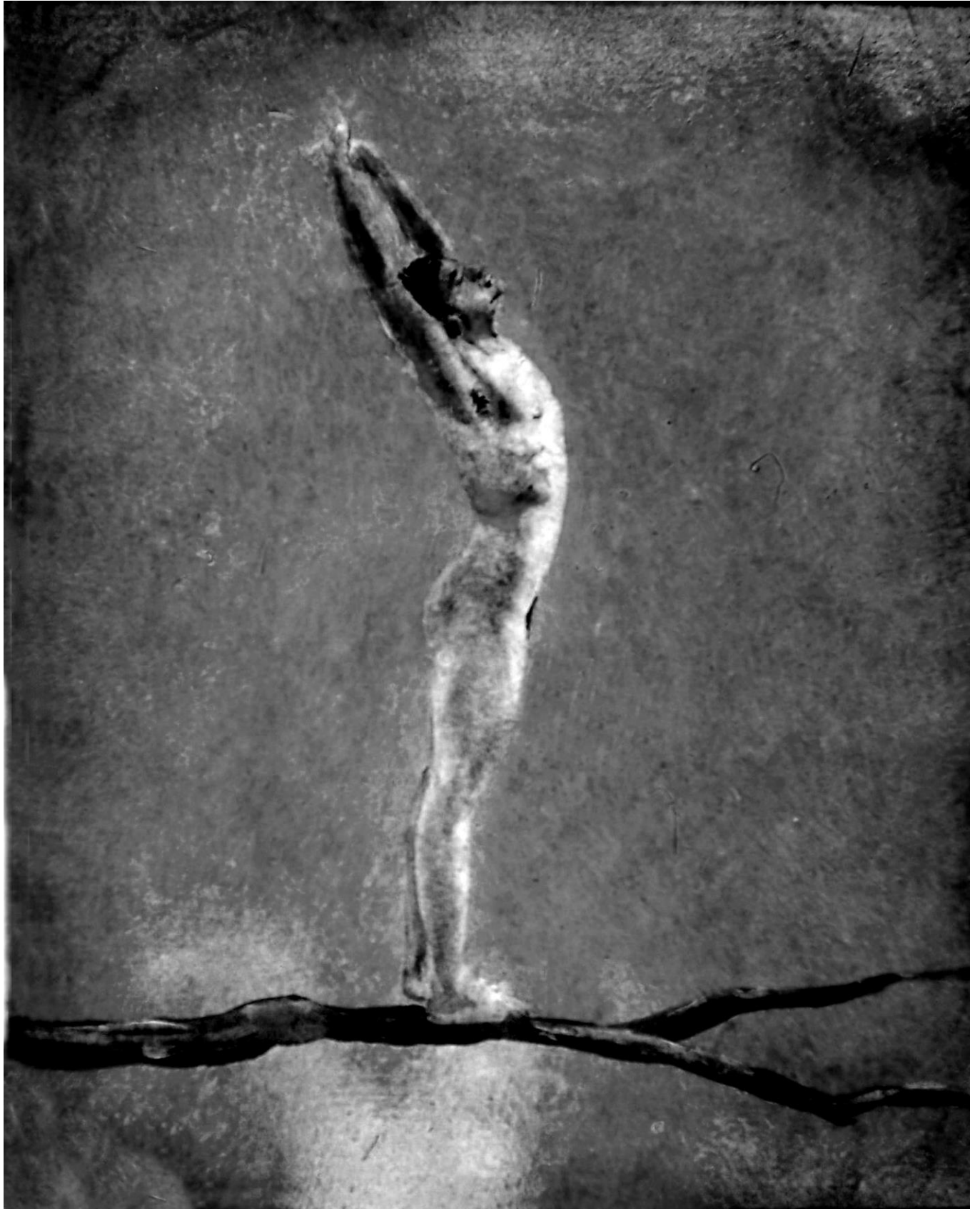




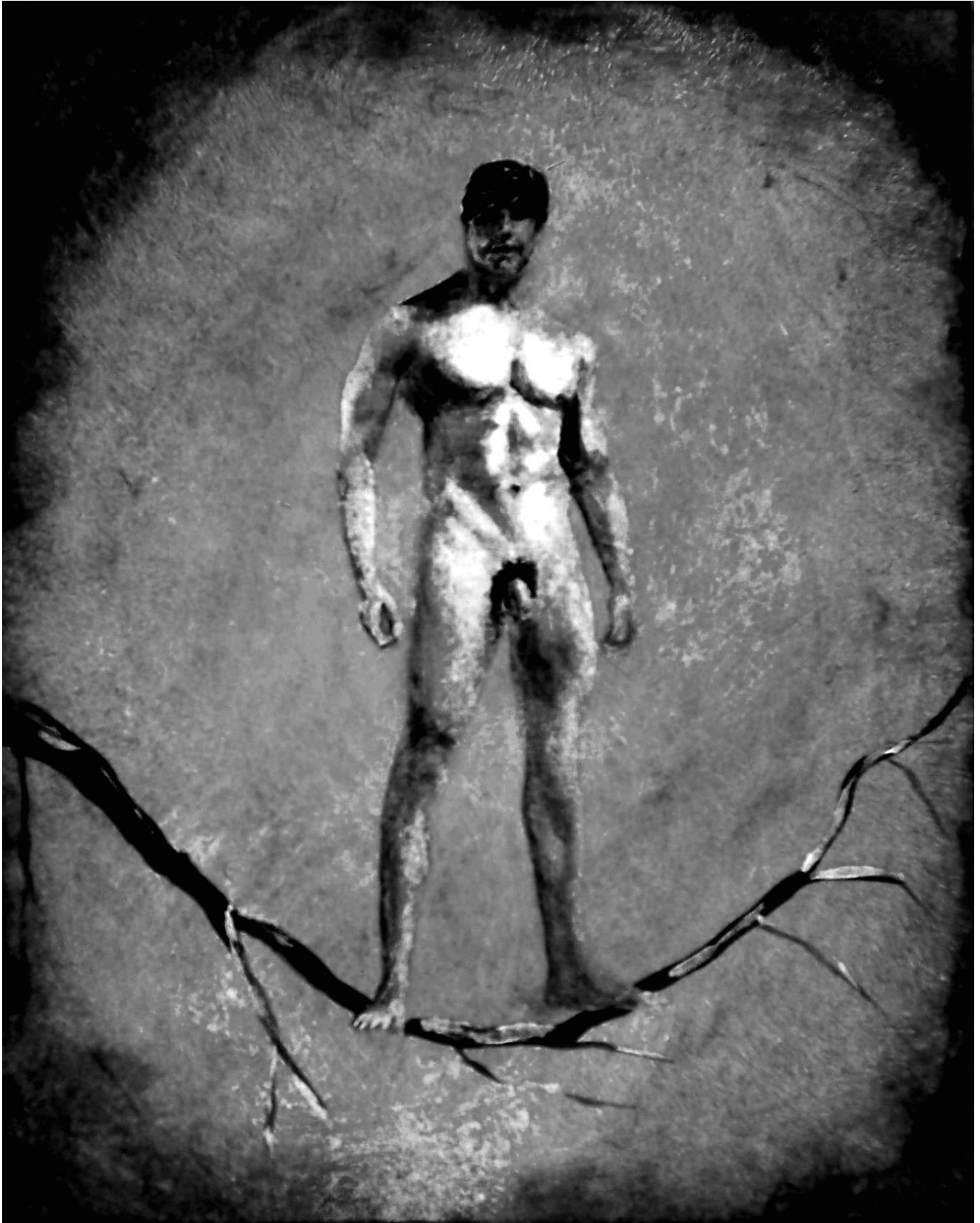
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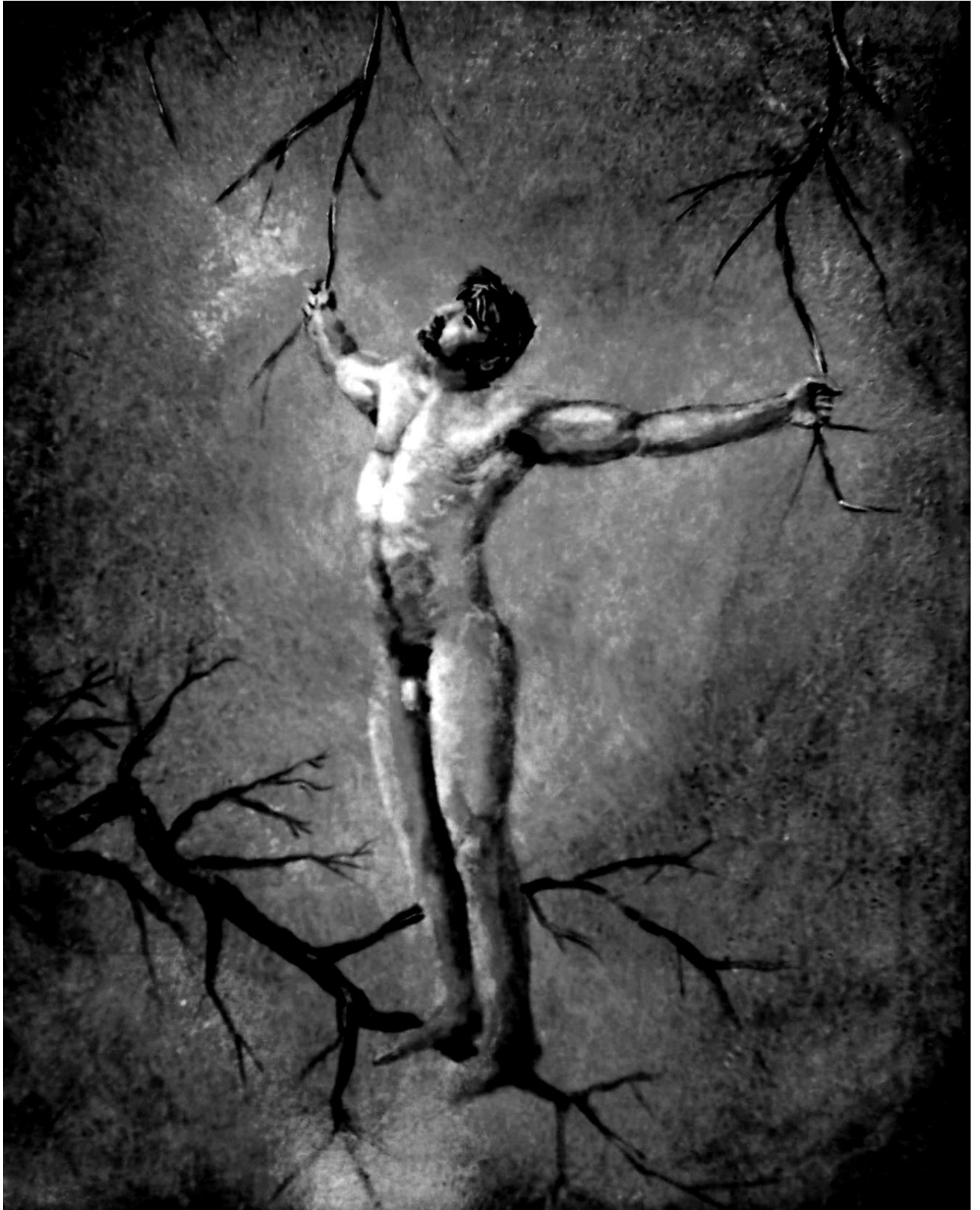
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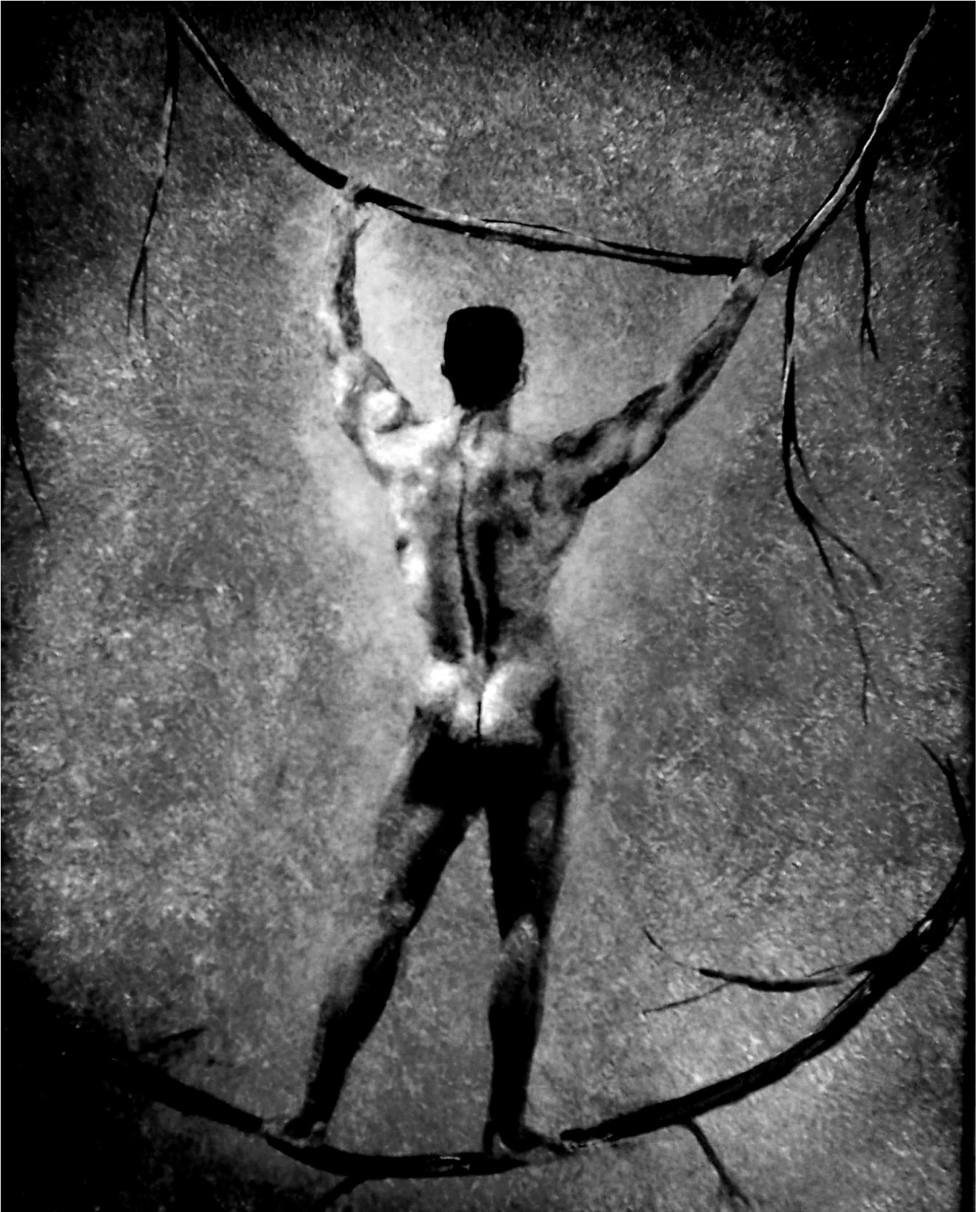
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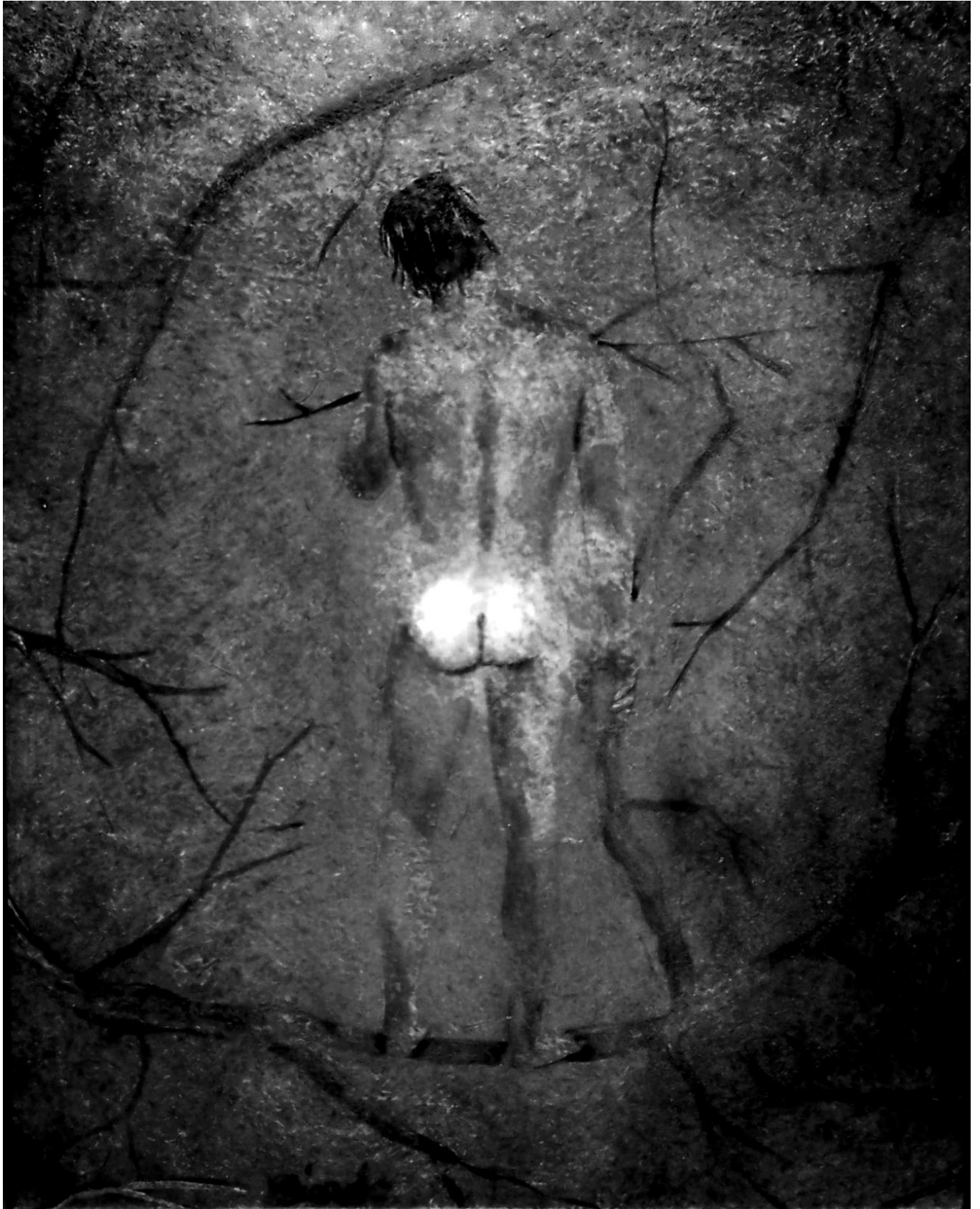
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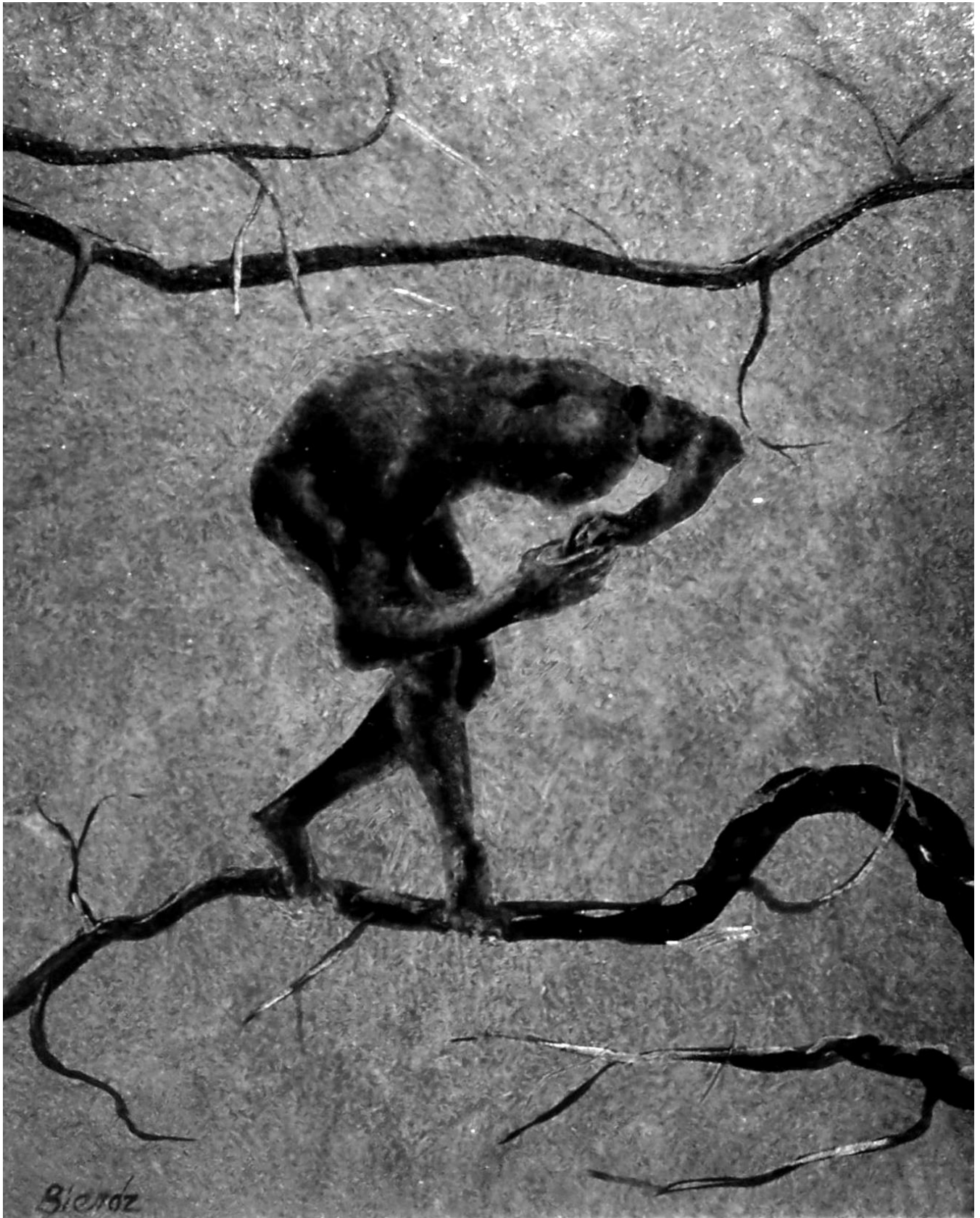
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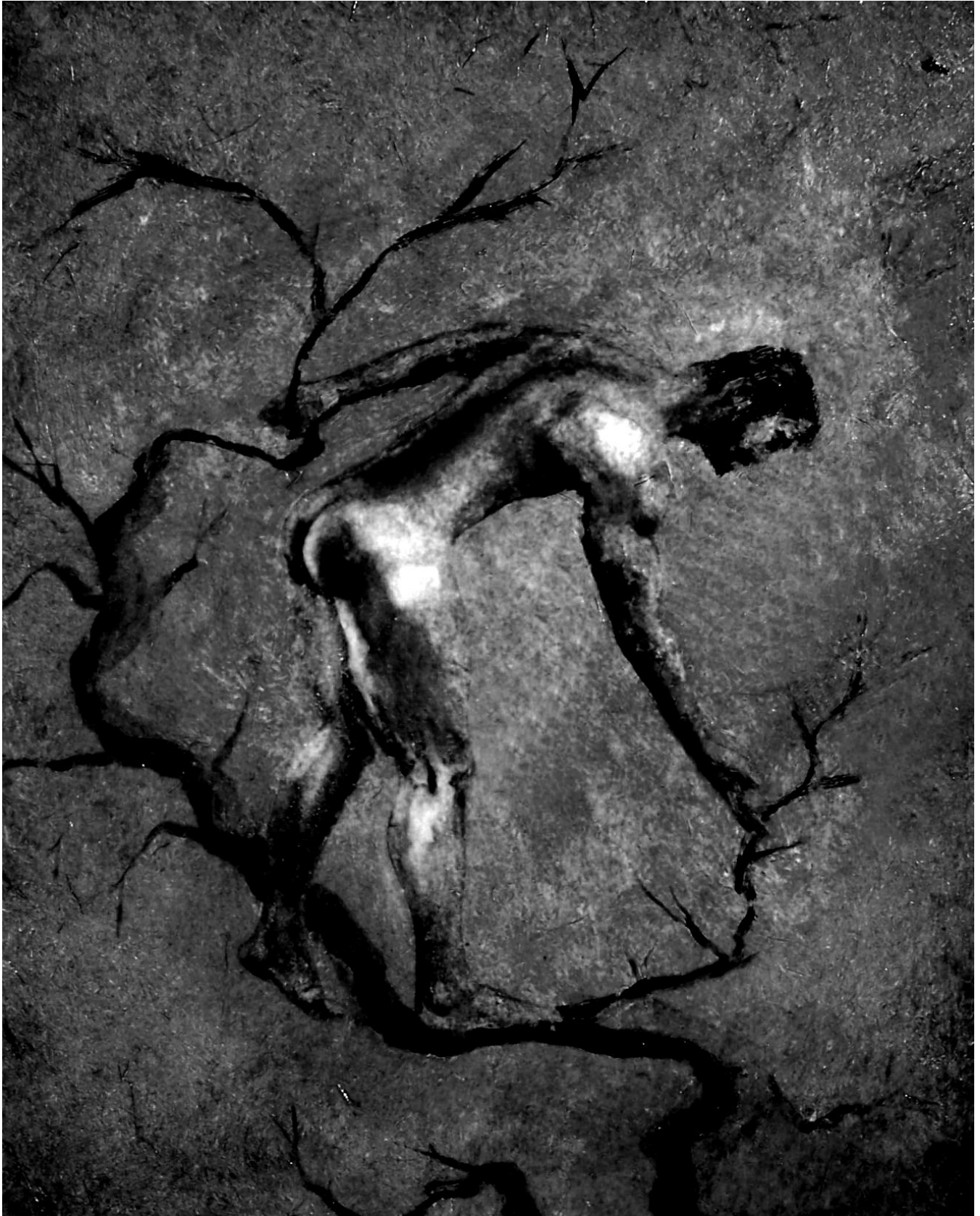
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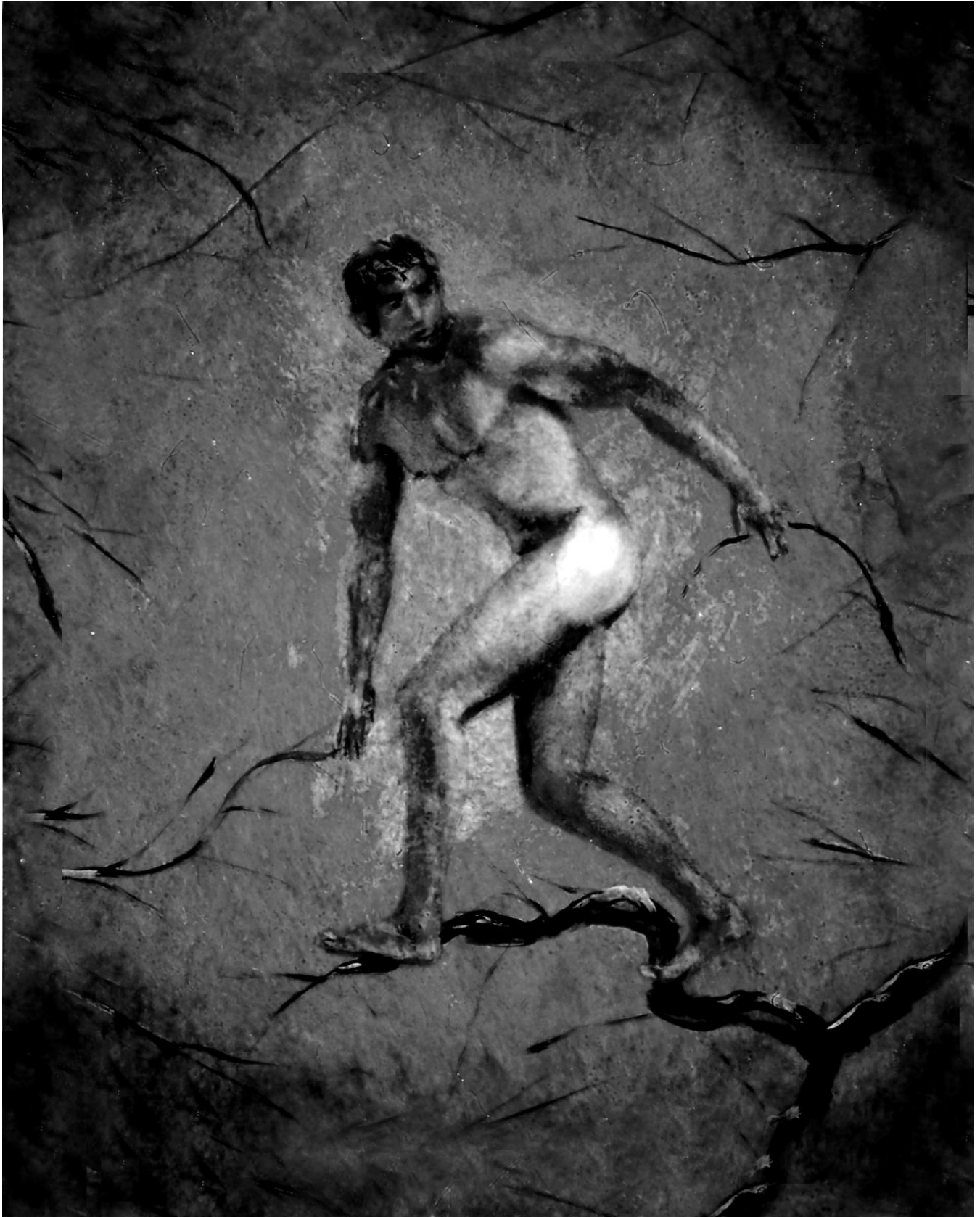
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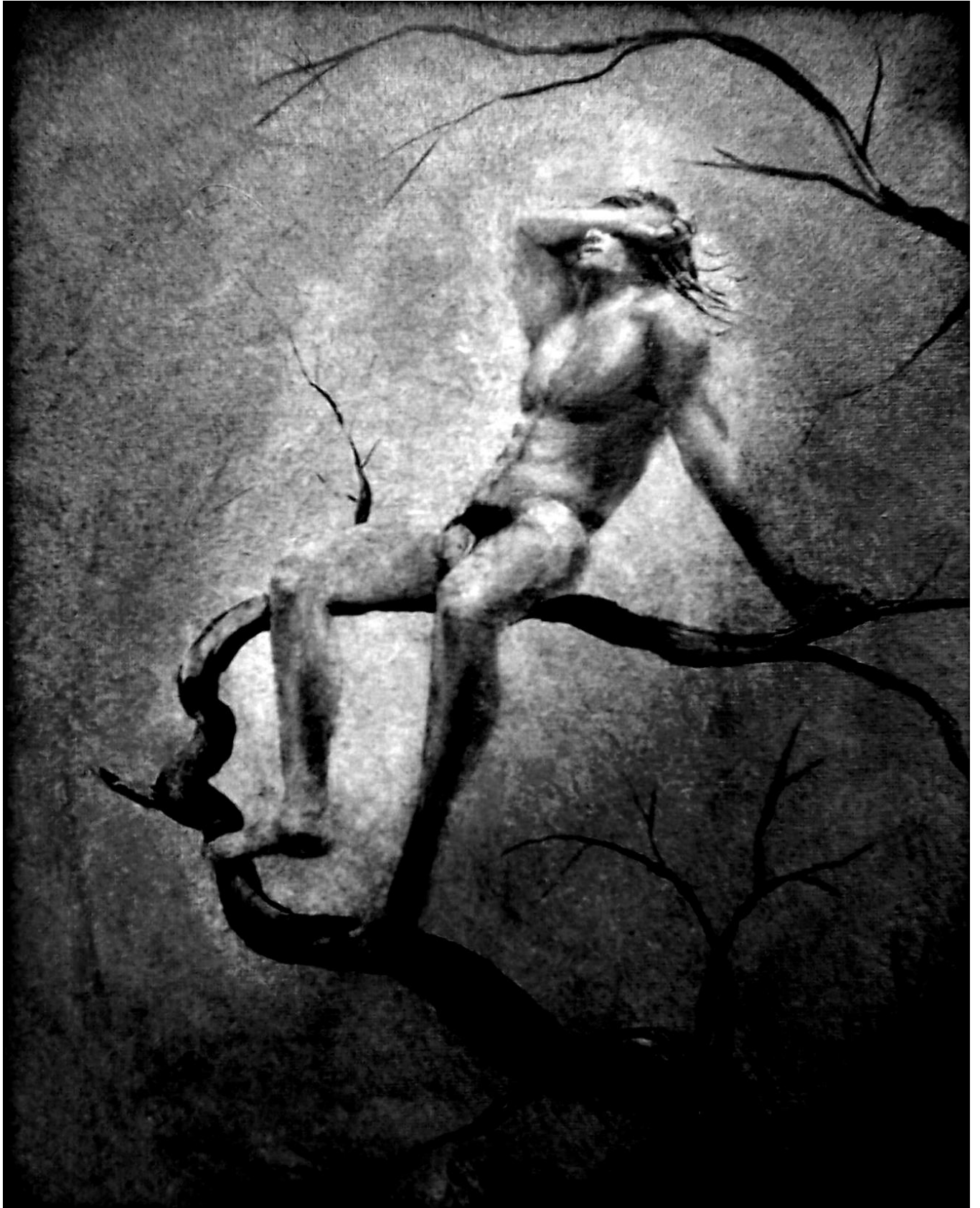
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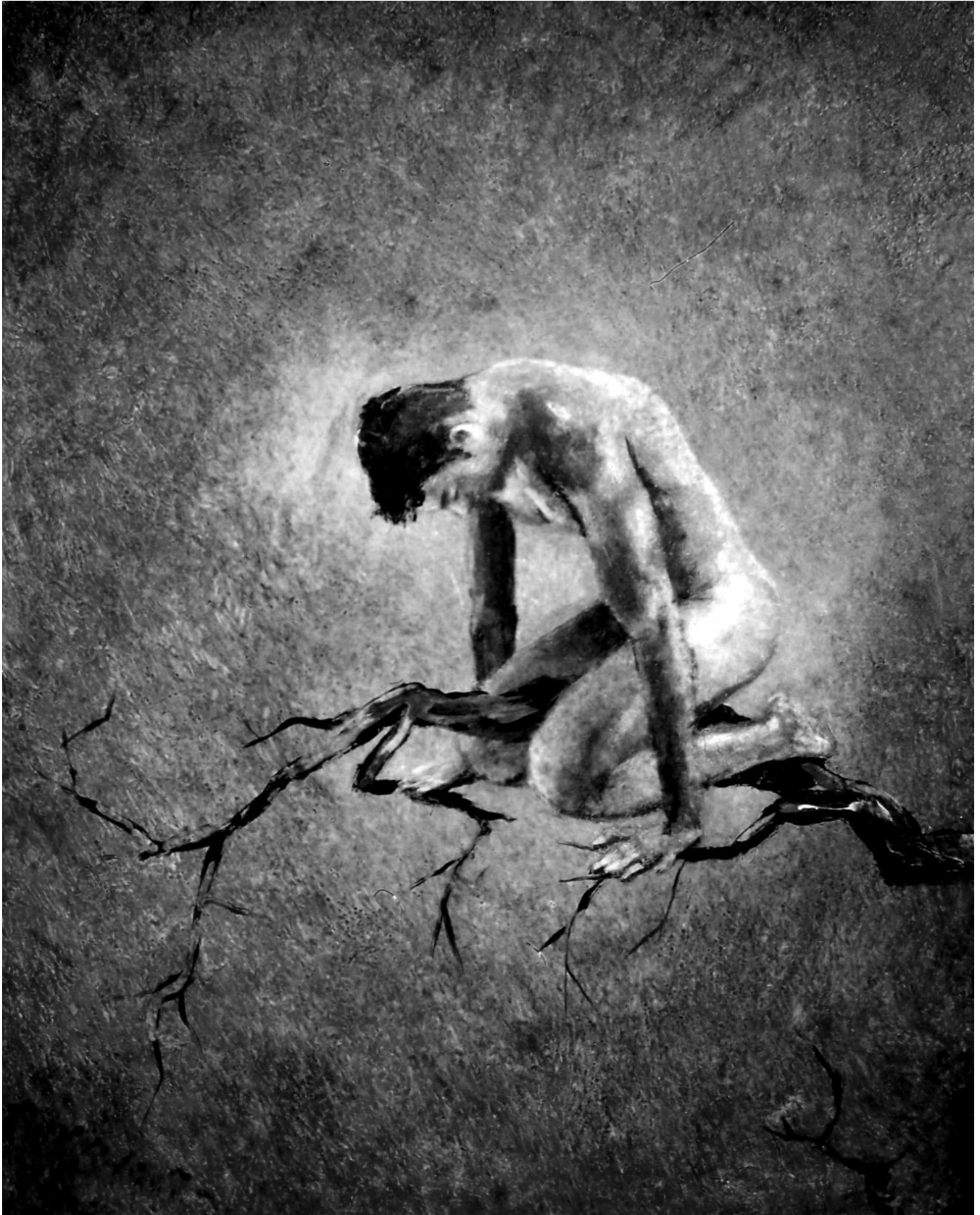
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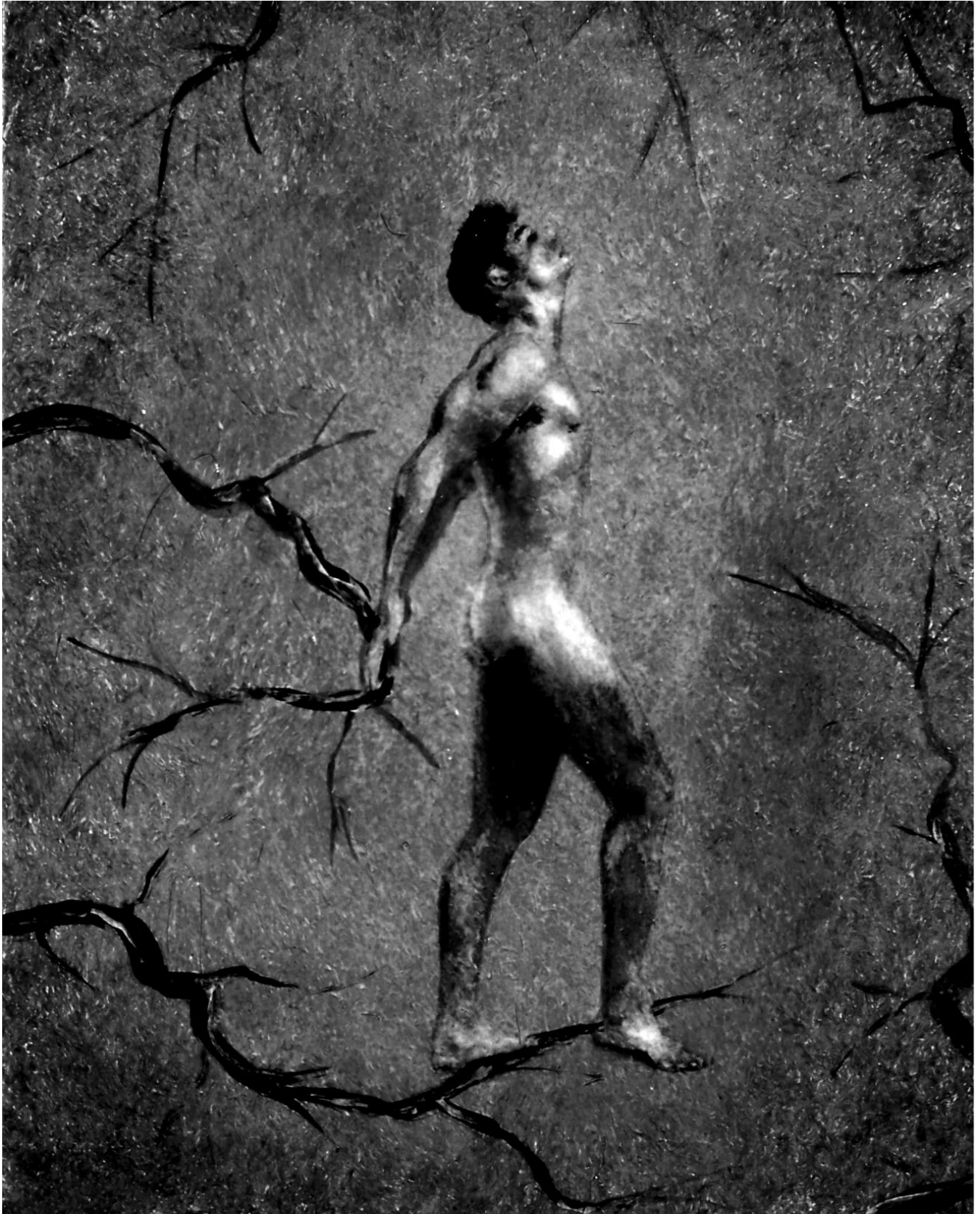
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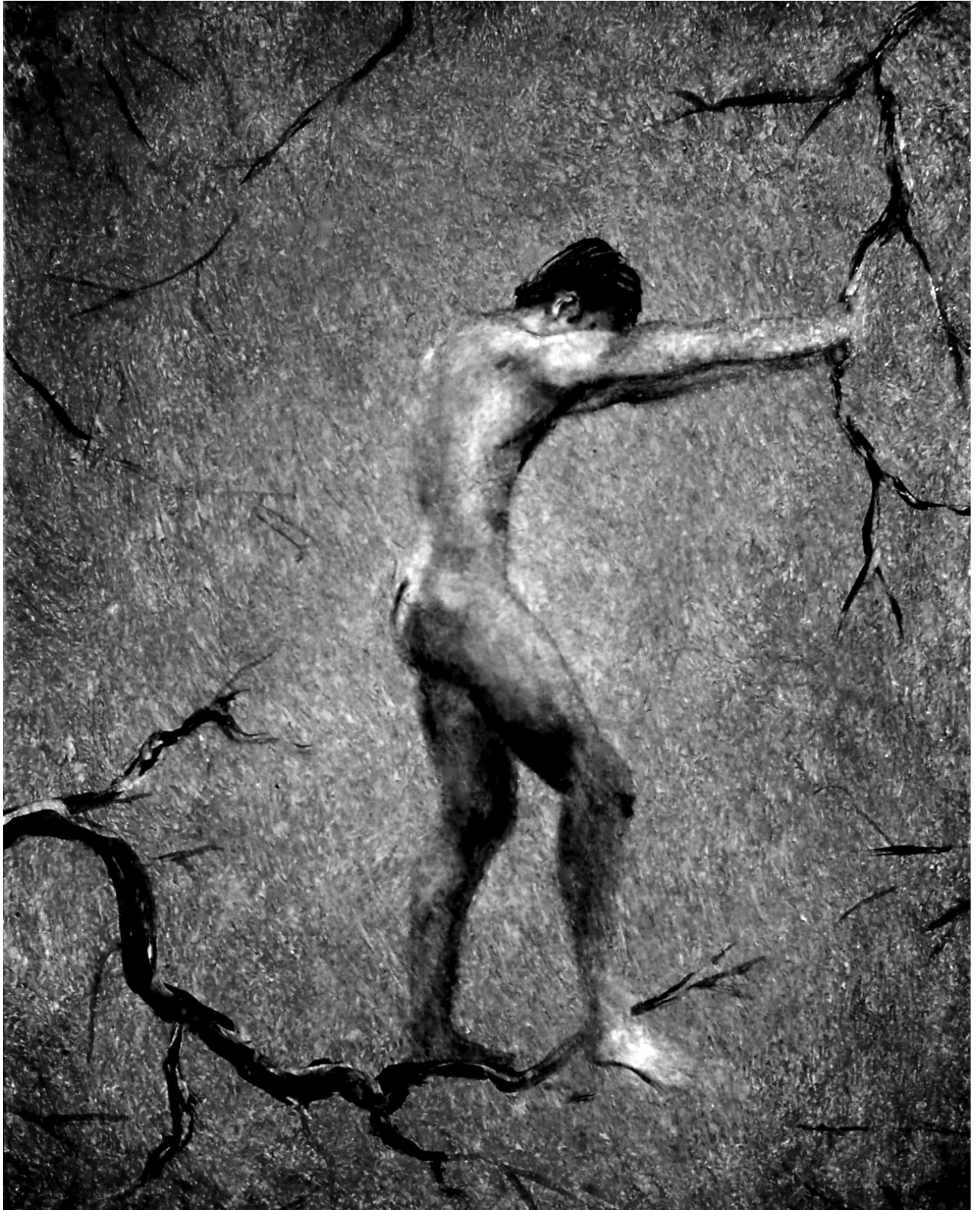
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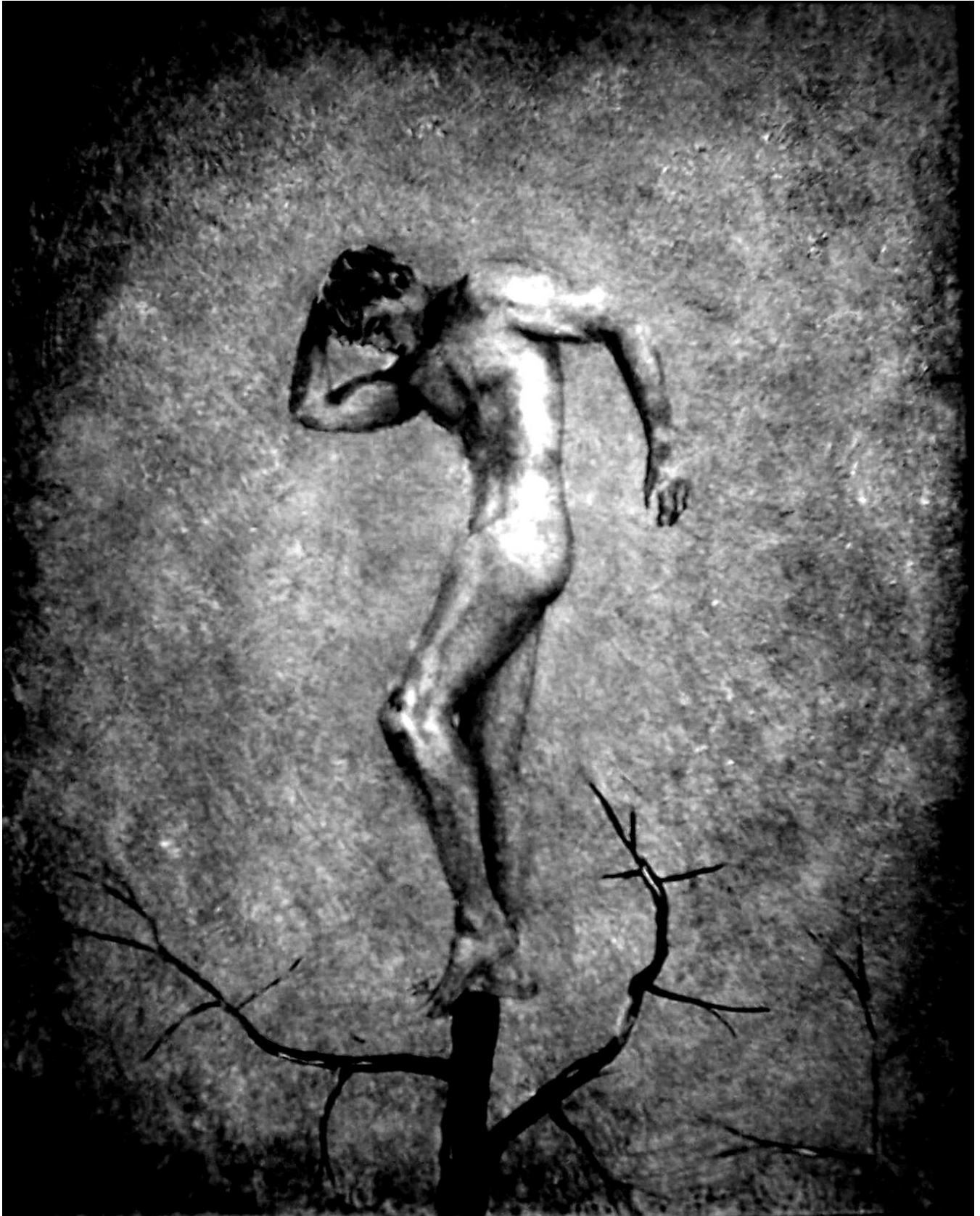
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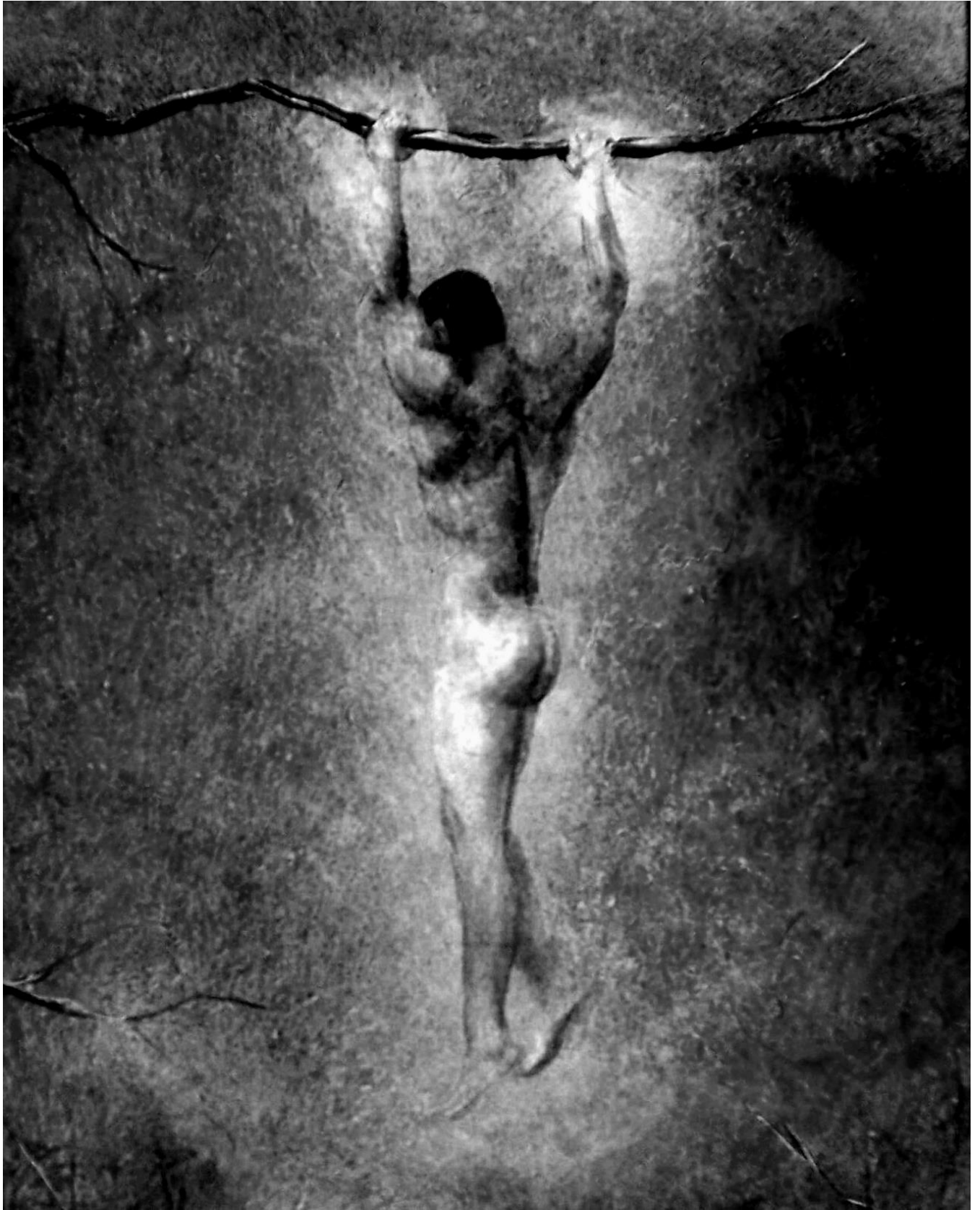
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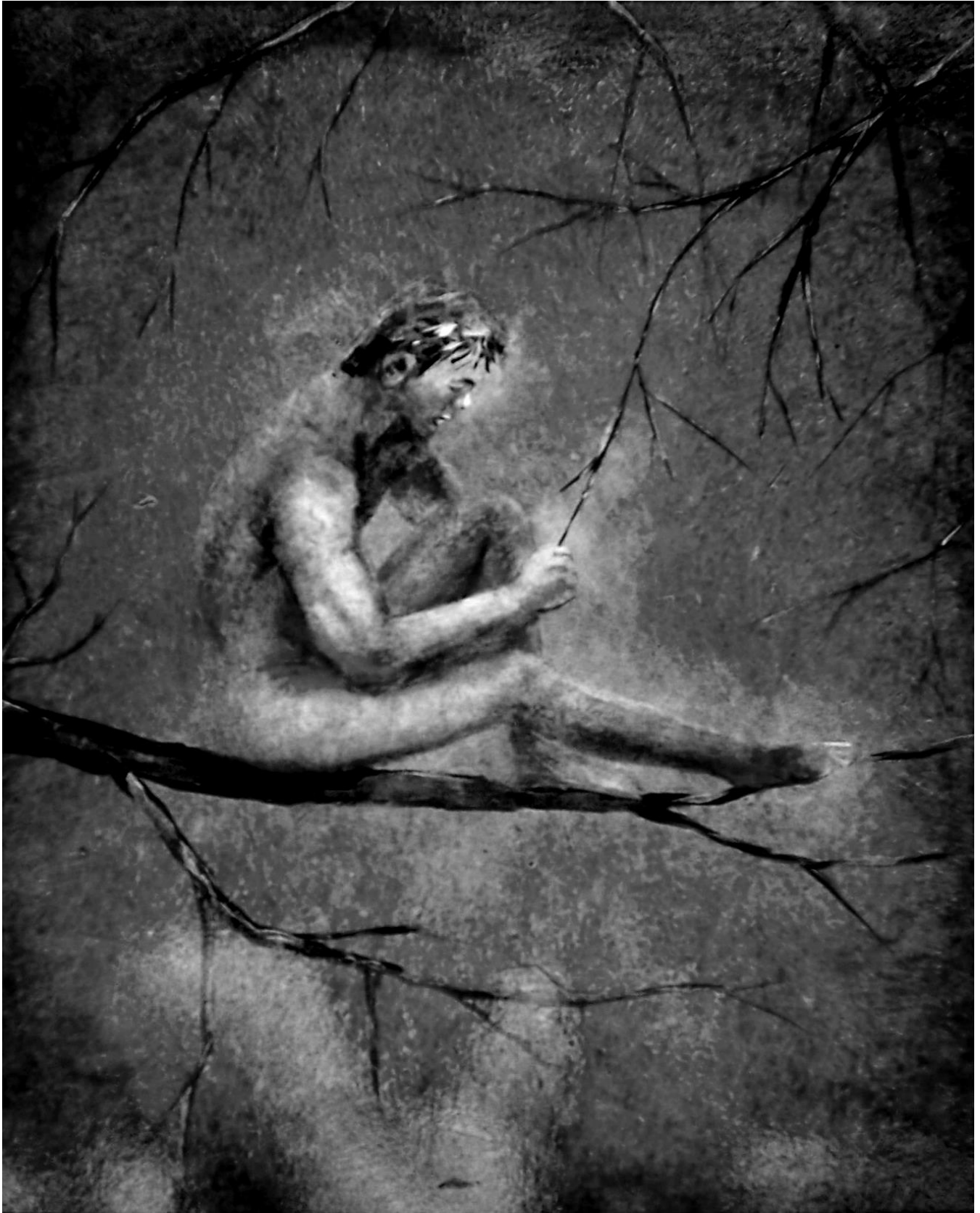
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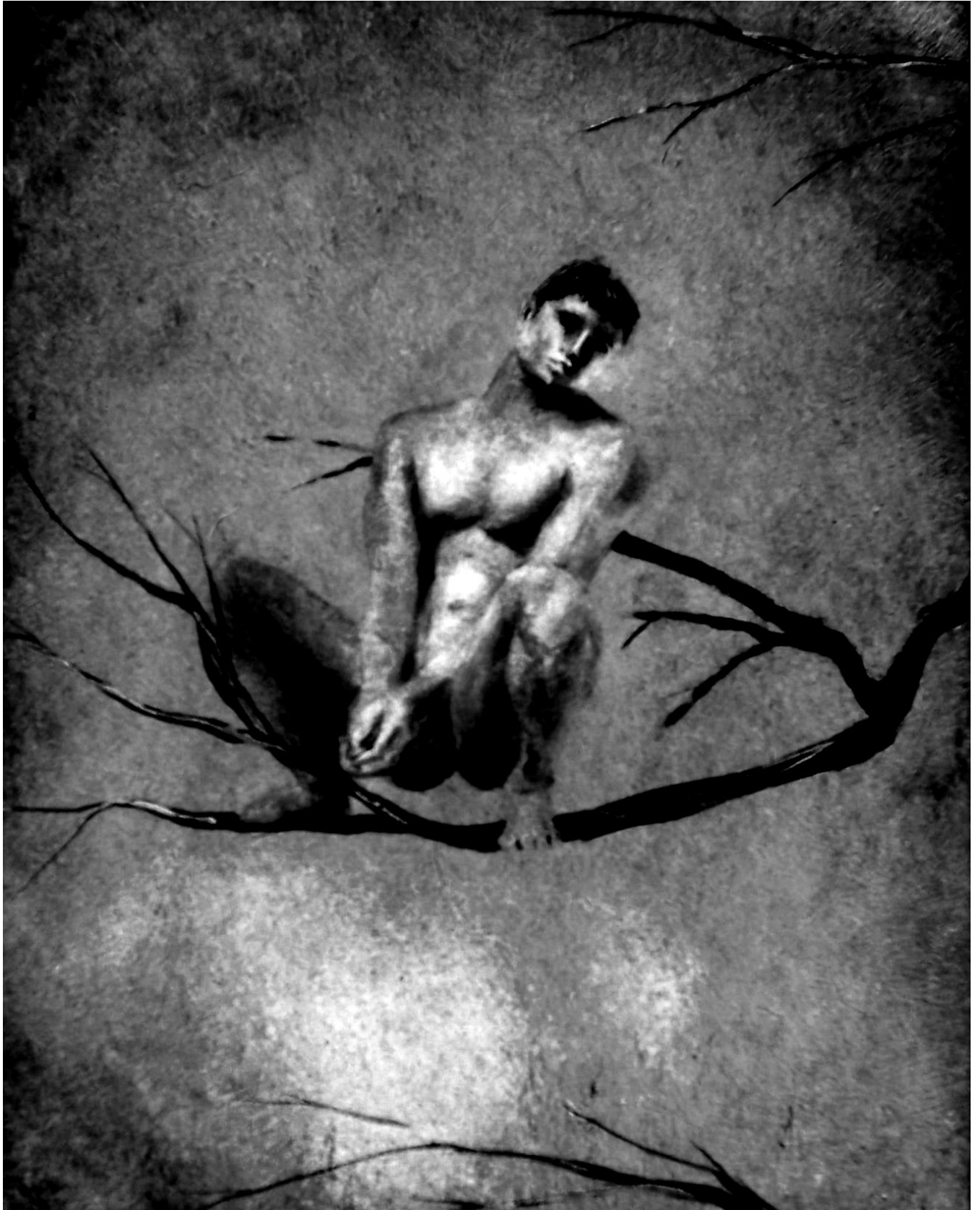
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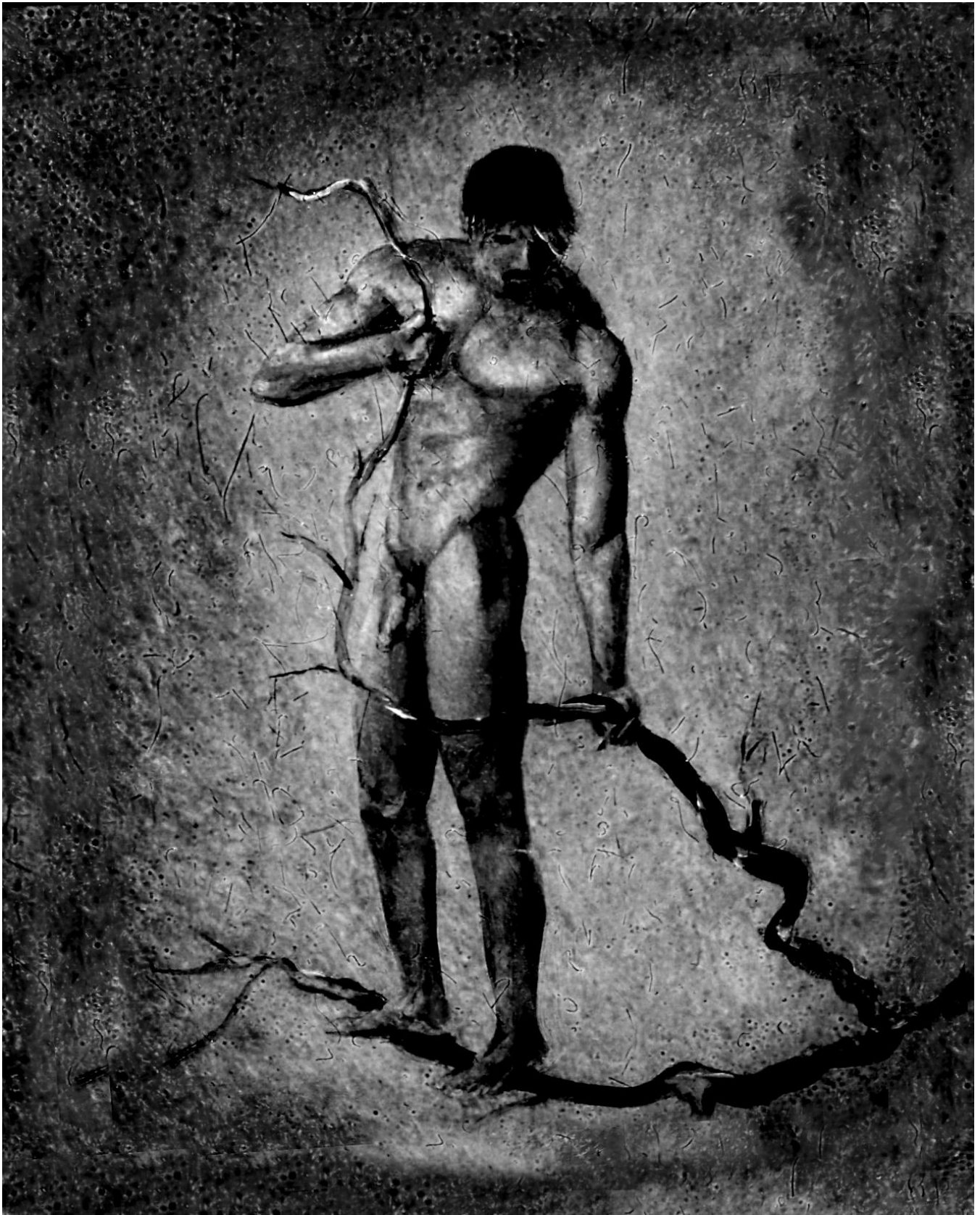
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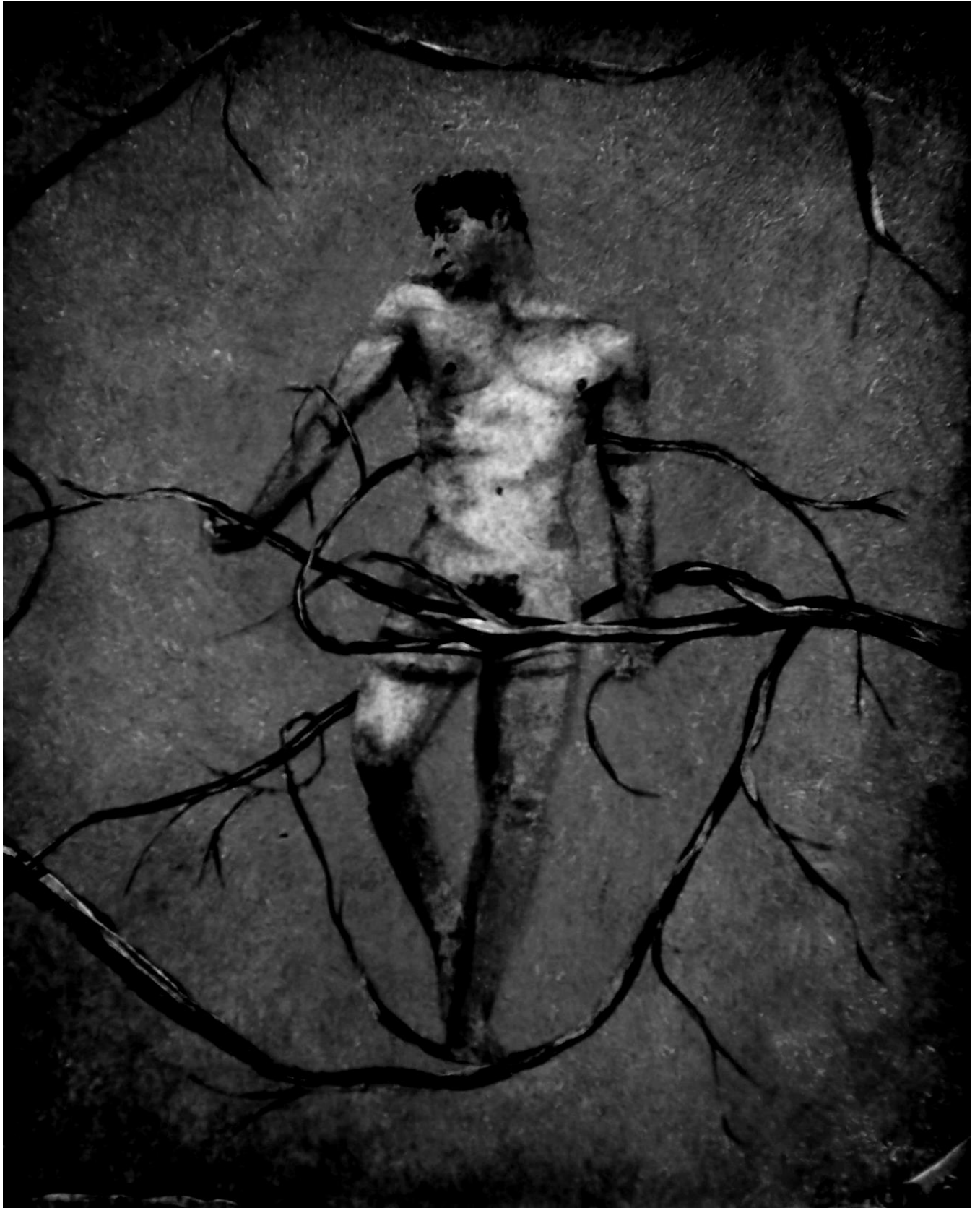
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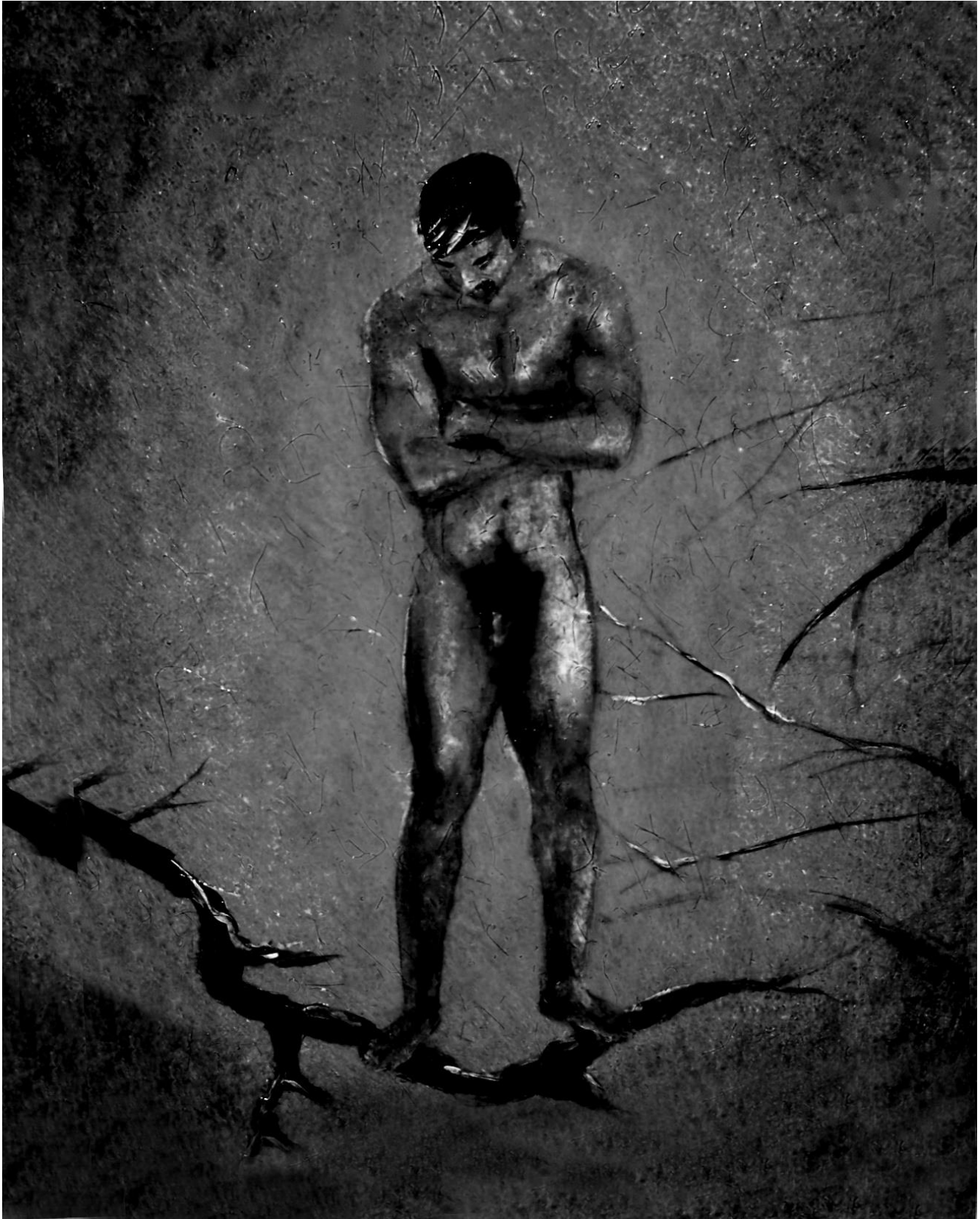
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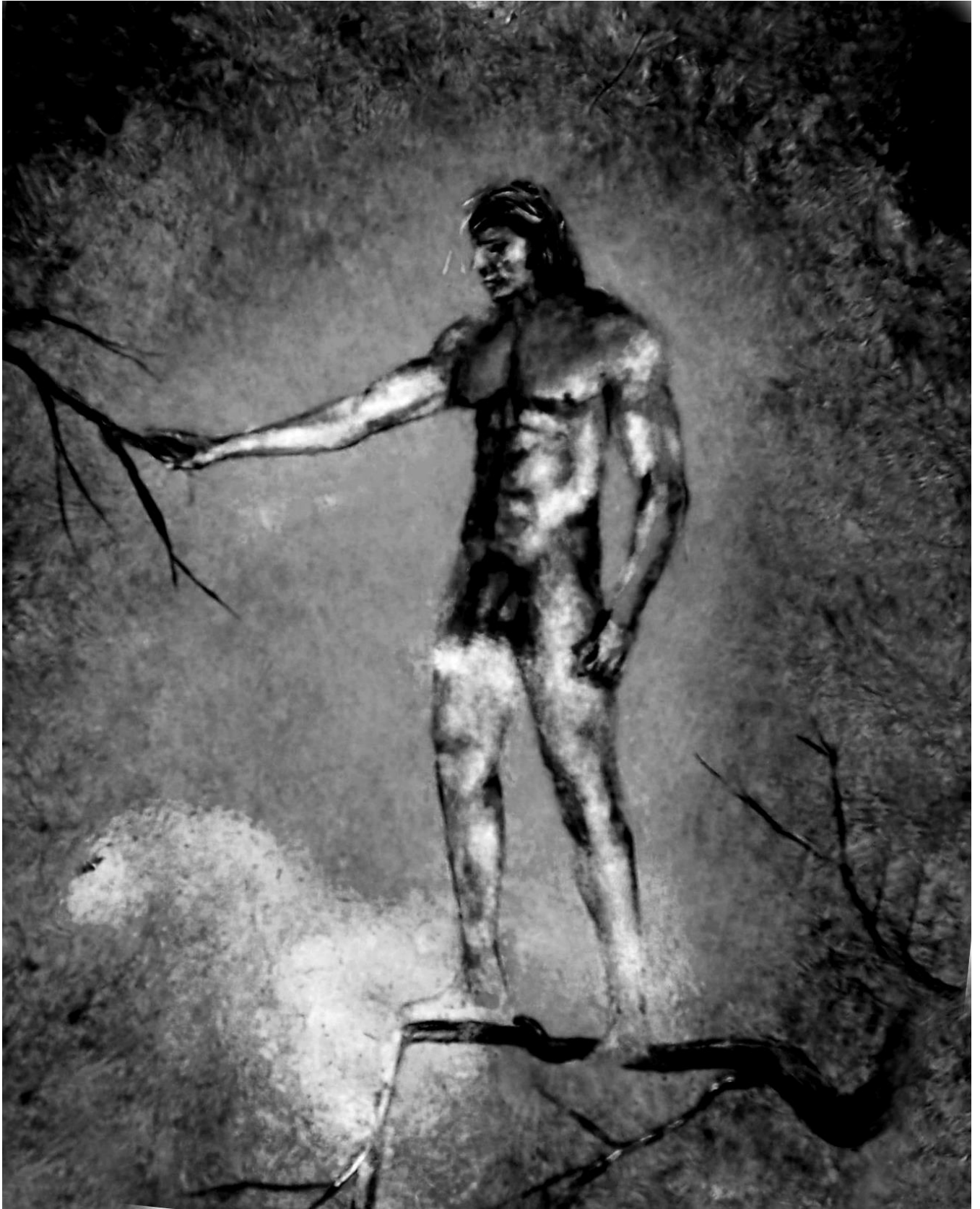
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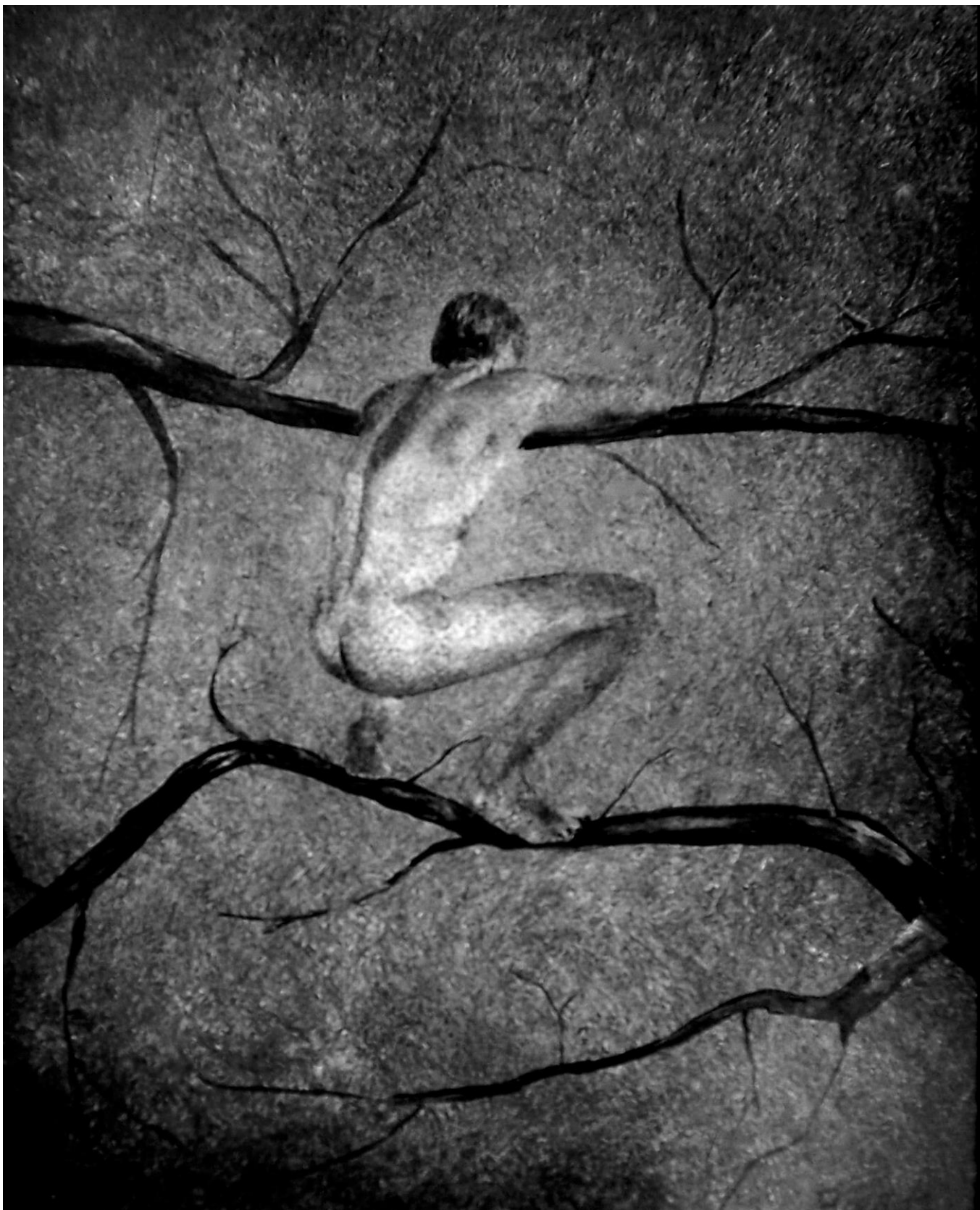
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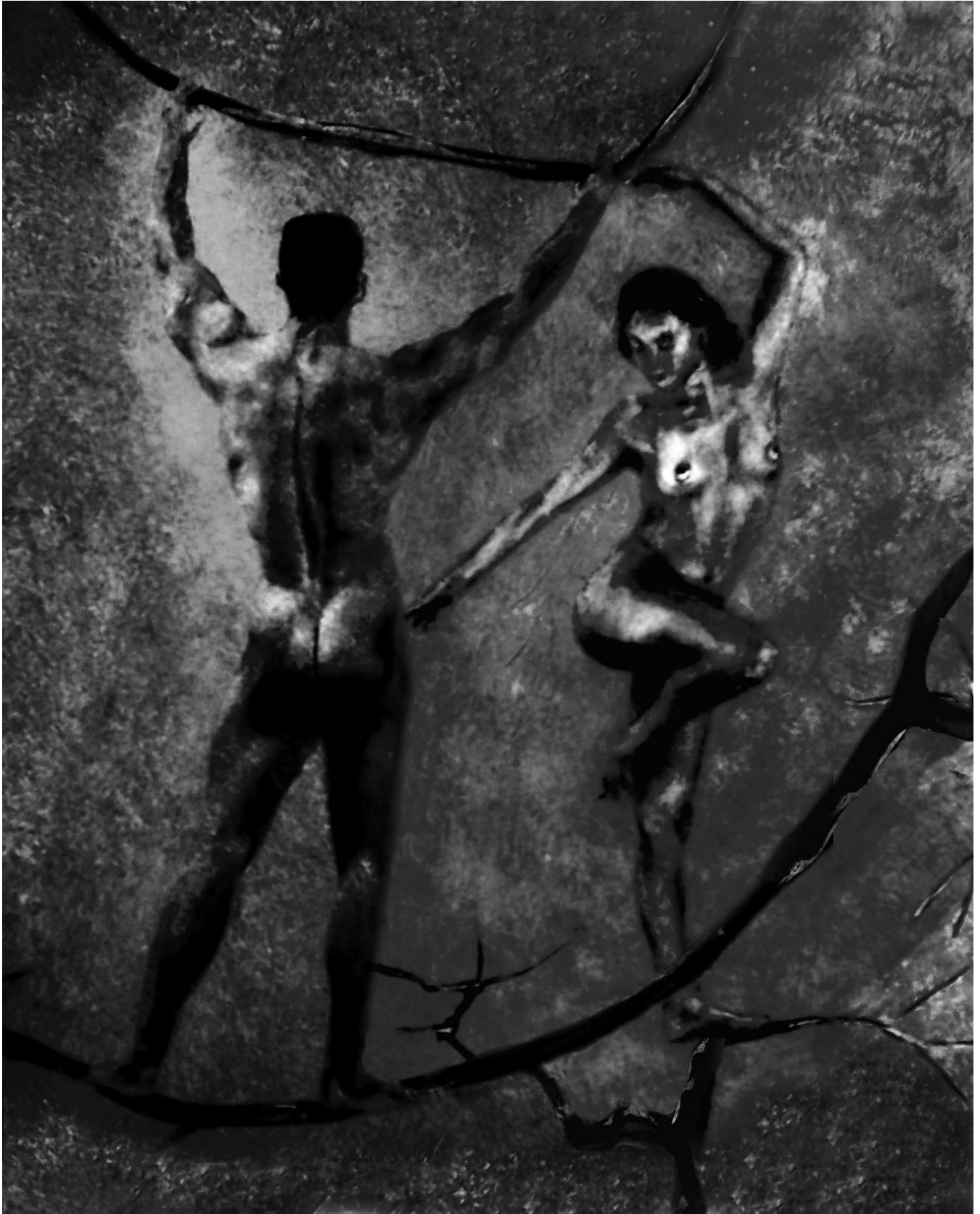
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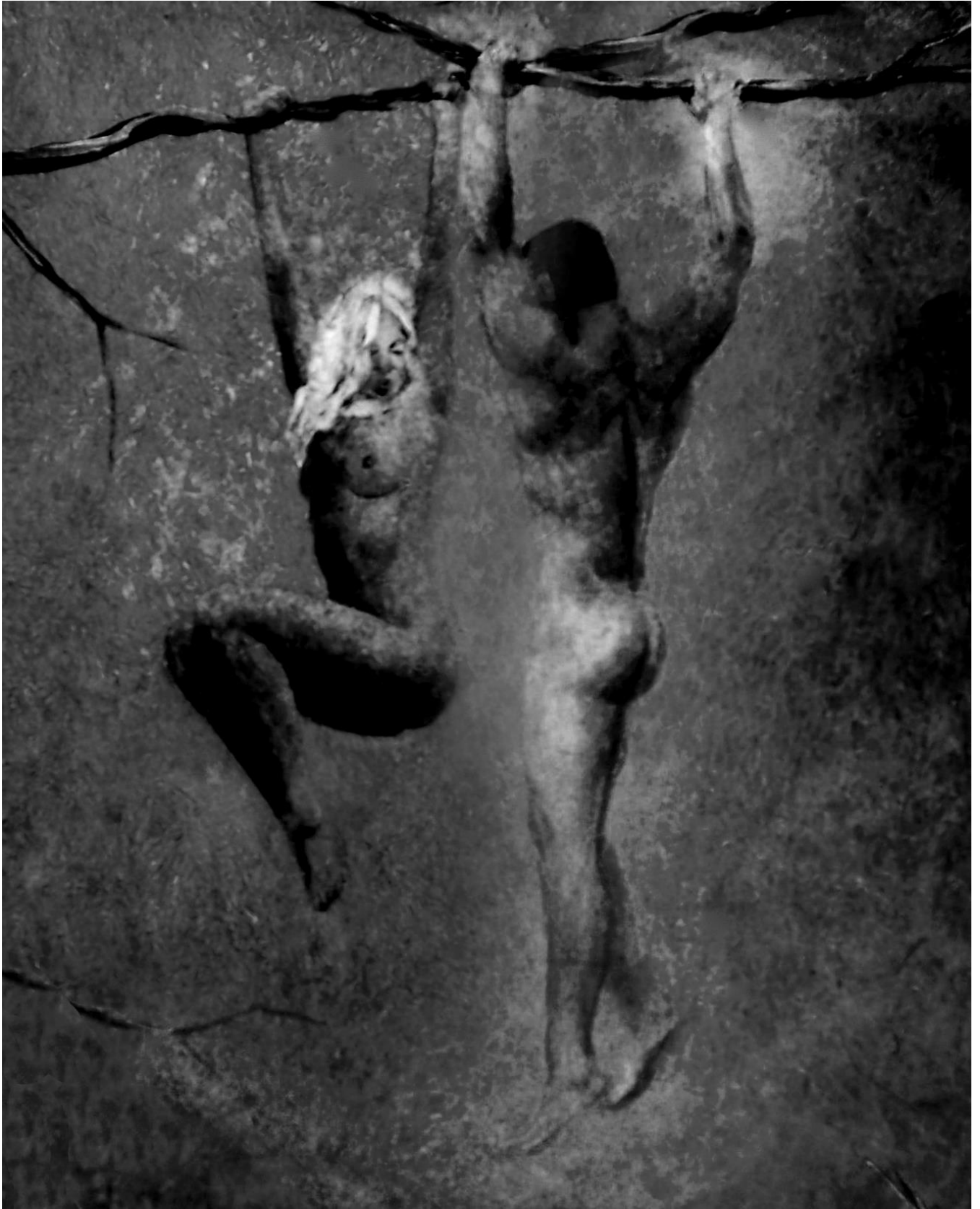
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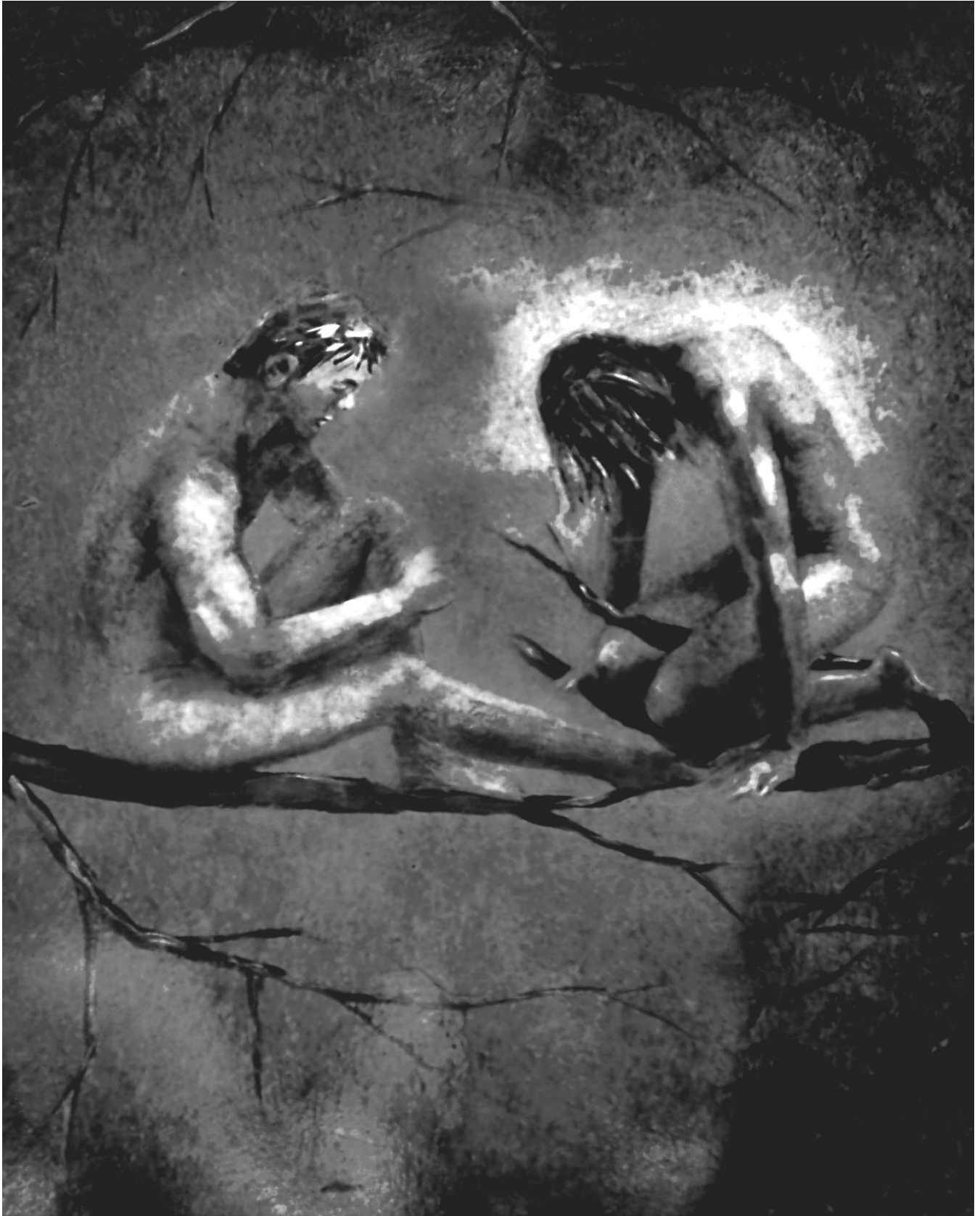
In 2010, I used Photoshop to combine my painted single nudes in trees into couple compositions in order to expand my print options.



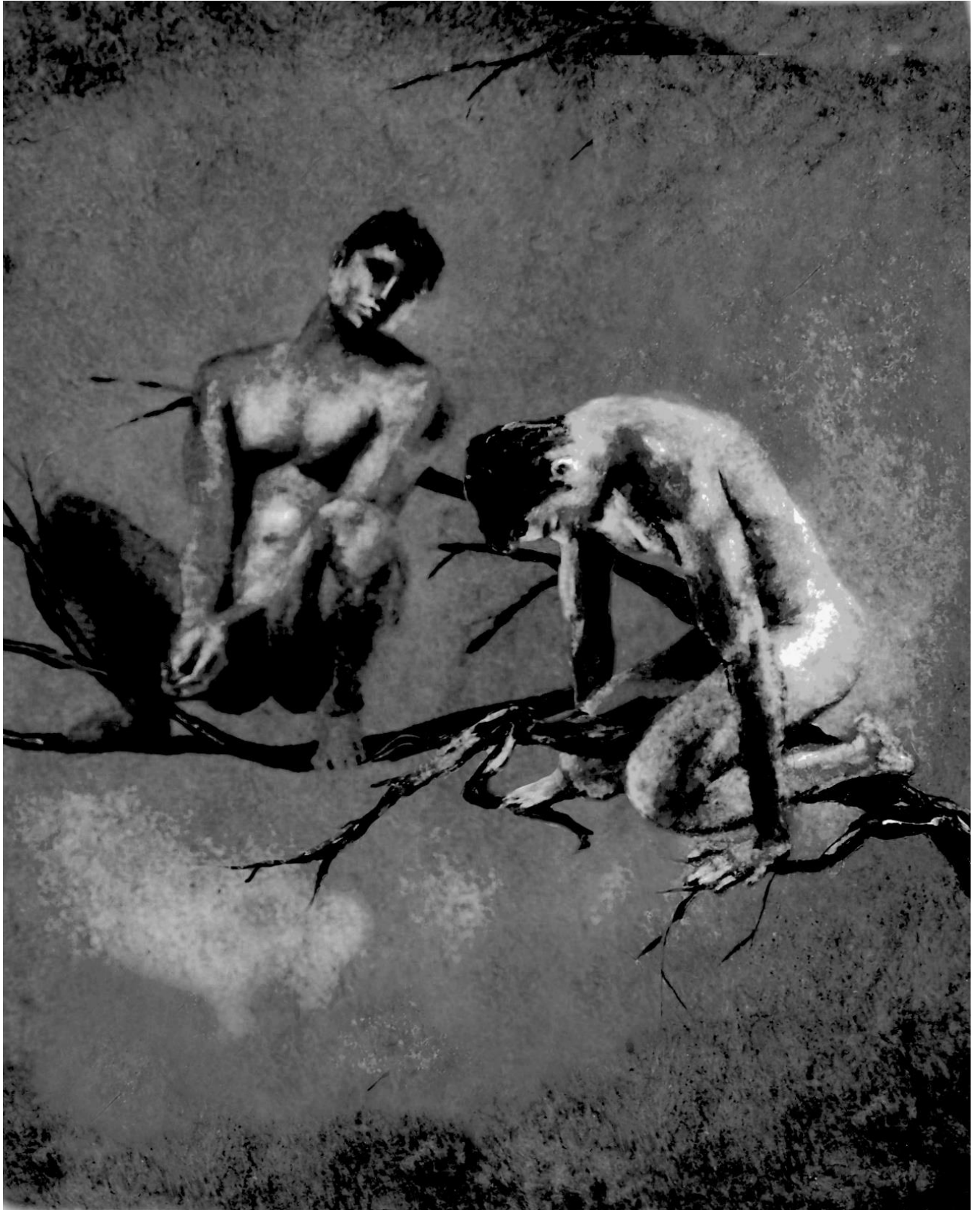
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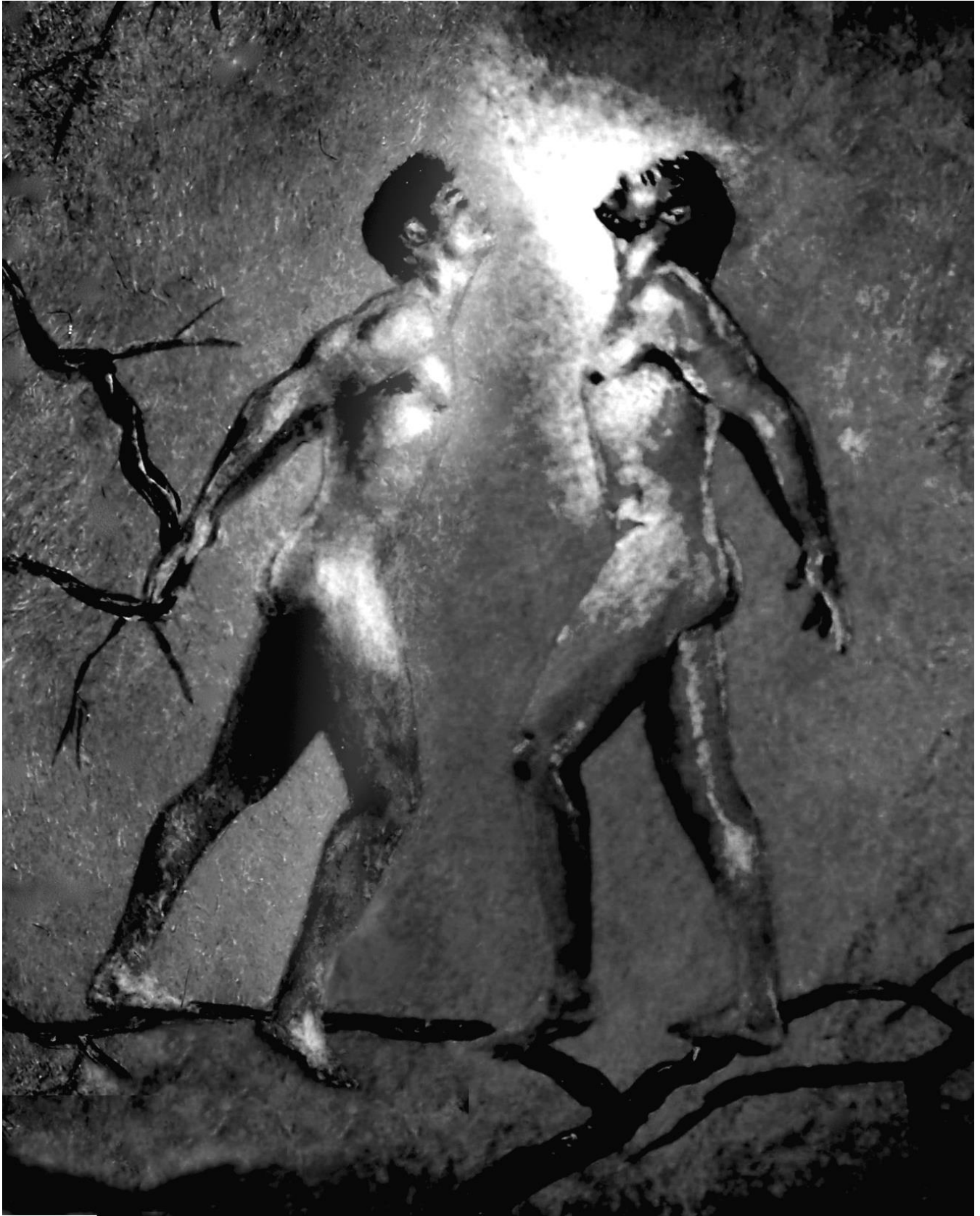
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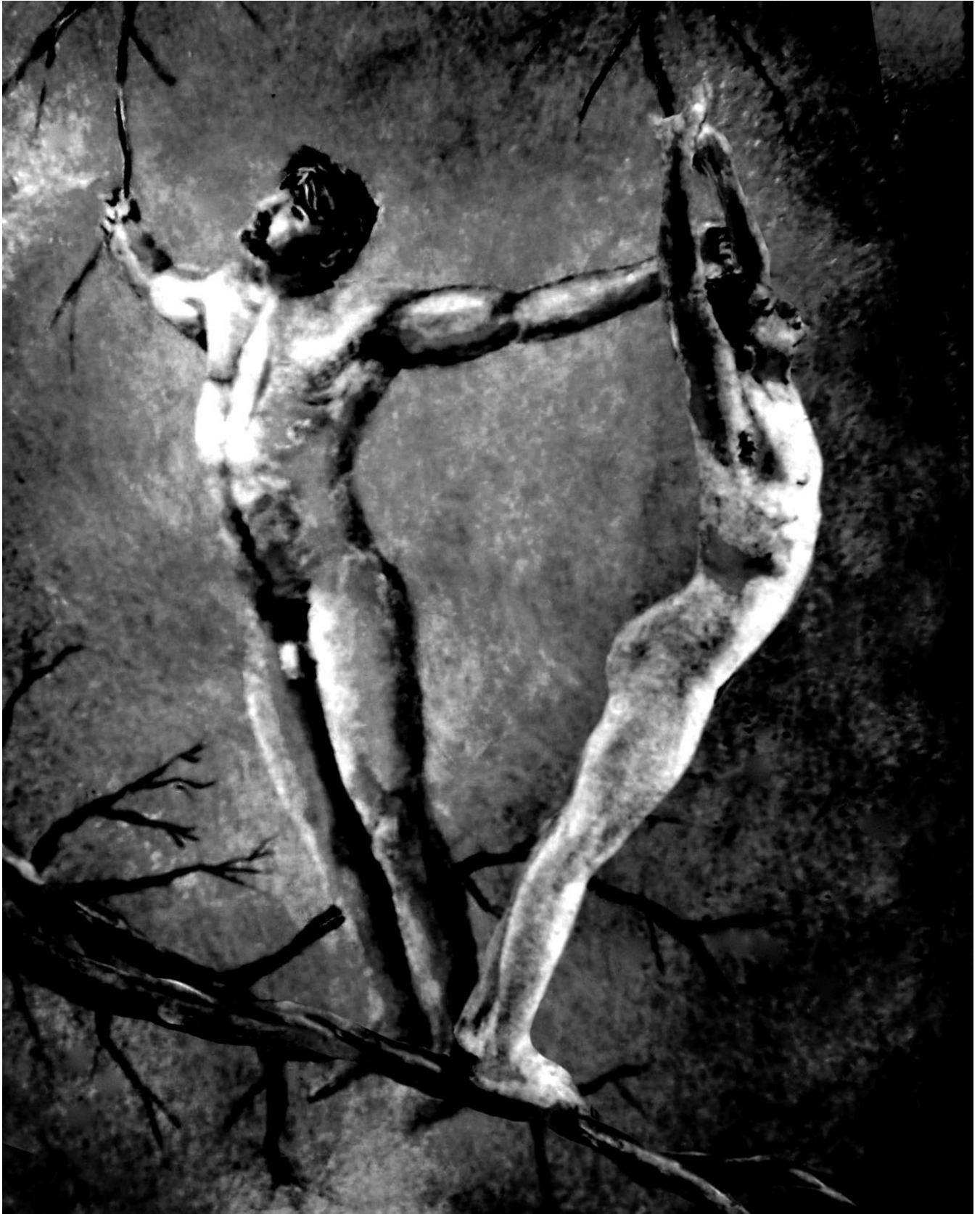
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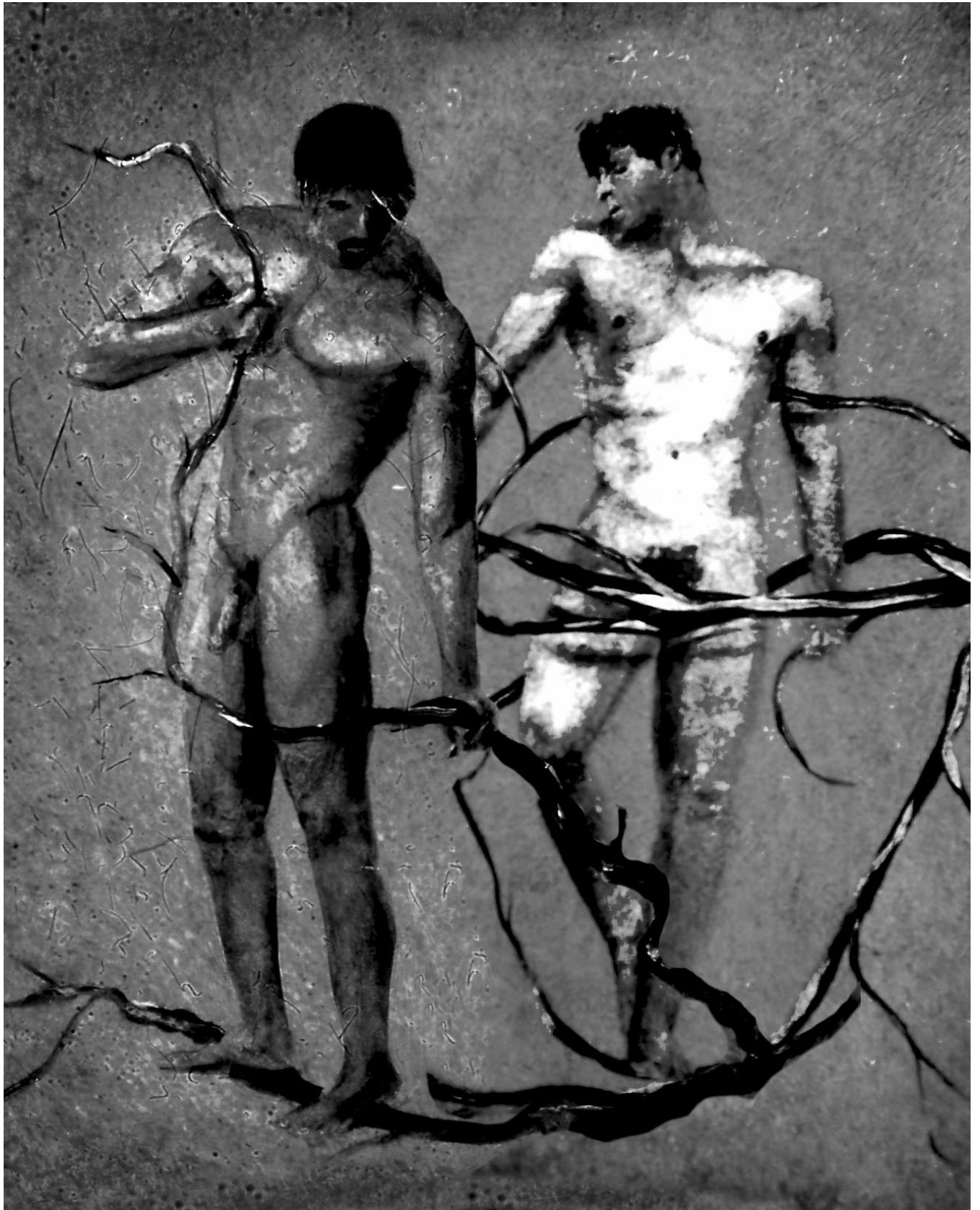
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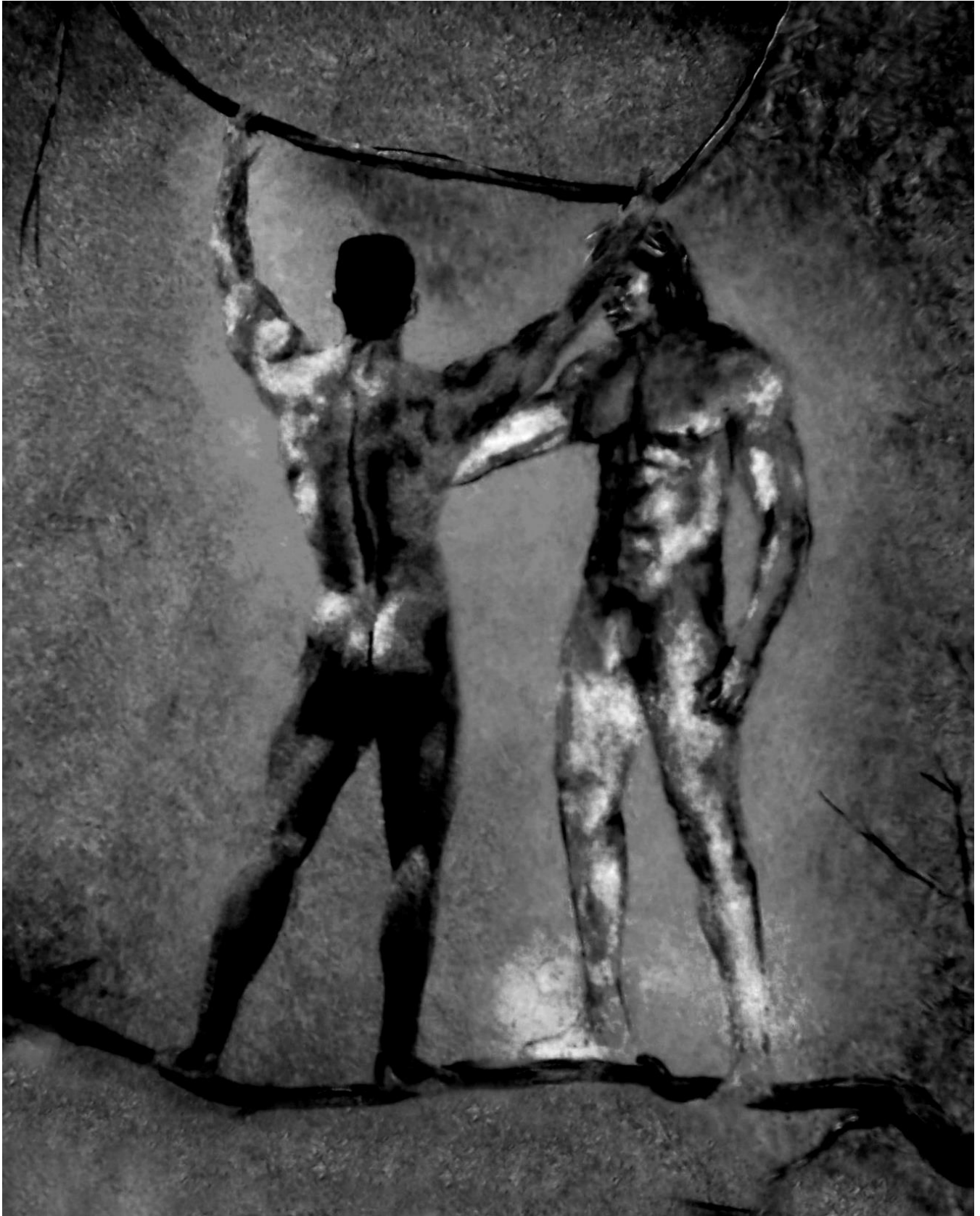
"Nudes Couple 14 B&W"



"Nudes Couple 16 B&W"



"Nudes Couple 1 B&W"



"Nudes Couple 13 B&W"



"Nudes Couple 25 B&W"

Popsicle Nudes

In 2009, one of my biggest art collectors commissioned many of these next nude male sketches as large black and white acrylic paintings to celebrate his personal gay pride, exactly 50 years since he was arrested and jail-assaulted in the infamous 1969 Stonewall riots.

In 2012, I created print options from these using Photoshop bright colors, like watermelon, cranberry, citrus, berry, coconut, jalapeno, and titled them Popsicle Nudes: pop art, wild fruity Popsicle tastes.

The contemporary colors really rock, but they also show well here in black and white, giving them a timelessness.



"Nude Popsicle Beard Frontal B&W 2"



"Nude Popsicle Hands On Chest Coconut – Inverted"



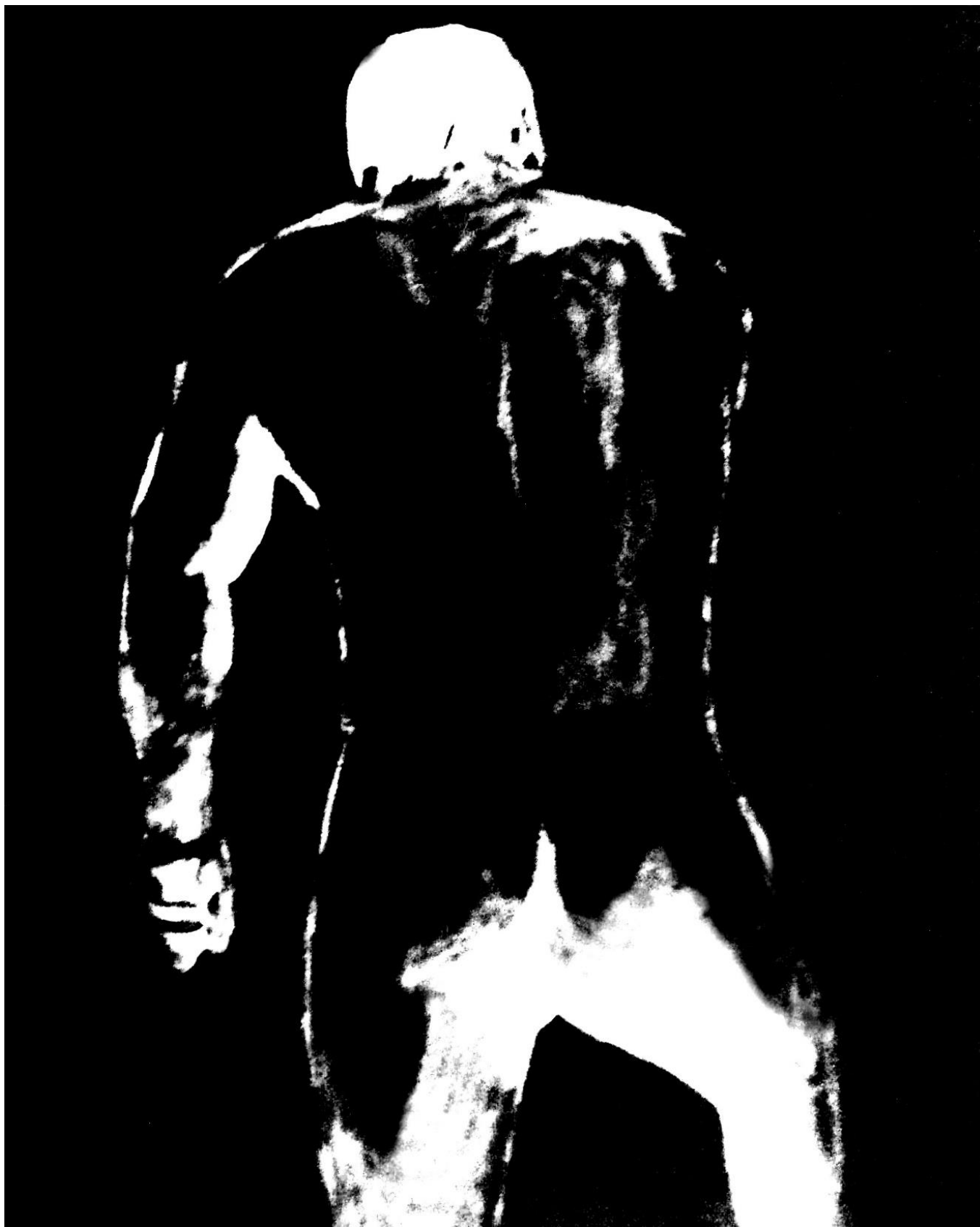
"Nude Popsicle Hands On Chest Coconut"



"Nude Popsicle Frontal Elbow Knee Milk - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle Frontal Elbow Knee Milk"



"Nude Popsicle Rear Fire Poker Ice Cream - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle Rear Fire Poker Ice Cream"



"Nude Popsicle Sailor Hat Coconut - Inverted"



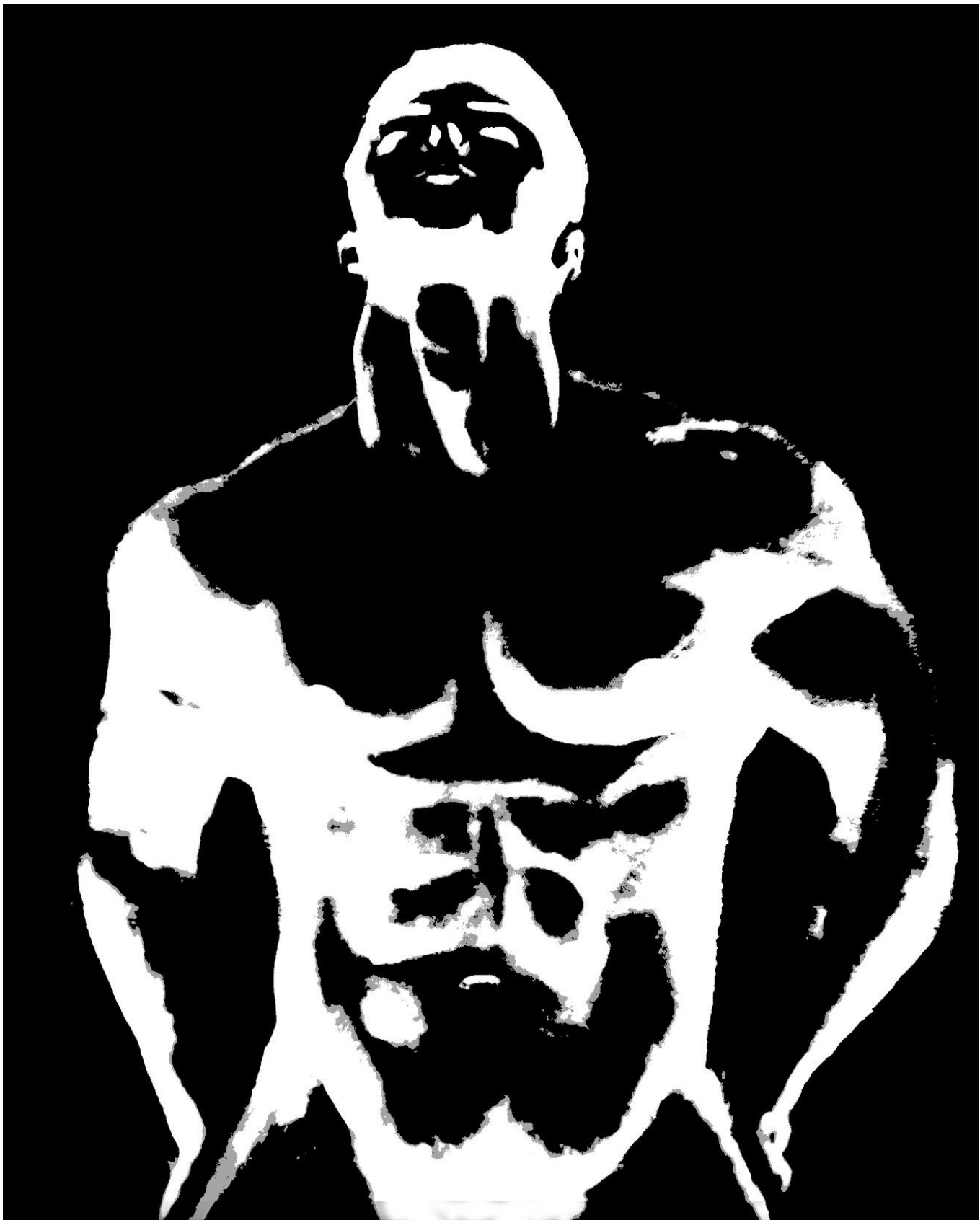
"Nude Popsicle Sailor Hat Coconut"



"Nude Popsicle Sitting Hand On Head Milk - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle Sitting Hand On Head Milk"



"Nude Popsicle Torso Head Back Coconut - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle Torso Head Back Coconut"



"Nude Popsicle T-Shirt Coconut - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle T-Shirt Coconut"



"Nude Popsicle Feet Up Raisin & Crème"



"Nude Popsicle Feet Up B&W2"



"Nude Popsicle Chest Tattoo Coconut - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle Chest Tattoo Coconut"



"Nude Popsicle Coffee Cup Coconut - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle Coffee Cup Coconut"



"Nude Popsicle Fist Out Milk - Inverted"



"Nude Popsicle Fist Out Milk"



“Nude Popsicle Hands On Thighs Looking Down Milk – Inverted”



"Nude Popsicle Hands On Thighs Looking Down Milk"



"Nude Agony B&W - Inverted"



"Nude Agony B&W"



"Nude Popsicle Beard Frontal B&W 2 – Inverted"

Fauvist Nudes

In 2010, I crowded my Los Angeles art studio with the biggest canvases I could buy: 4 feet wide, eight feet high. In style reminiscent of Picasso or Matisse, my dripping brush swirled great distances to create the magnificent curves of these giants. All paintings sold.





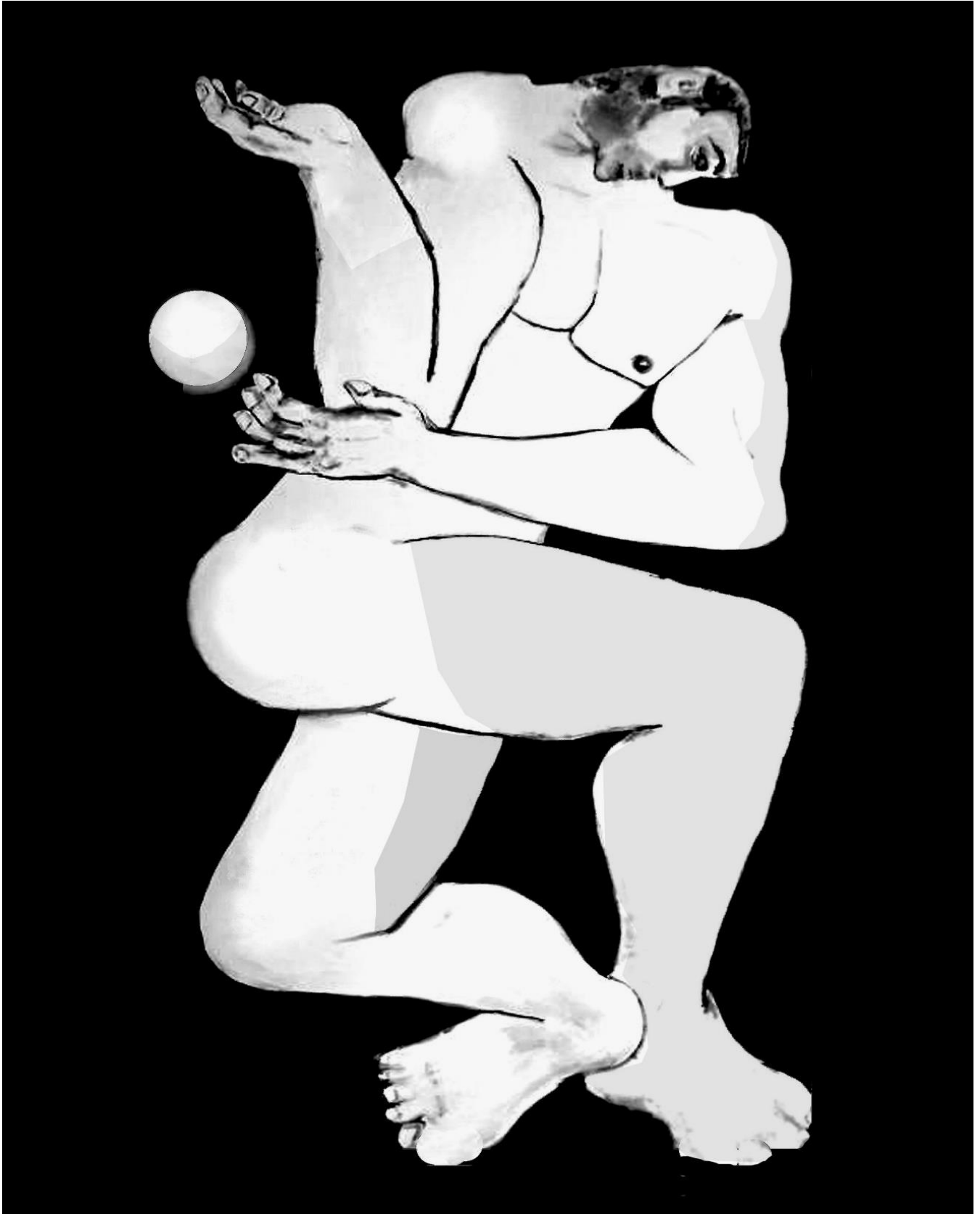
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"Z B&W 8"



"Z B&W 6"



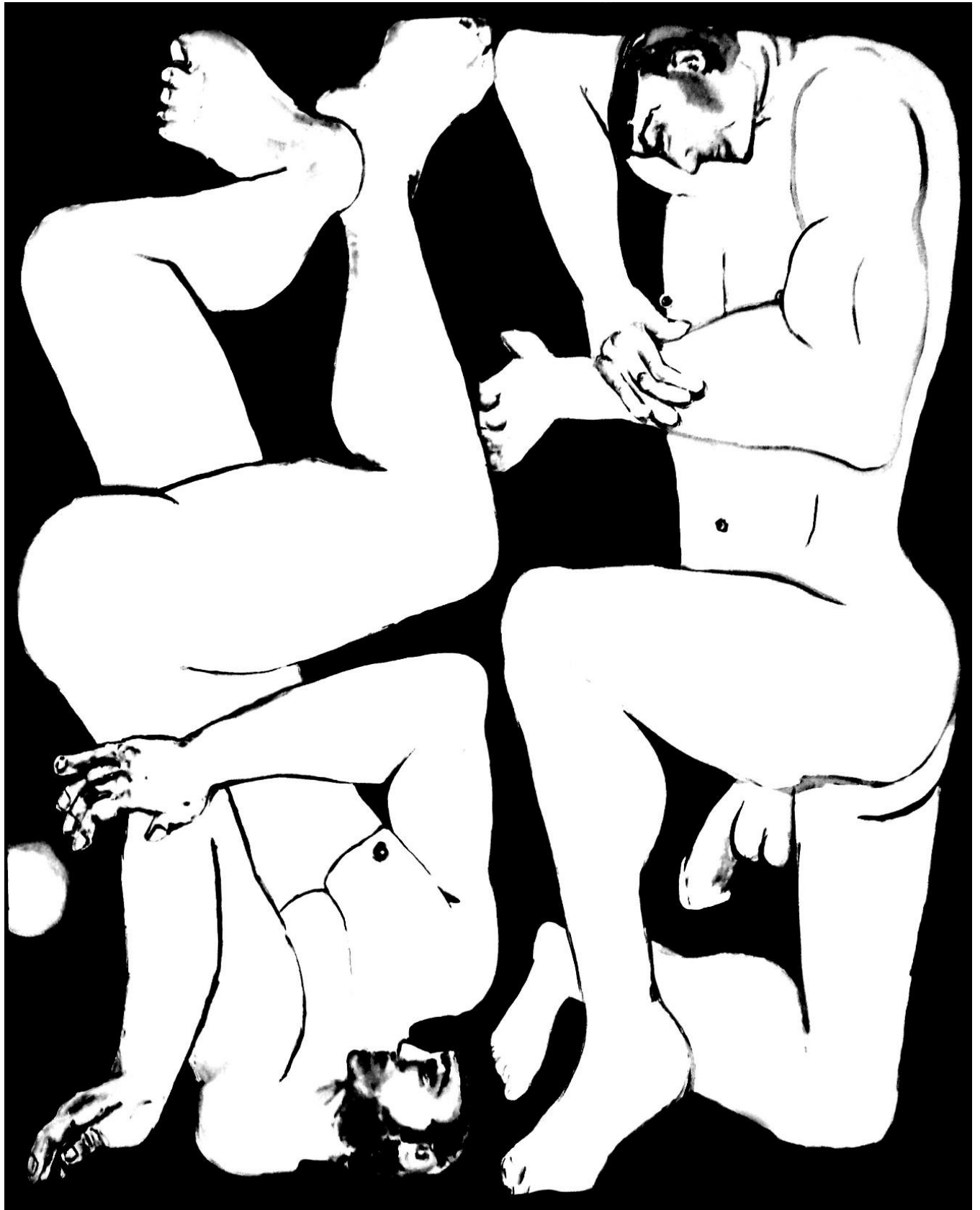
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"Z B&W 4"



"Z B&W 11"

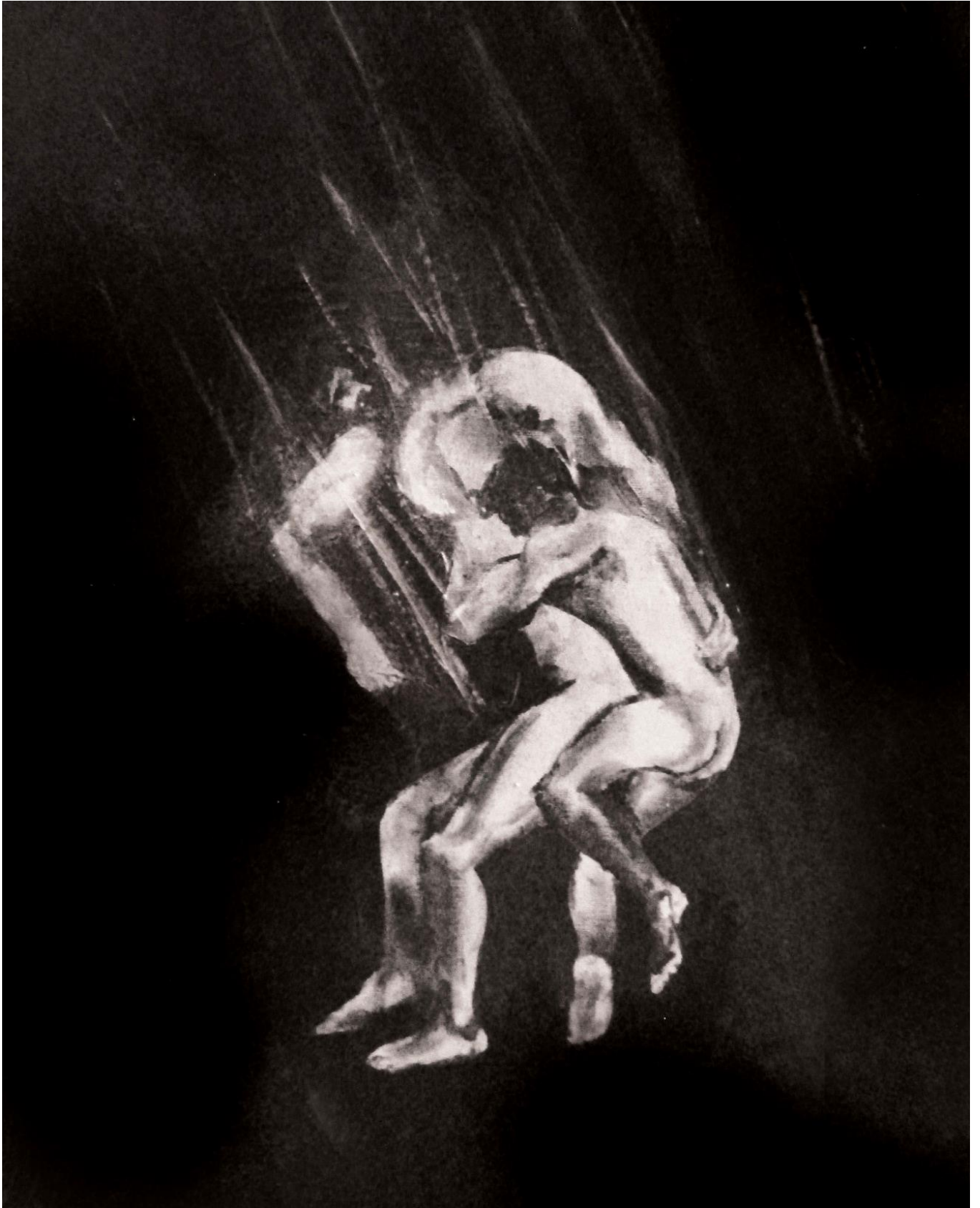


"B&W Nudes 2 8x10"

Shower Nudes

In 2006, I started working on a series of small male figures on a dozen 18x24" canvases. Using only black and white, and an oil finish that slightly yellowed, they emerged erotic and otherworldly. I don't even know what fun and mischief these muscled faeries are up to.

Finishing them in 2018 so I could include them in this book, the originals are available for purchase.



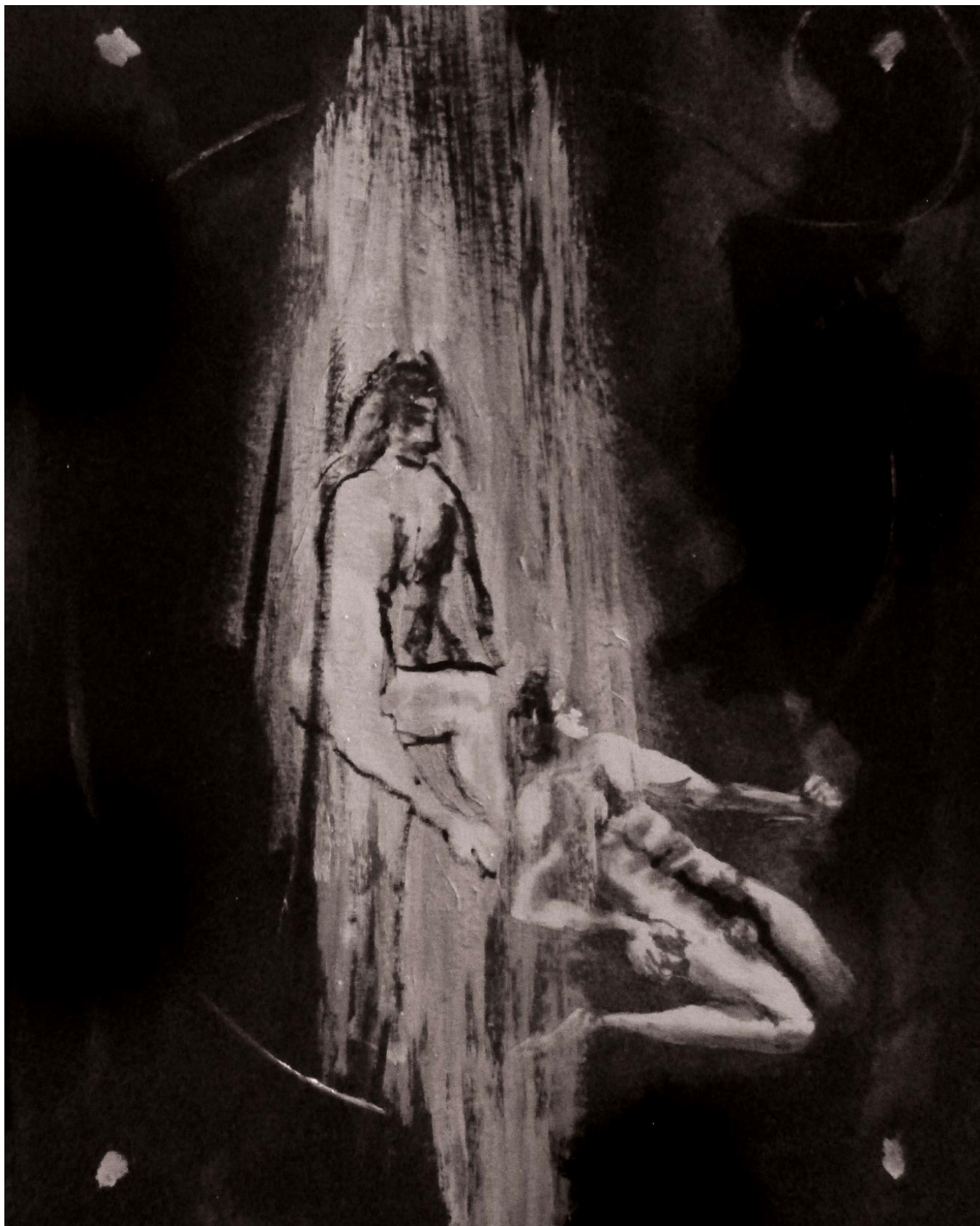
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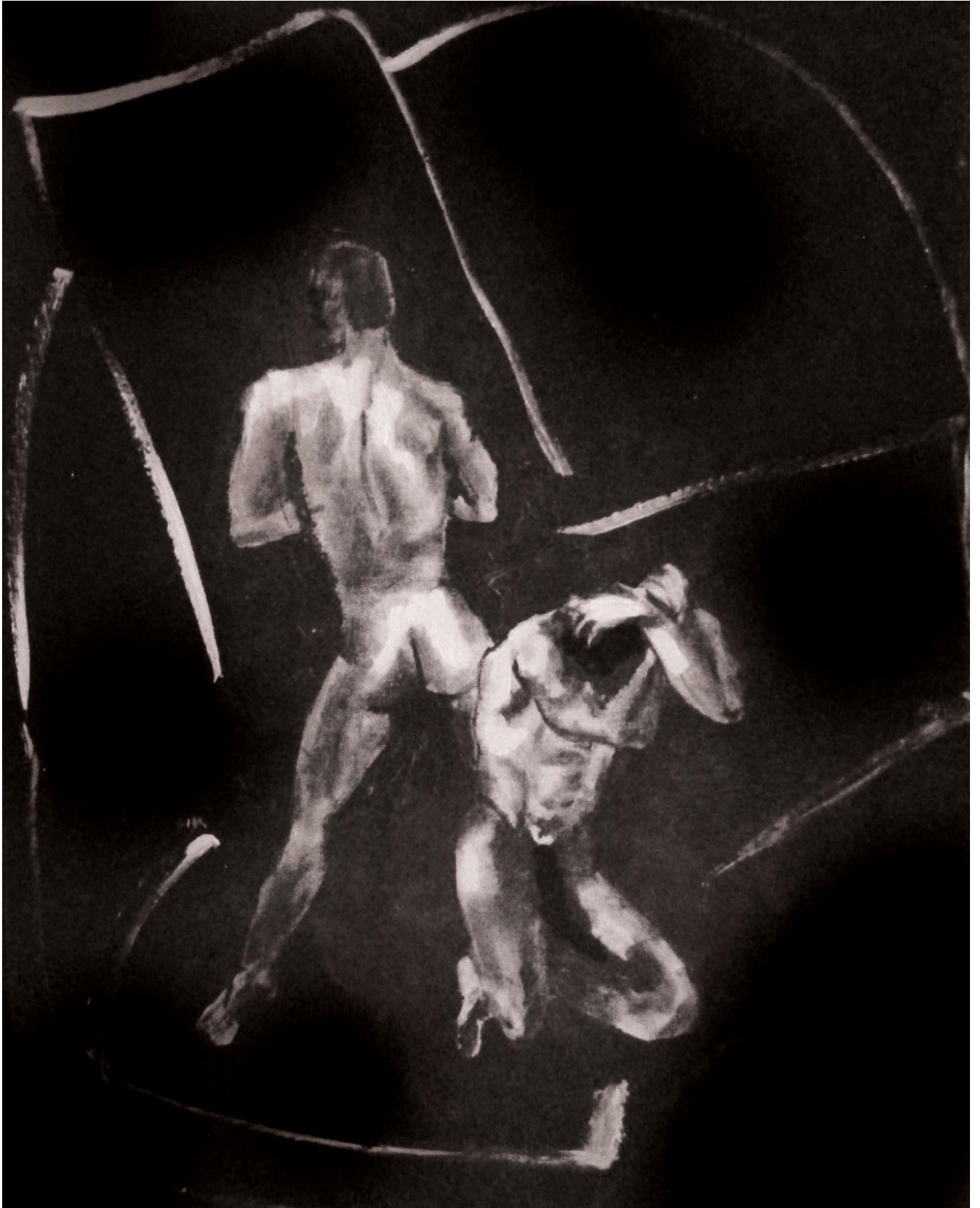
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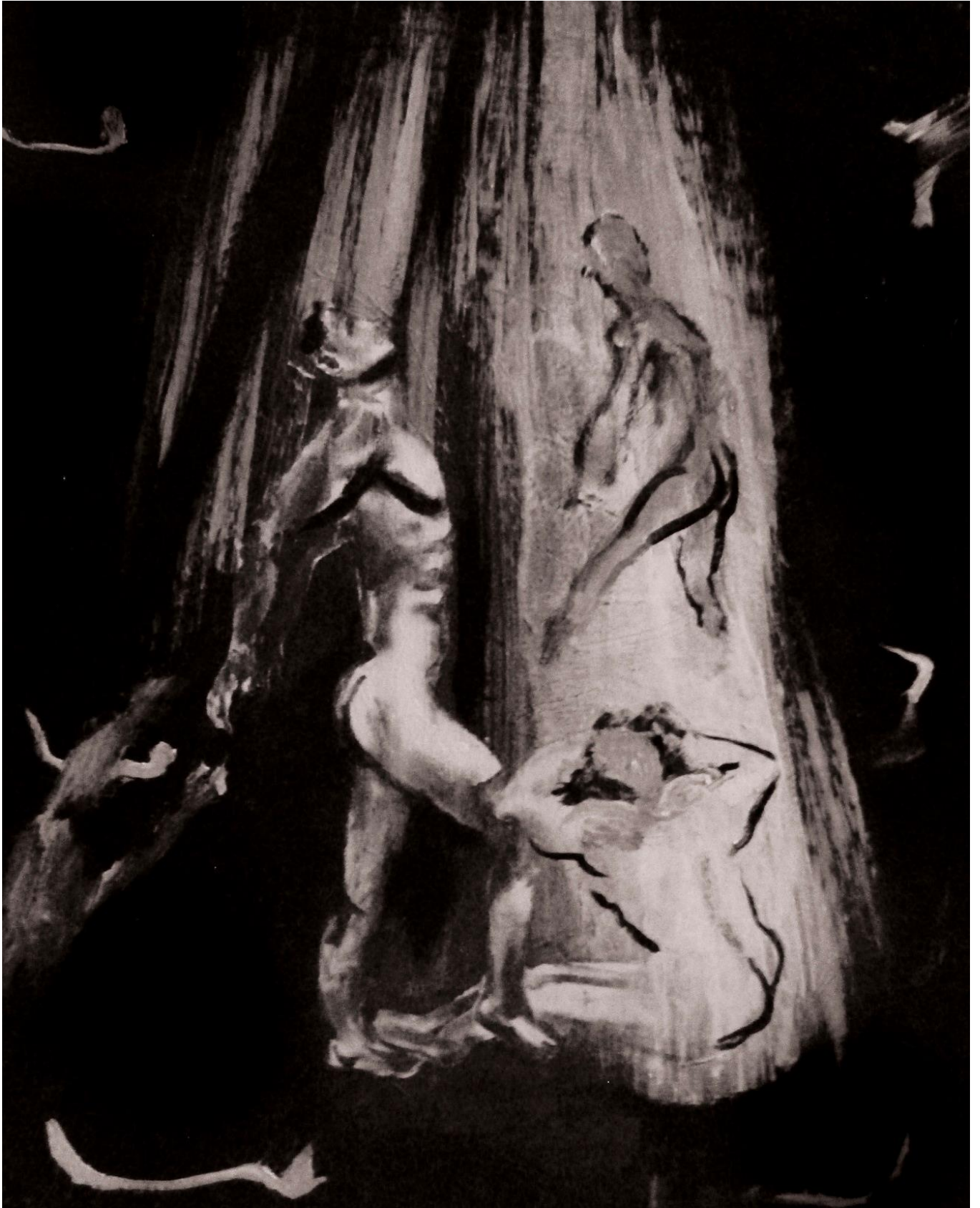
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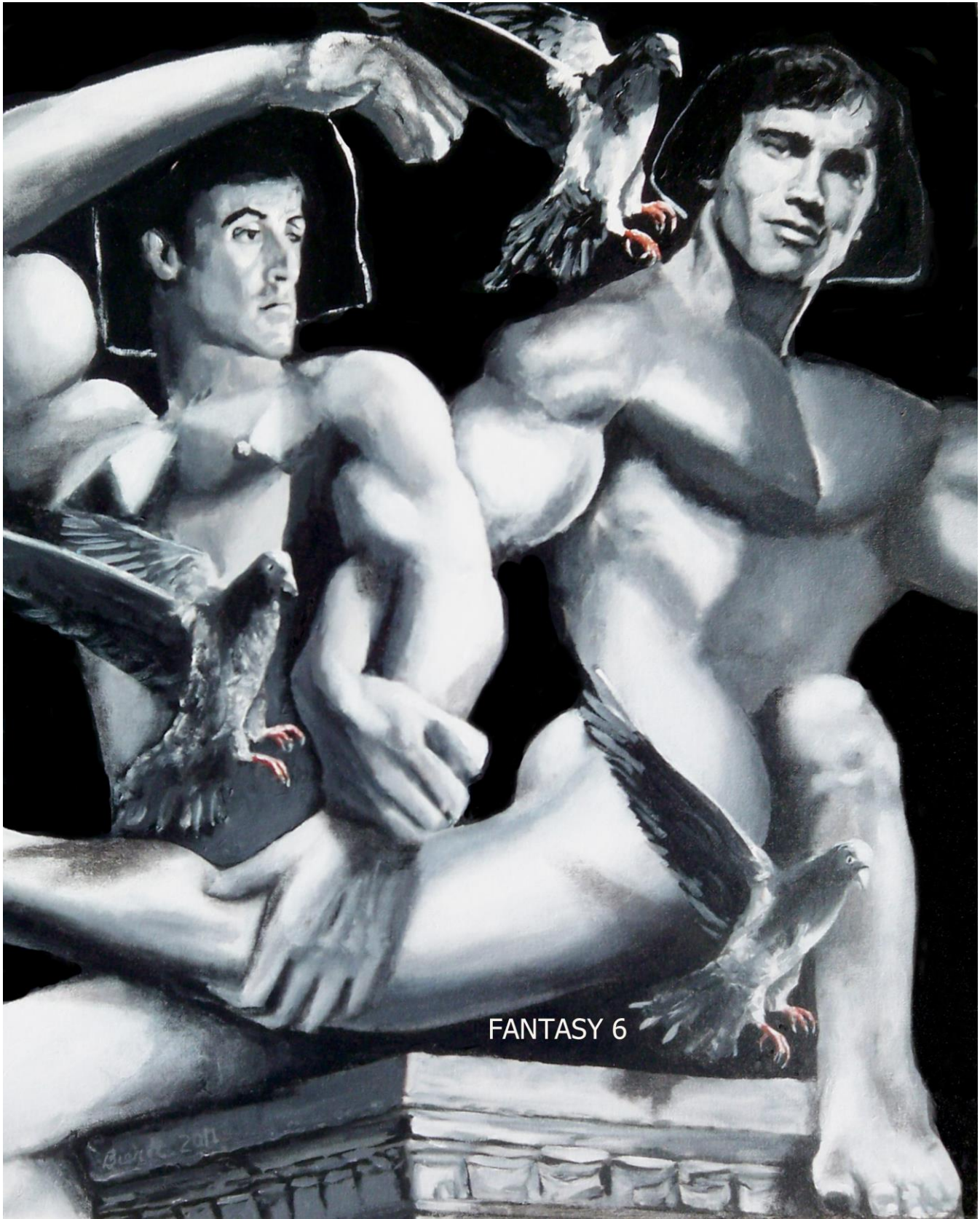


"Shower B&W 5"

Fantasy Gay Marriage Nudes

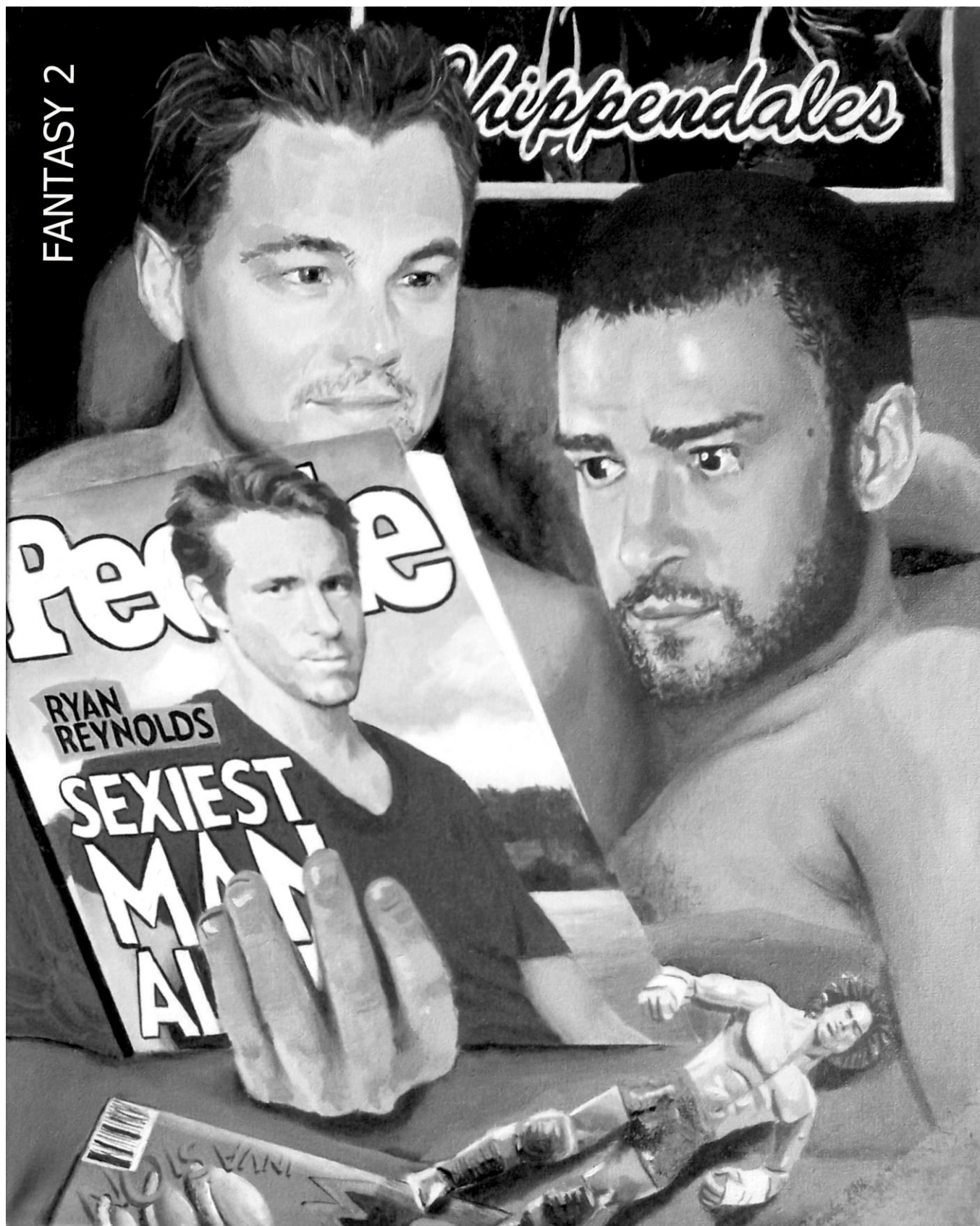
In 2009, the year I made history as the first openly gay actor hired by a soap opera for a principle role, I committed to helping gay causes with my visibility. I painted straight icons in pretend gay marriage vignettes to relax homophobes into the idea of marriage equality. My site has the completed 14 vividly-colored paintings.



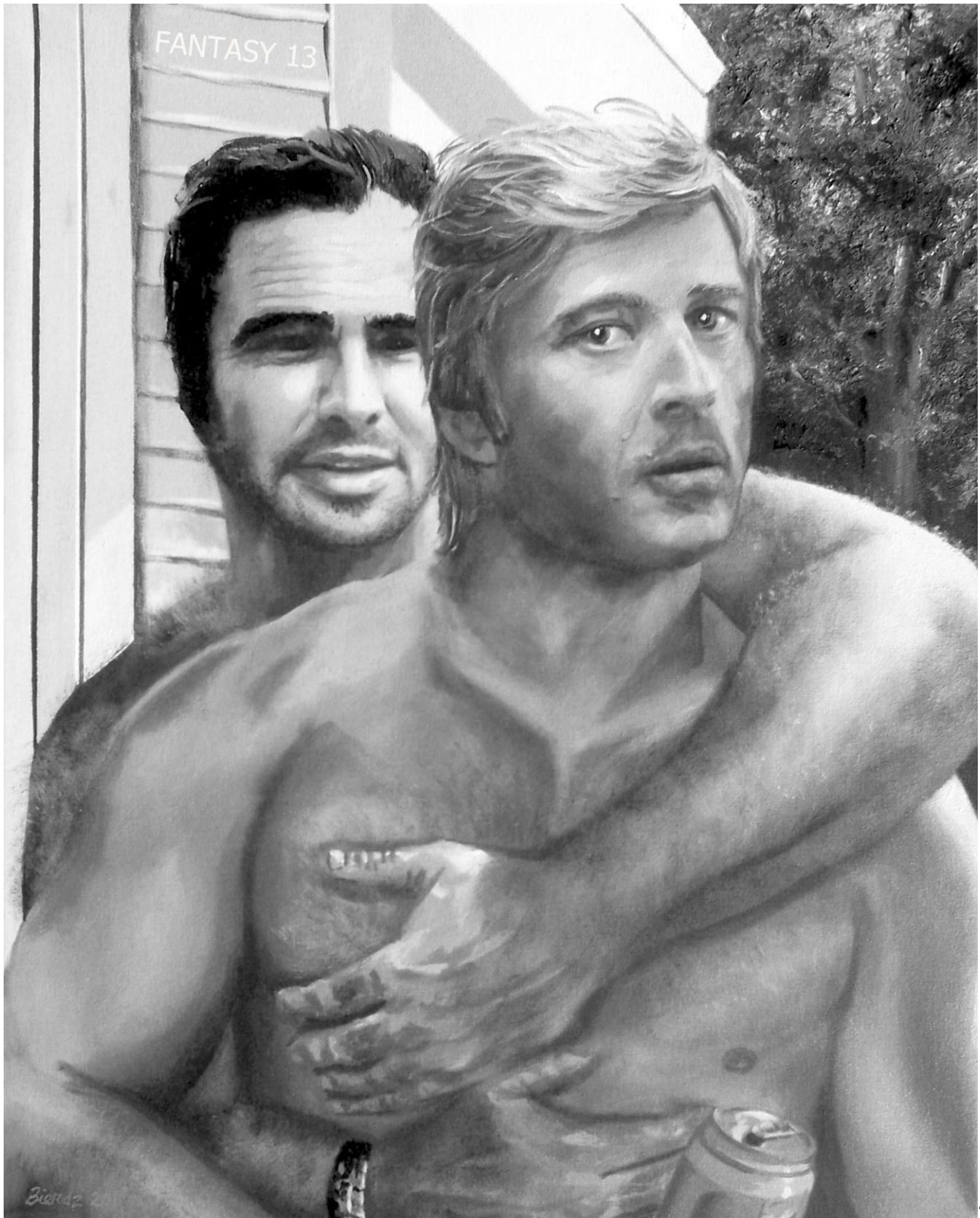


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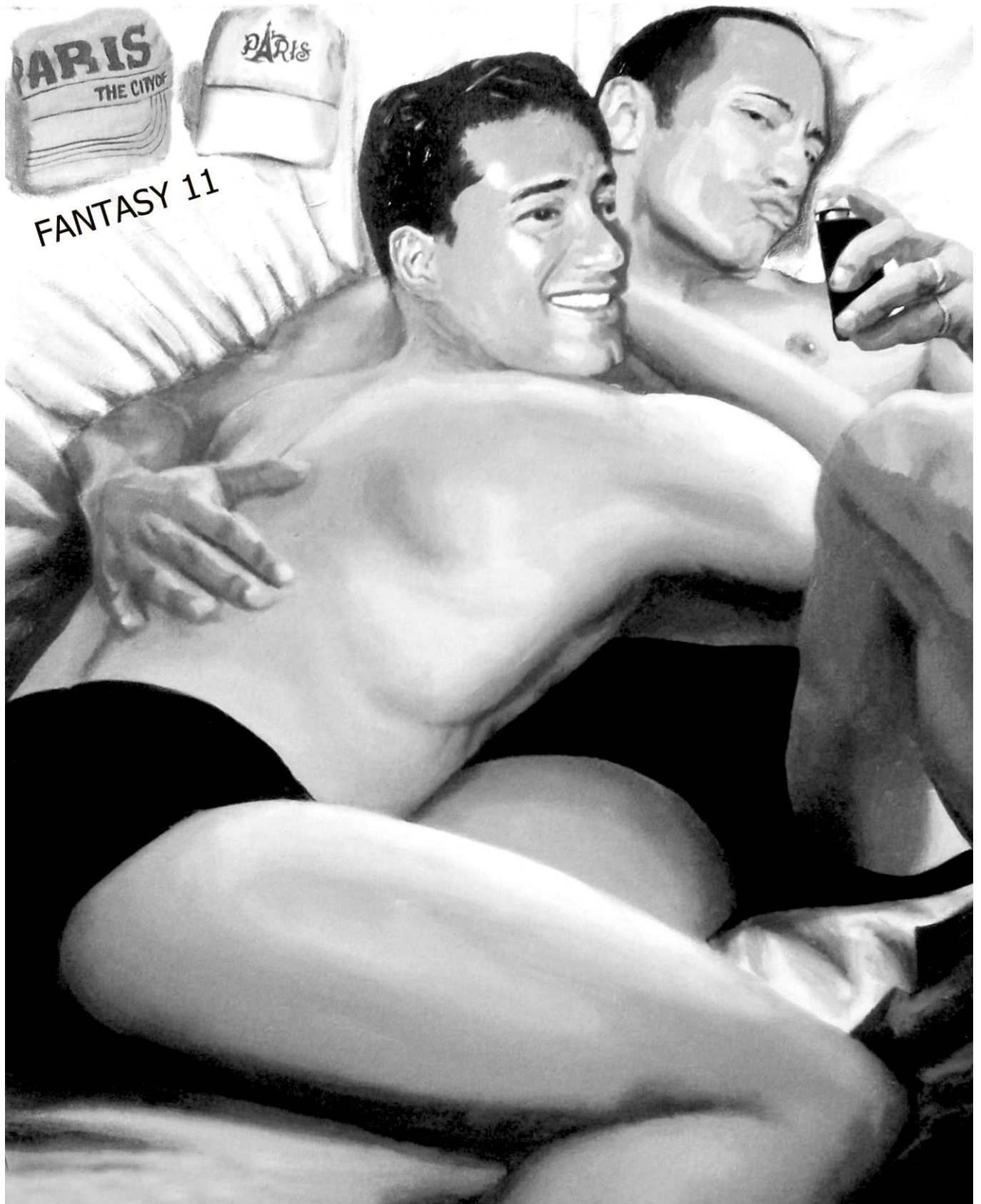
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"Gay Marriage Fantasy 2 B&W"



Gay Marriage Fantasy 13 B&W"



"Gay Marriage Fantasy 11 B&W"

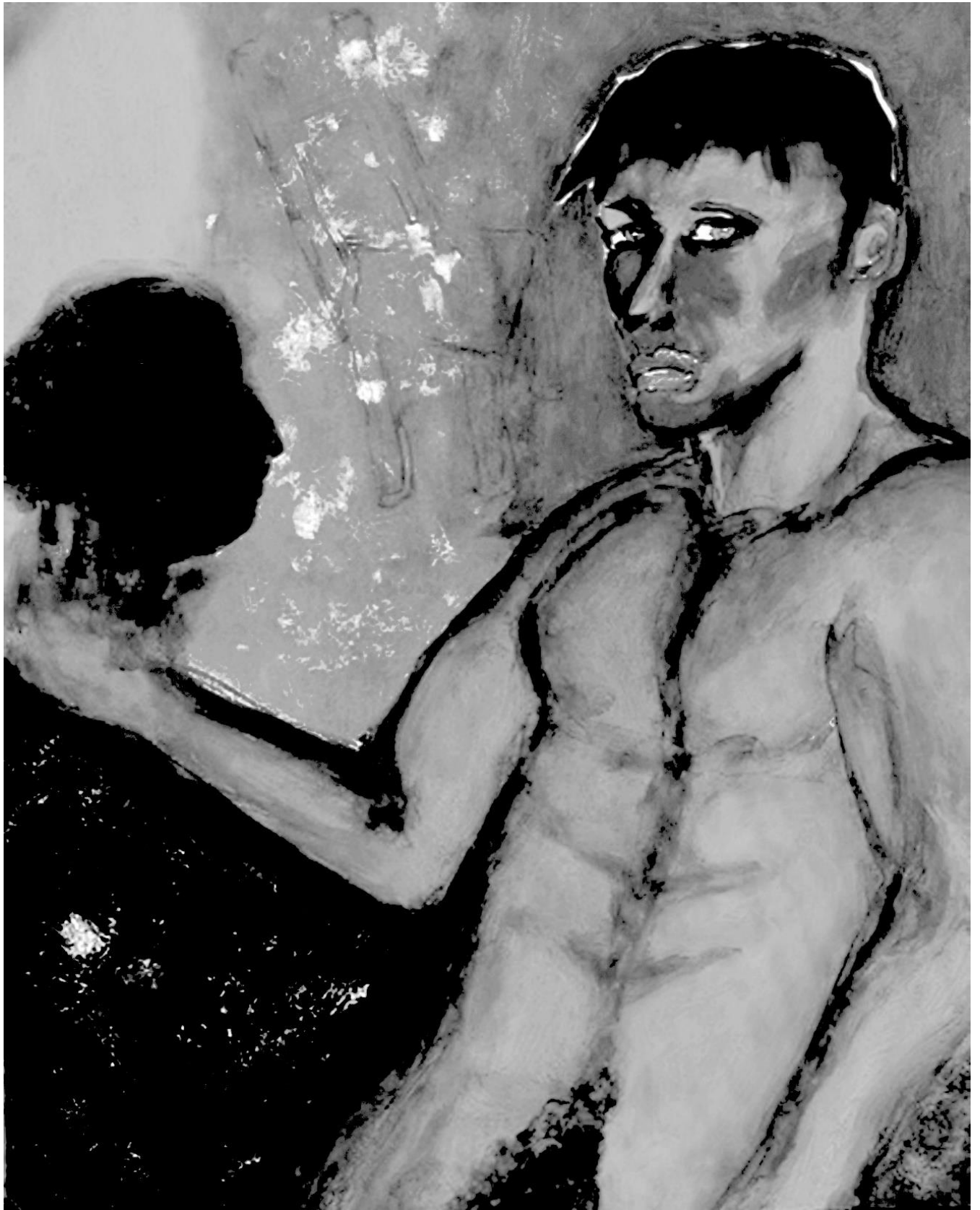


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"Gay Marriage Fantasy 7 B&W"

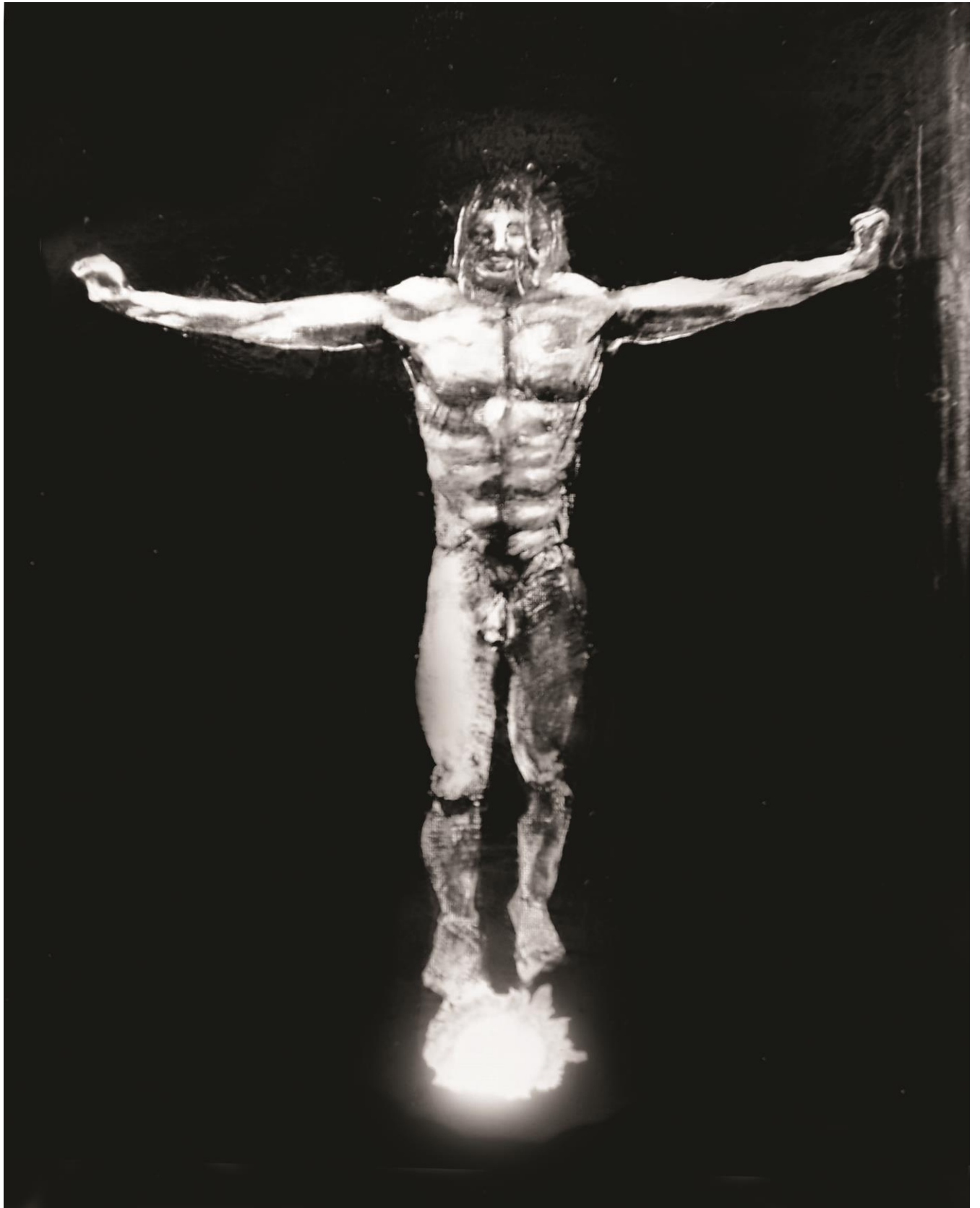
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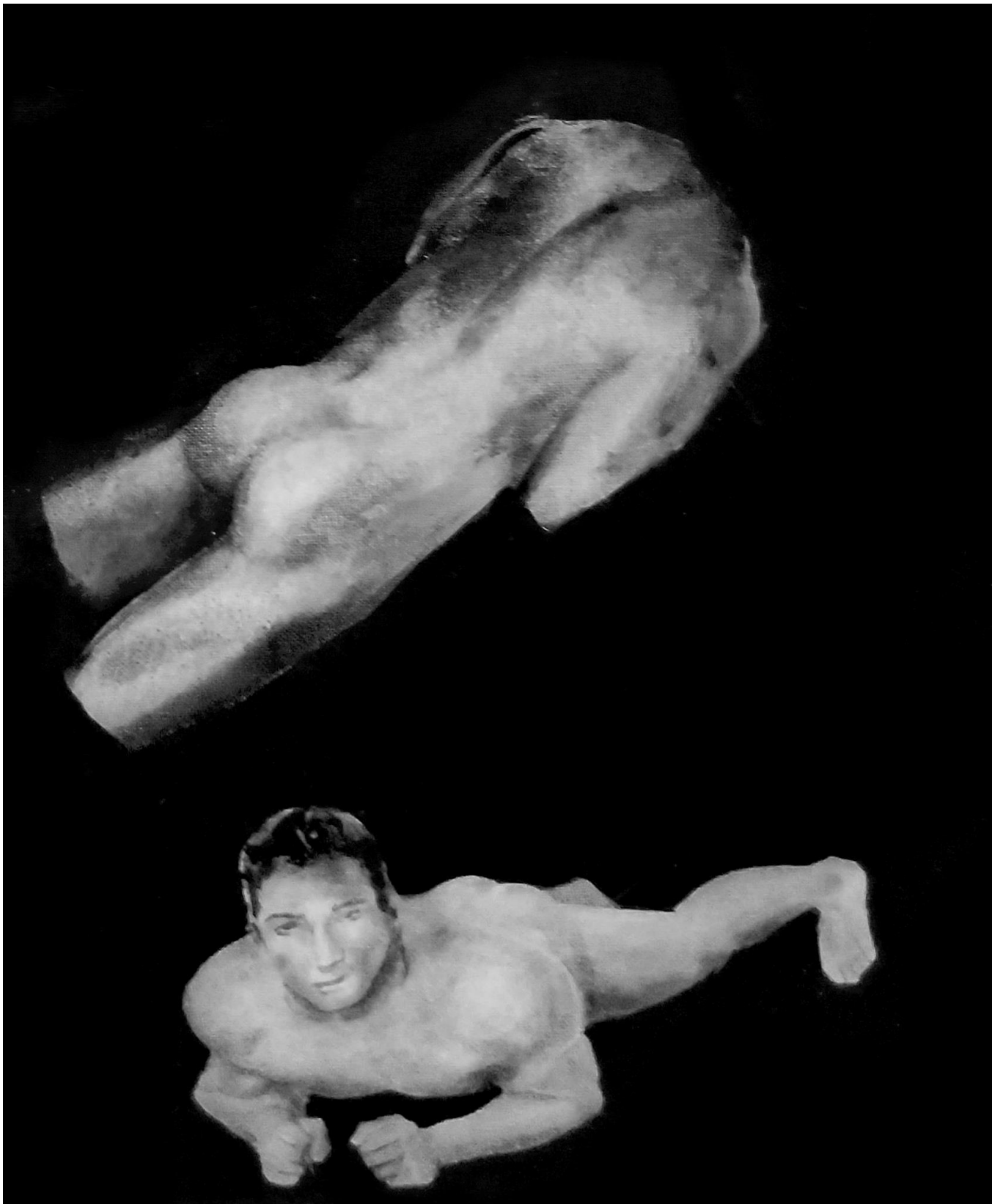
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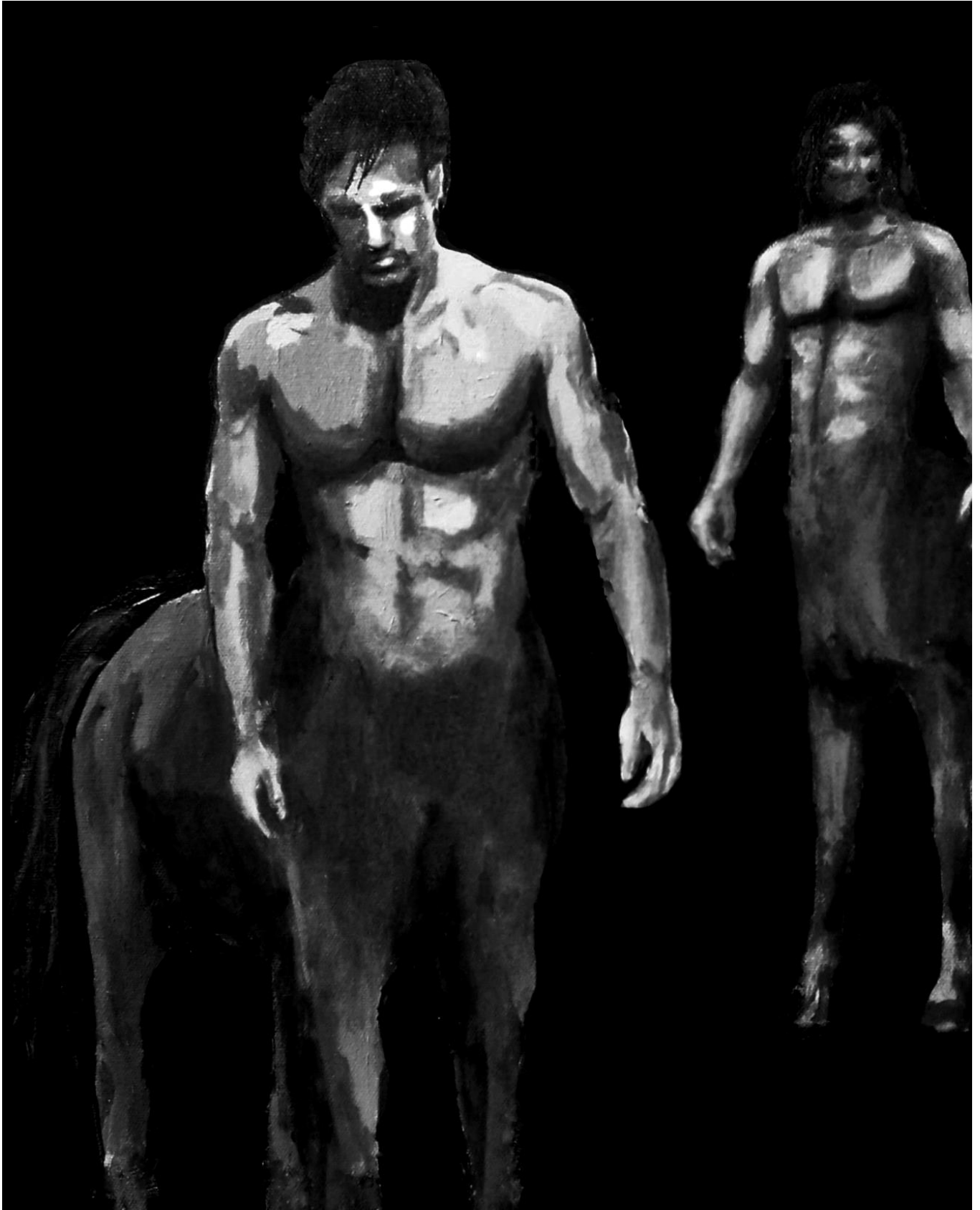
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"Giant Nude On Sun B&W"



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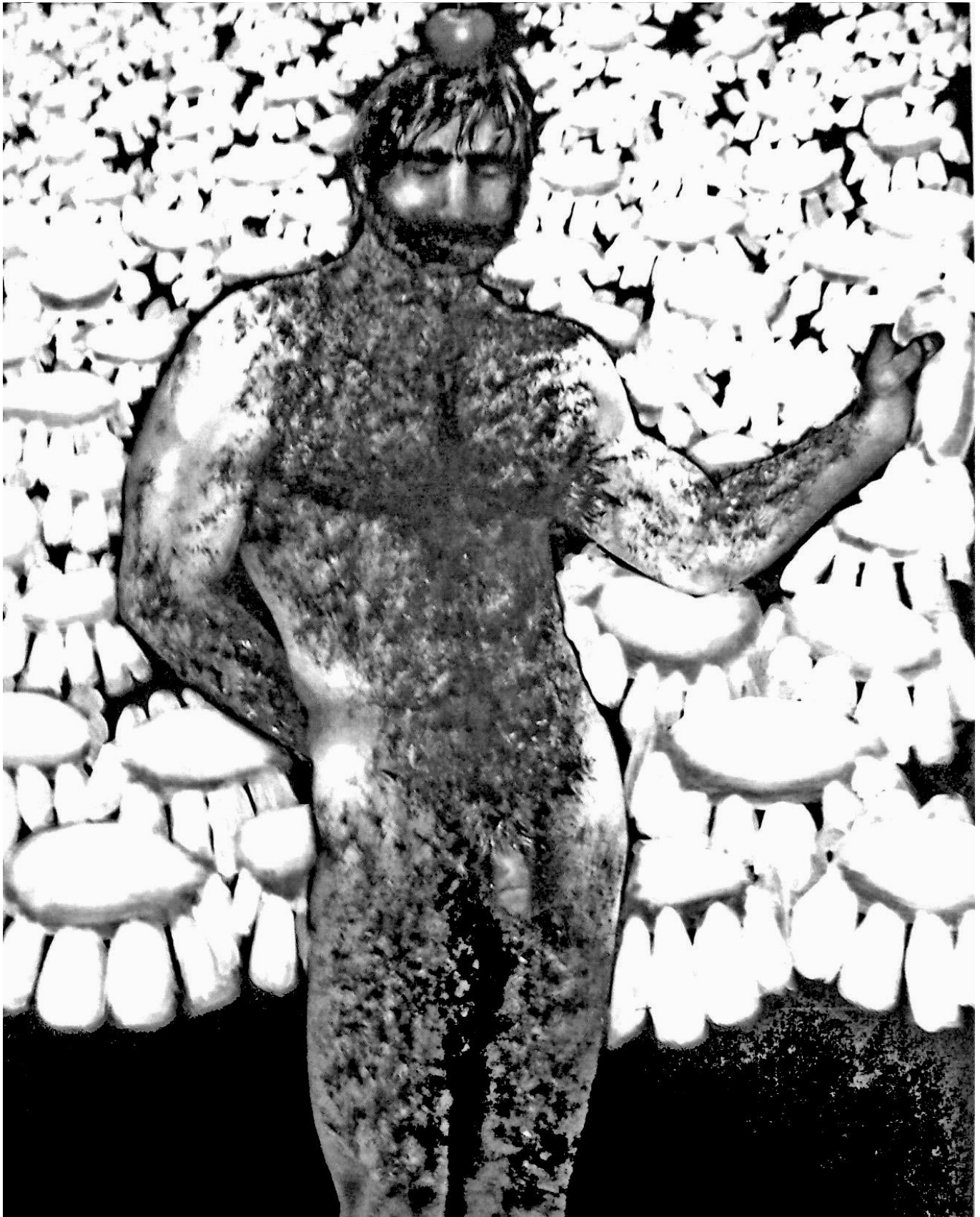
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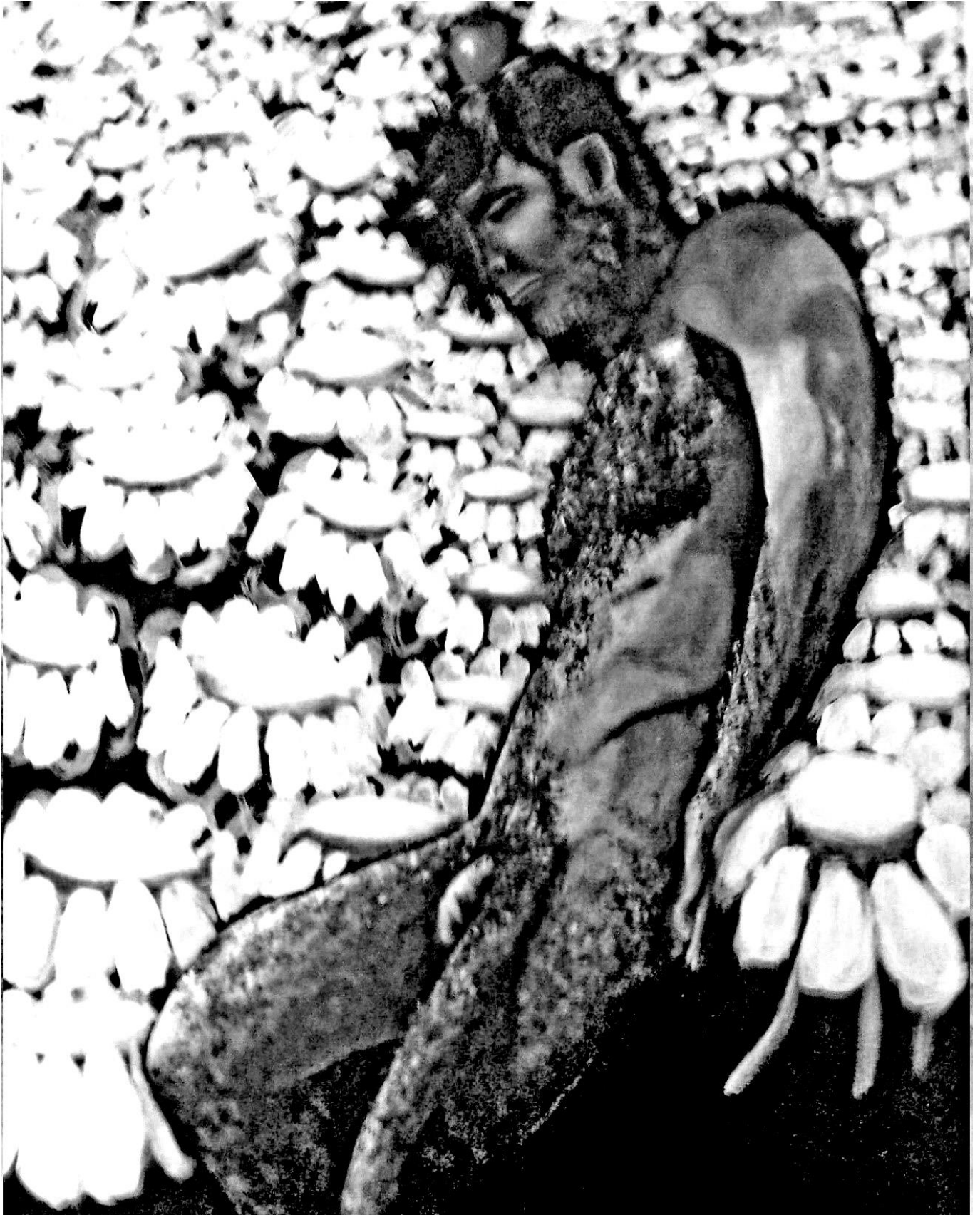
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"Sniff Slurp Grope Spank B&W"



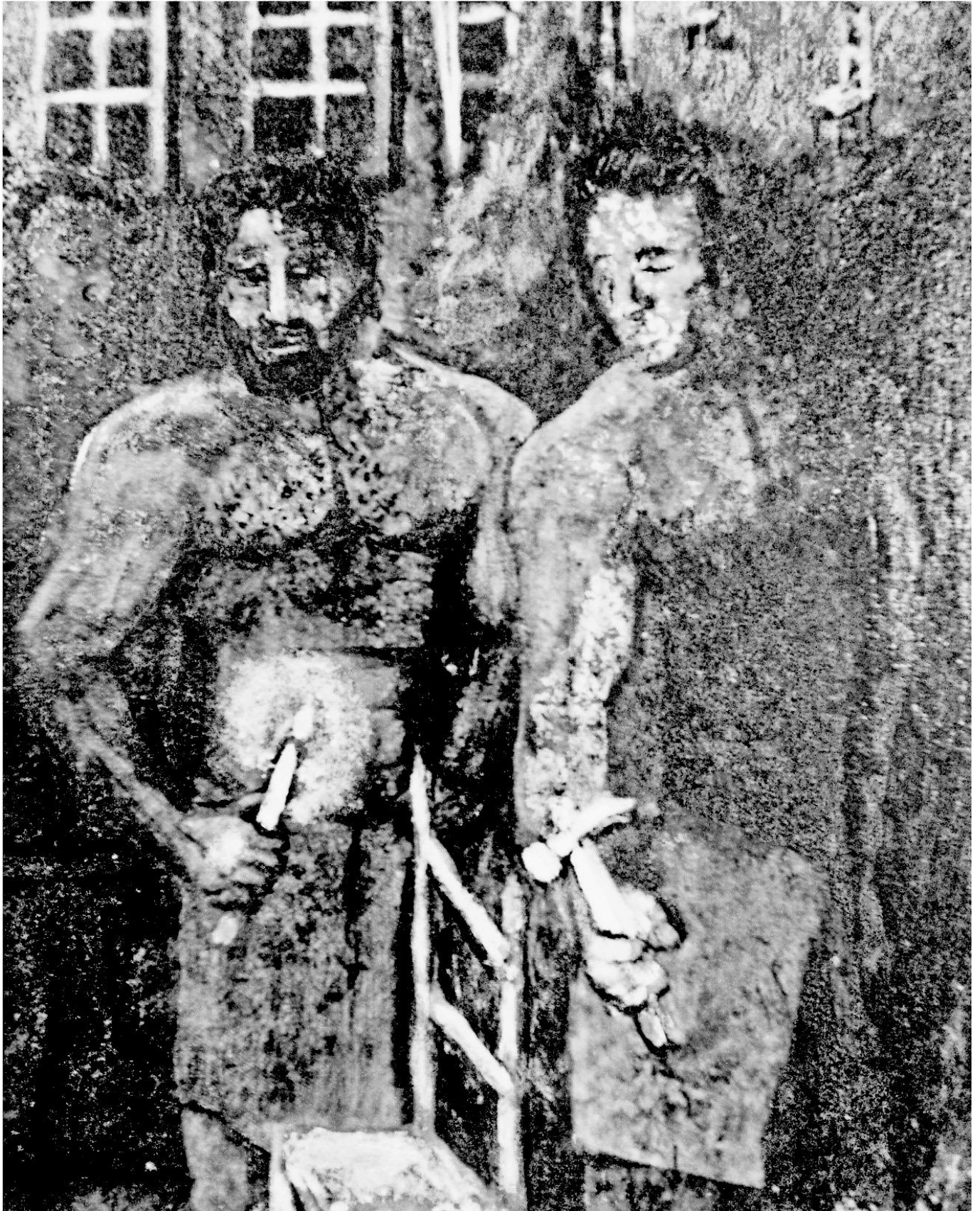
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"Hairy Nude Apple On Head 2 B&W"



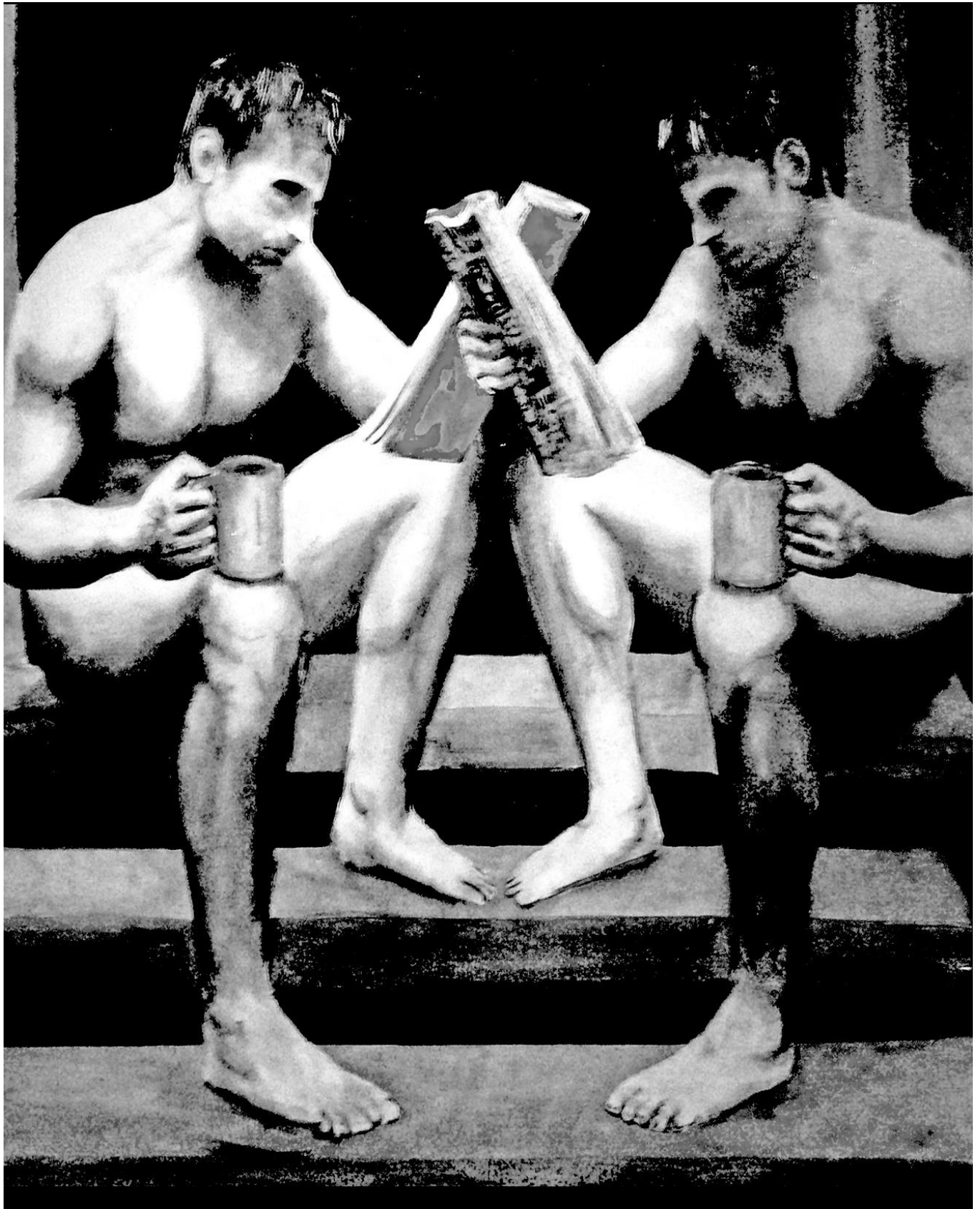
"Gay Tango B&W"



"Candle And Hammer B&W"



"Ramon B&W"



"Steve And Ray Coffee B&W Cropped Tall"



"Not Easy To Be Jesus"



"Sauna Popquad B&W2"



"Curtain Man White Gold Desaturated"

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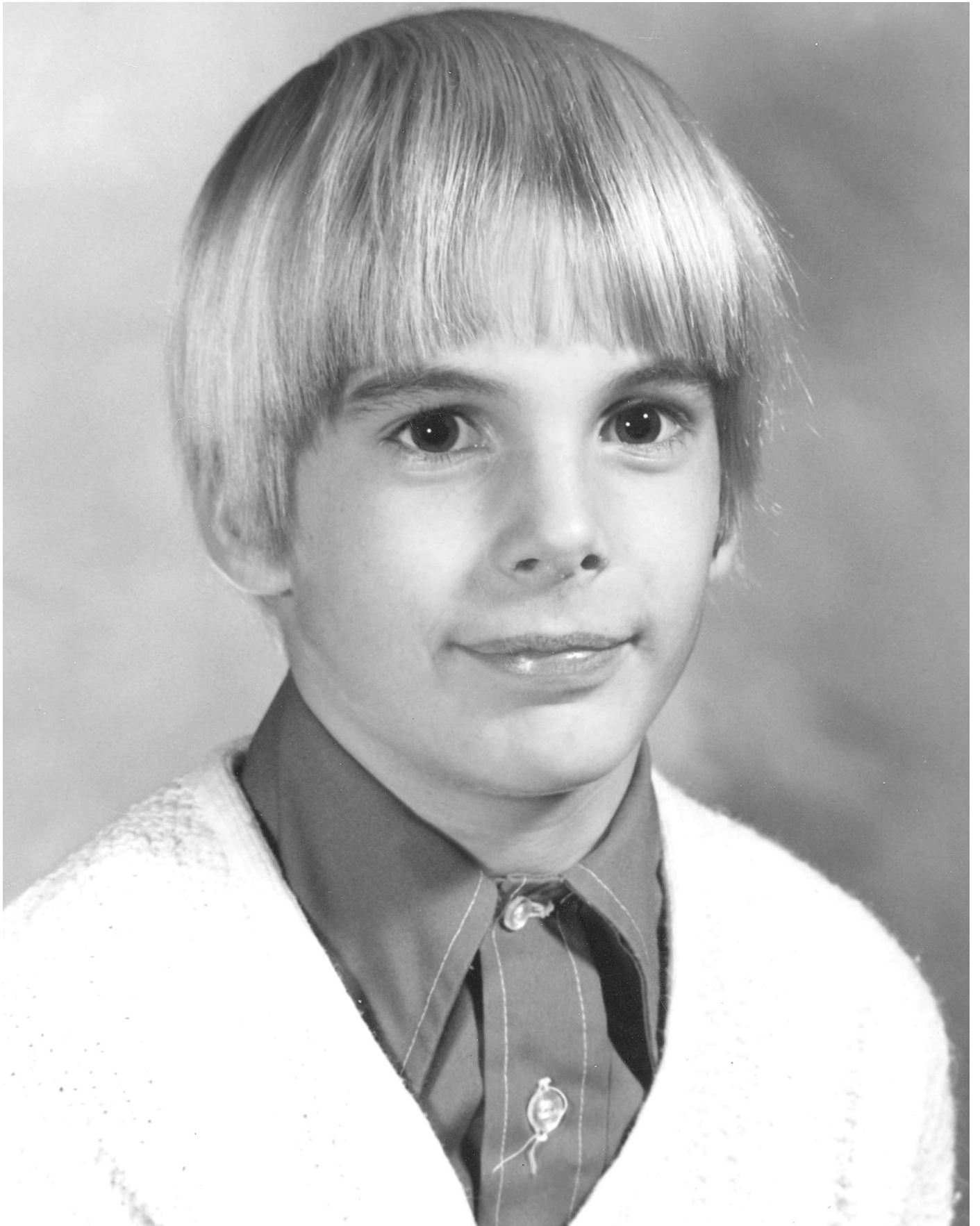
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**Kenosha, Wisconsin
1962 - 1980**

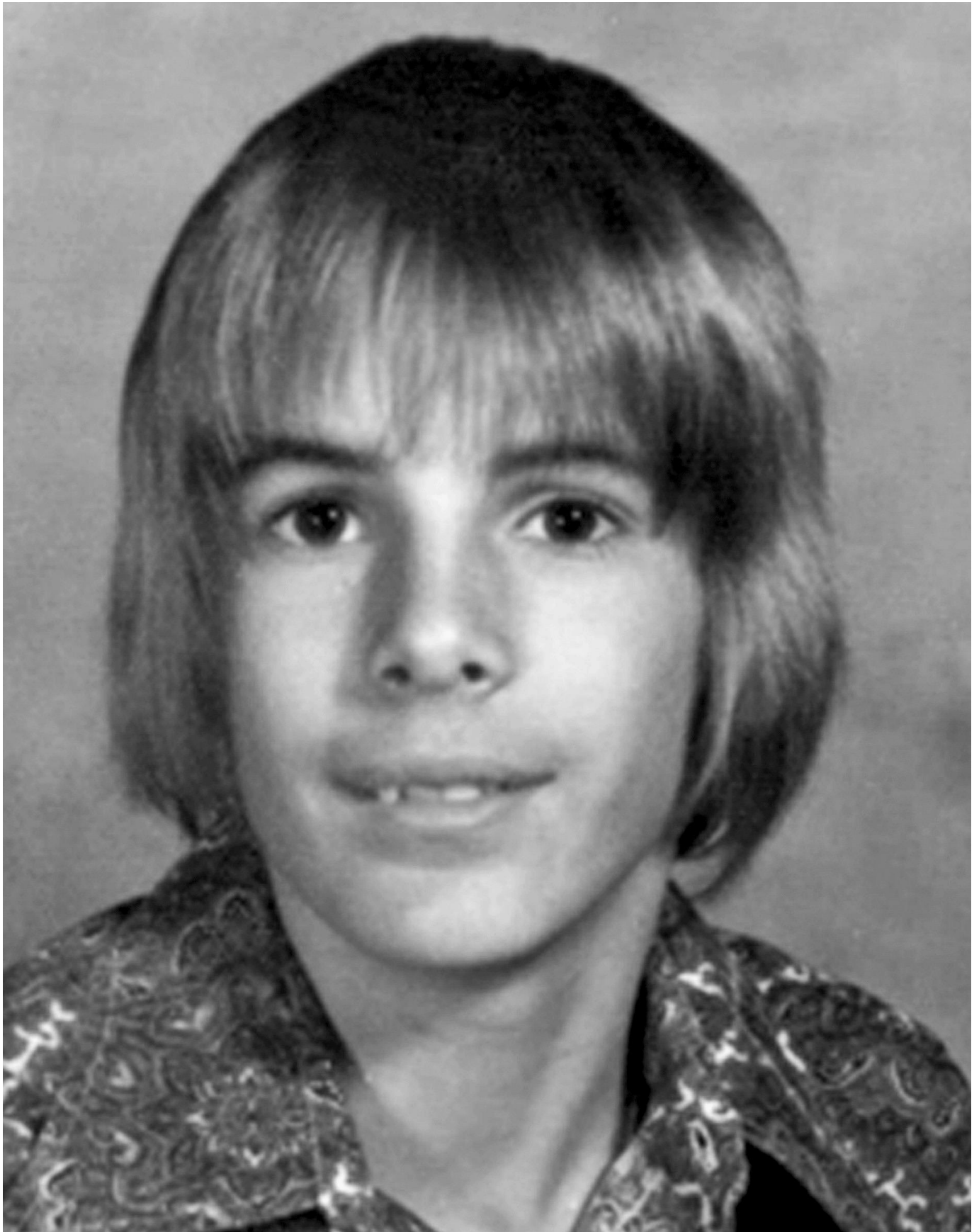


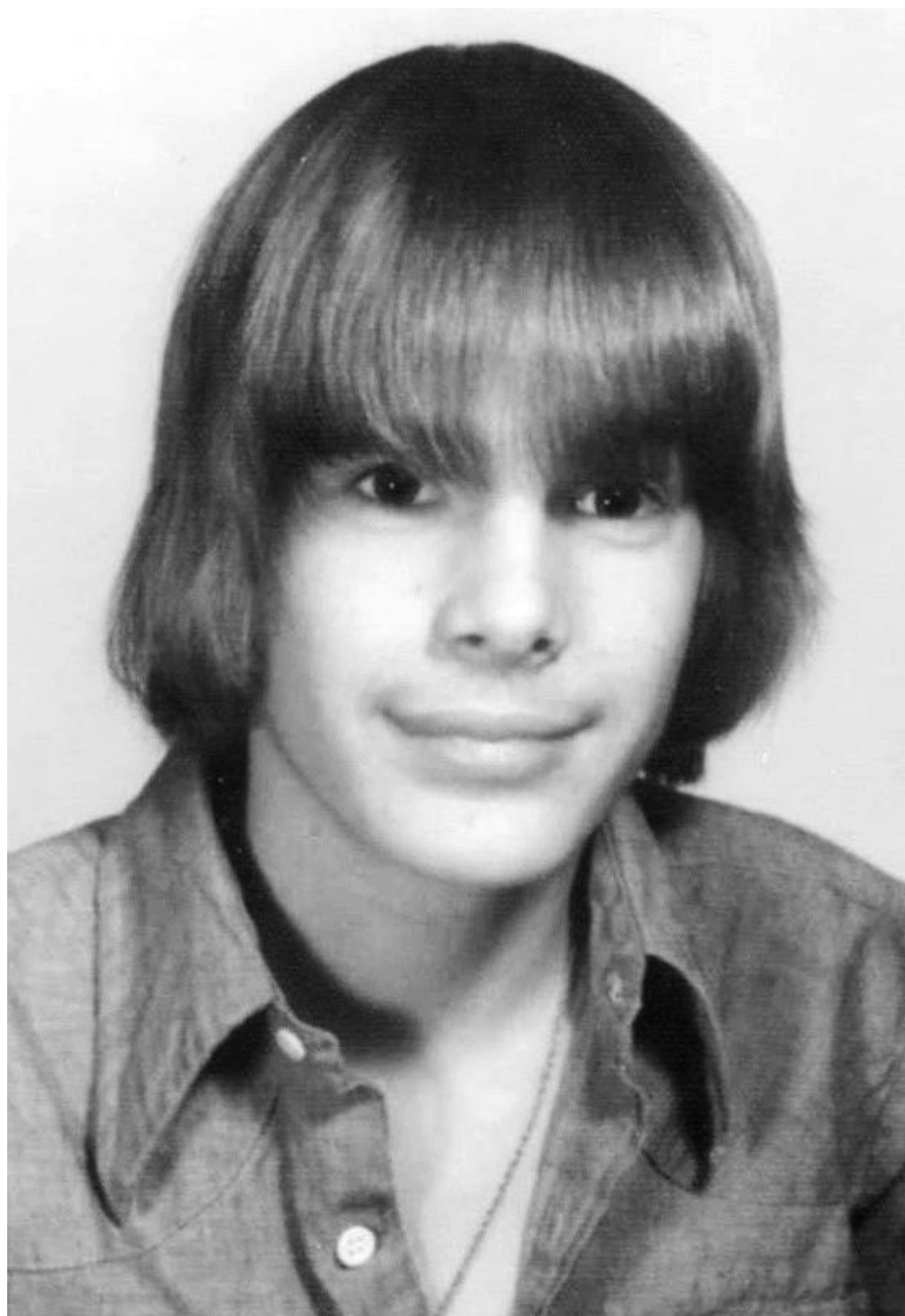


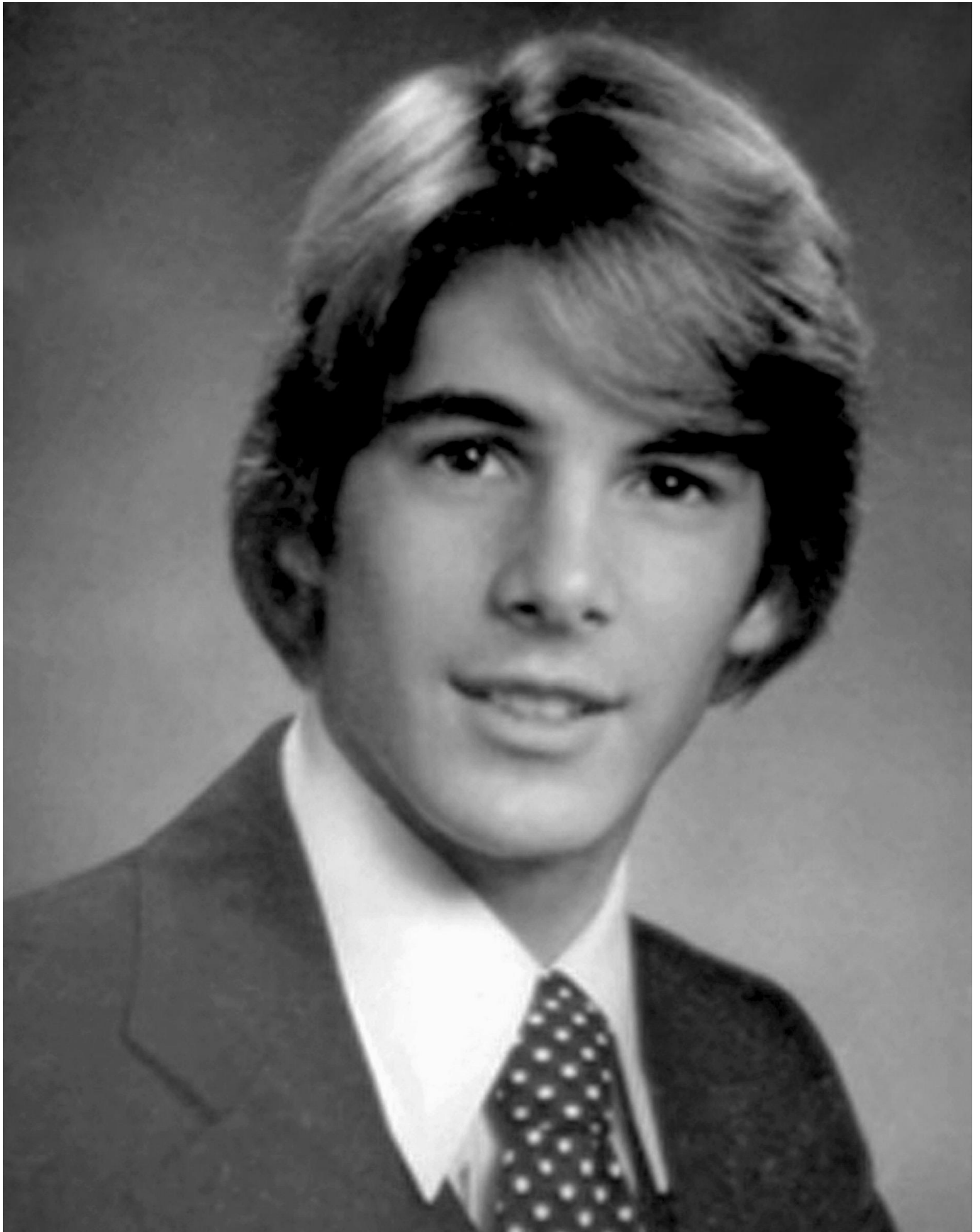




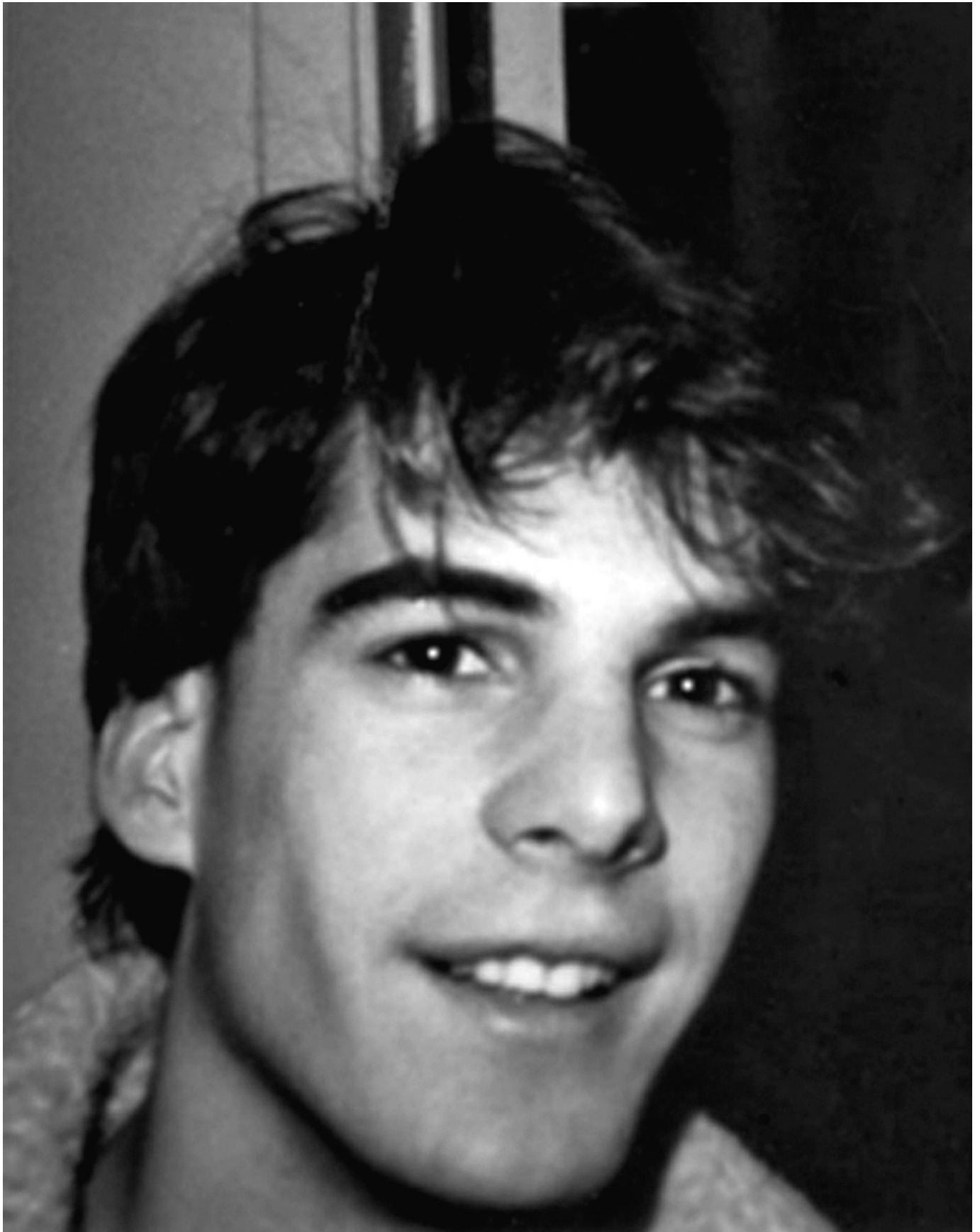


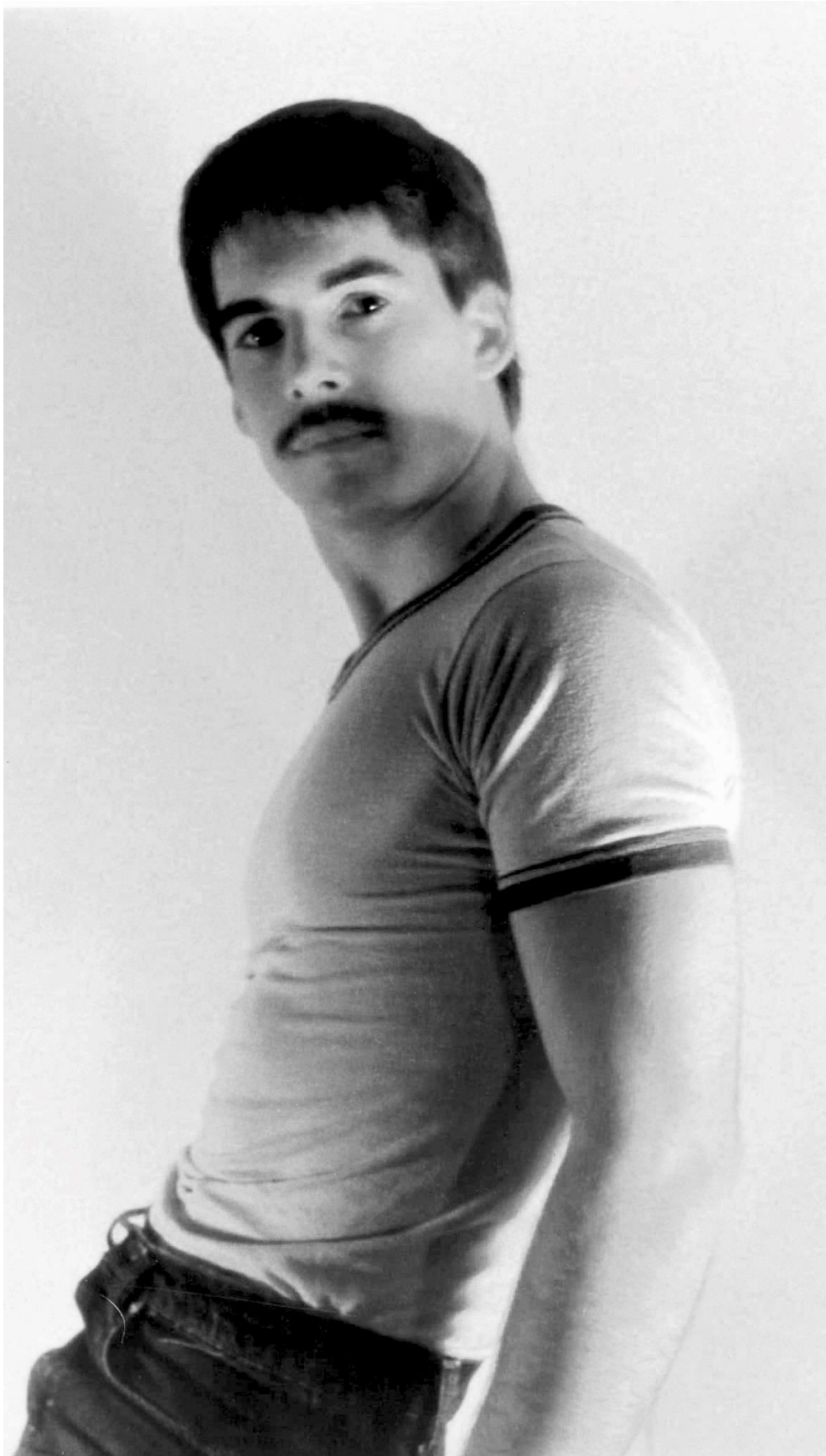






**Milwaukee, Wisconsin
1981 - 1983**



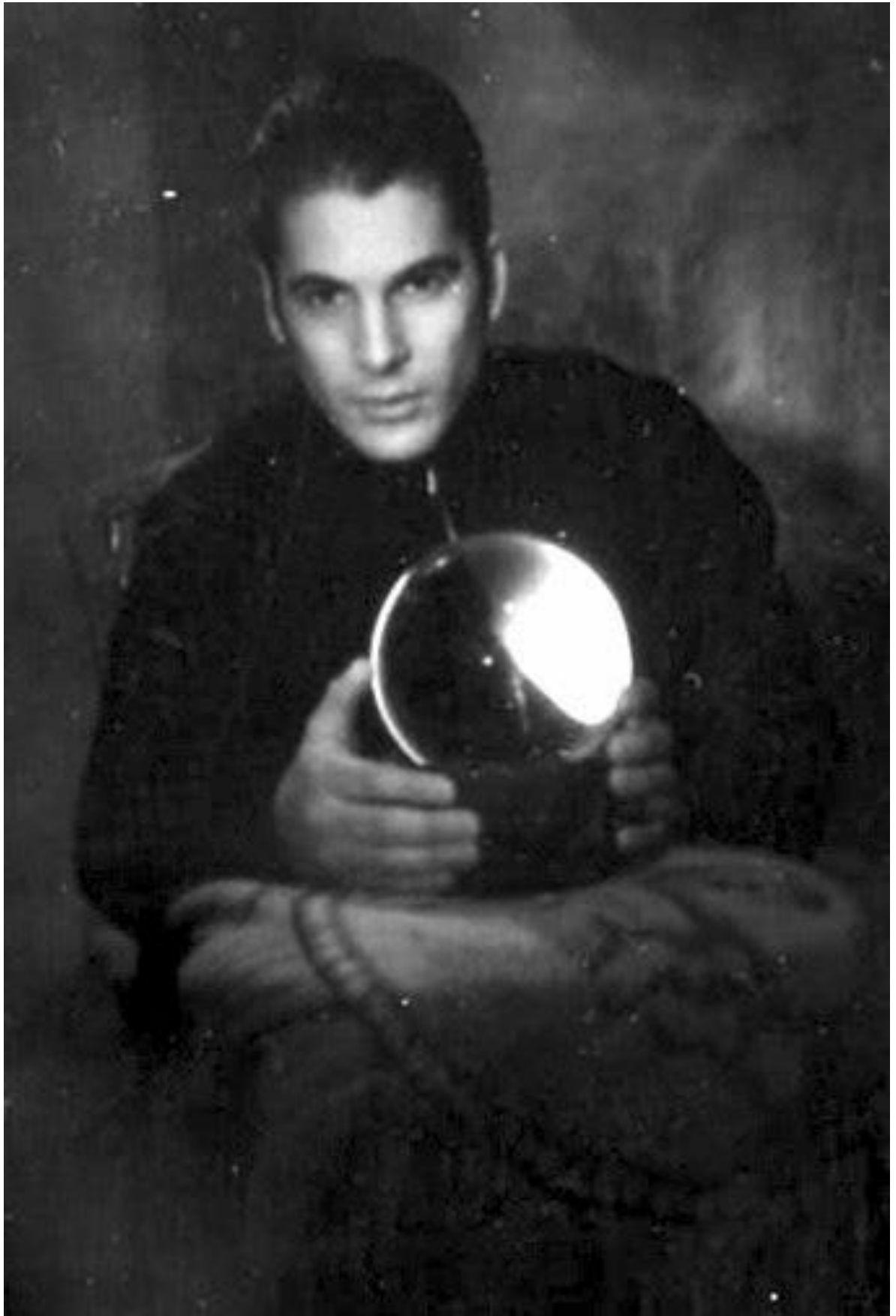






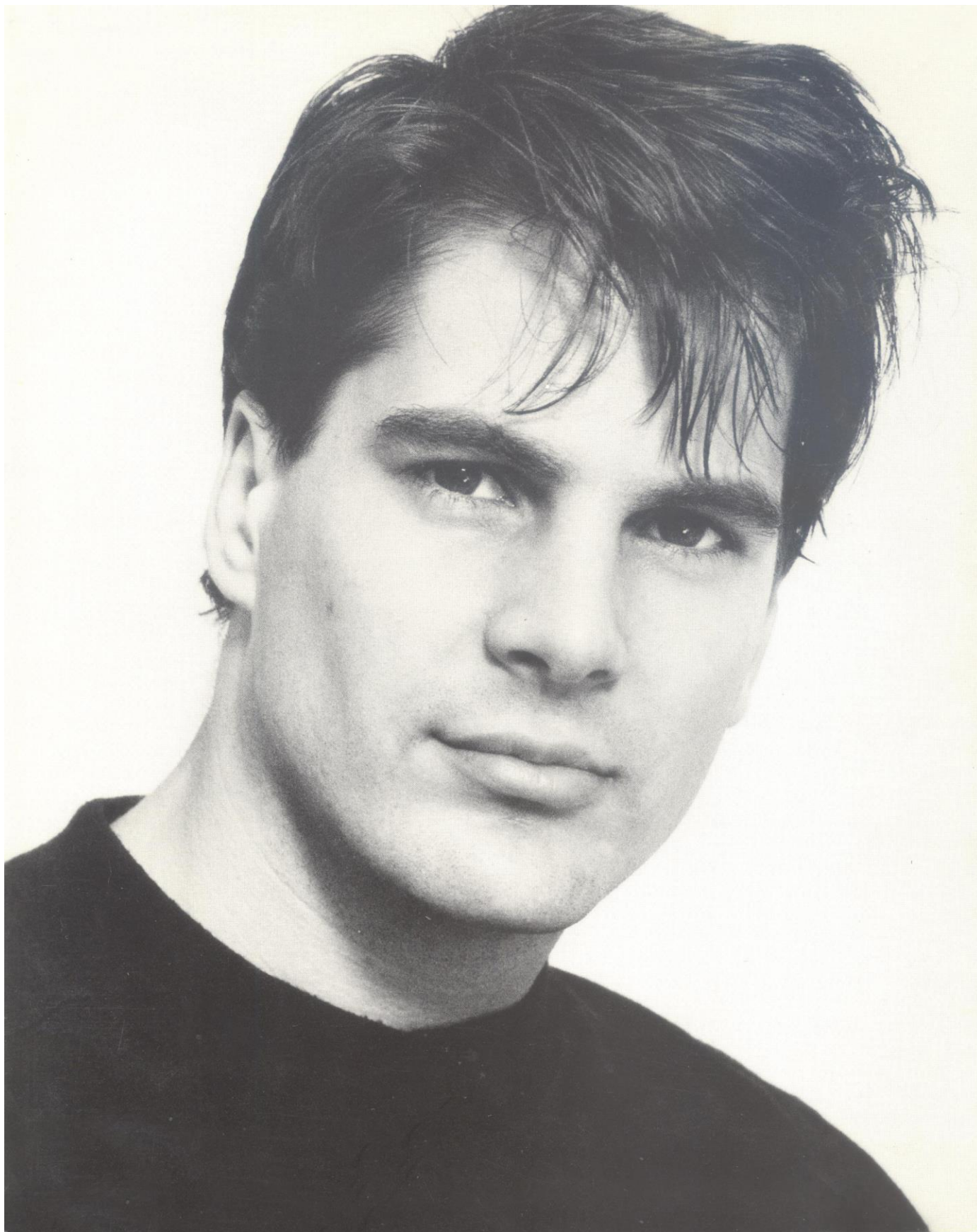


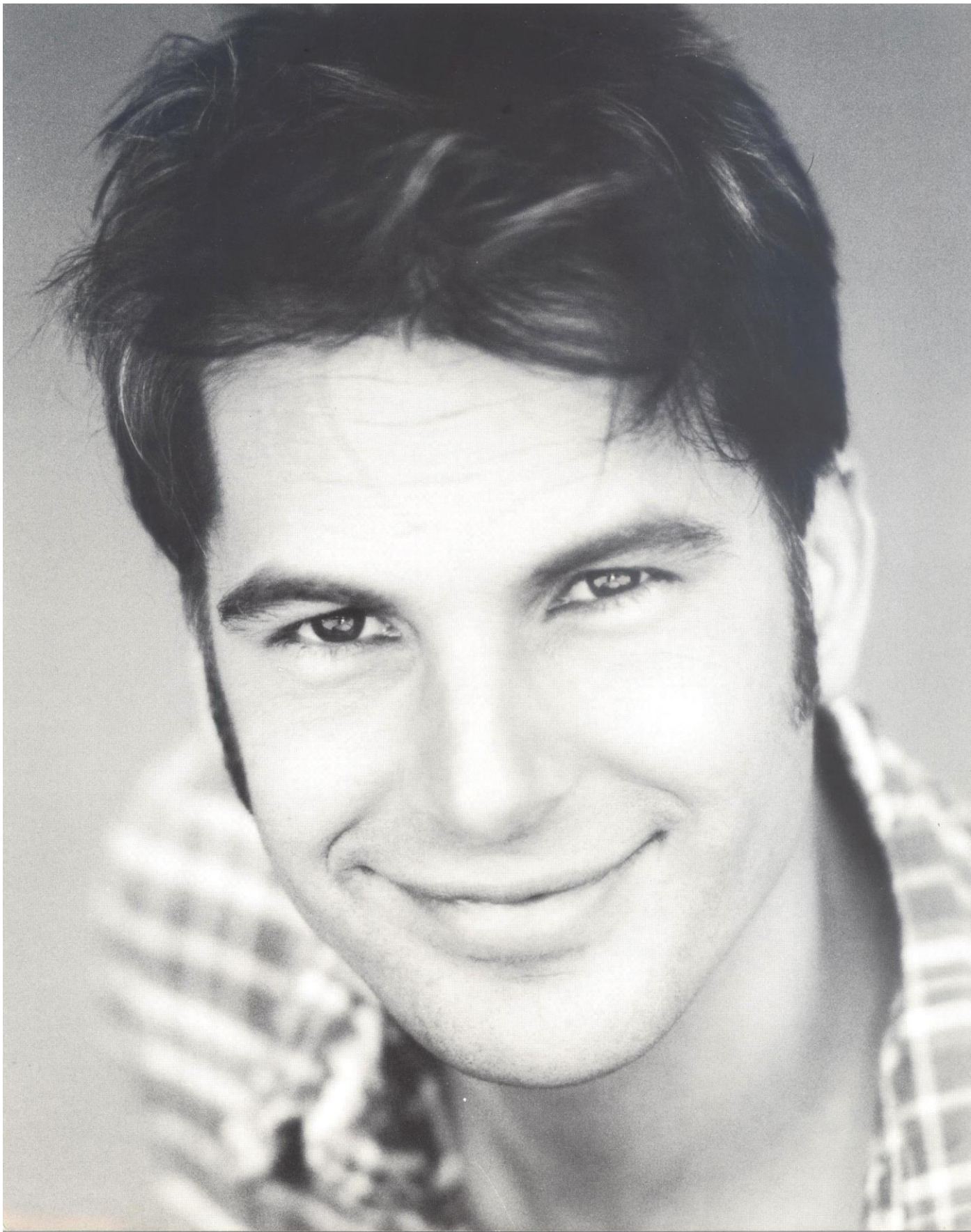
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1984 - 2011











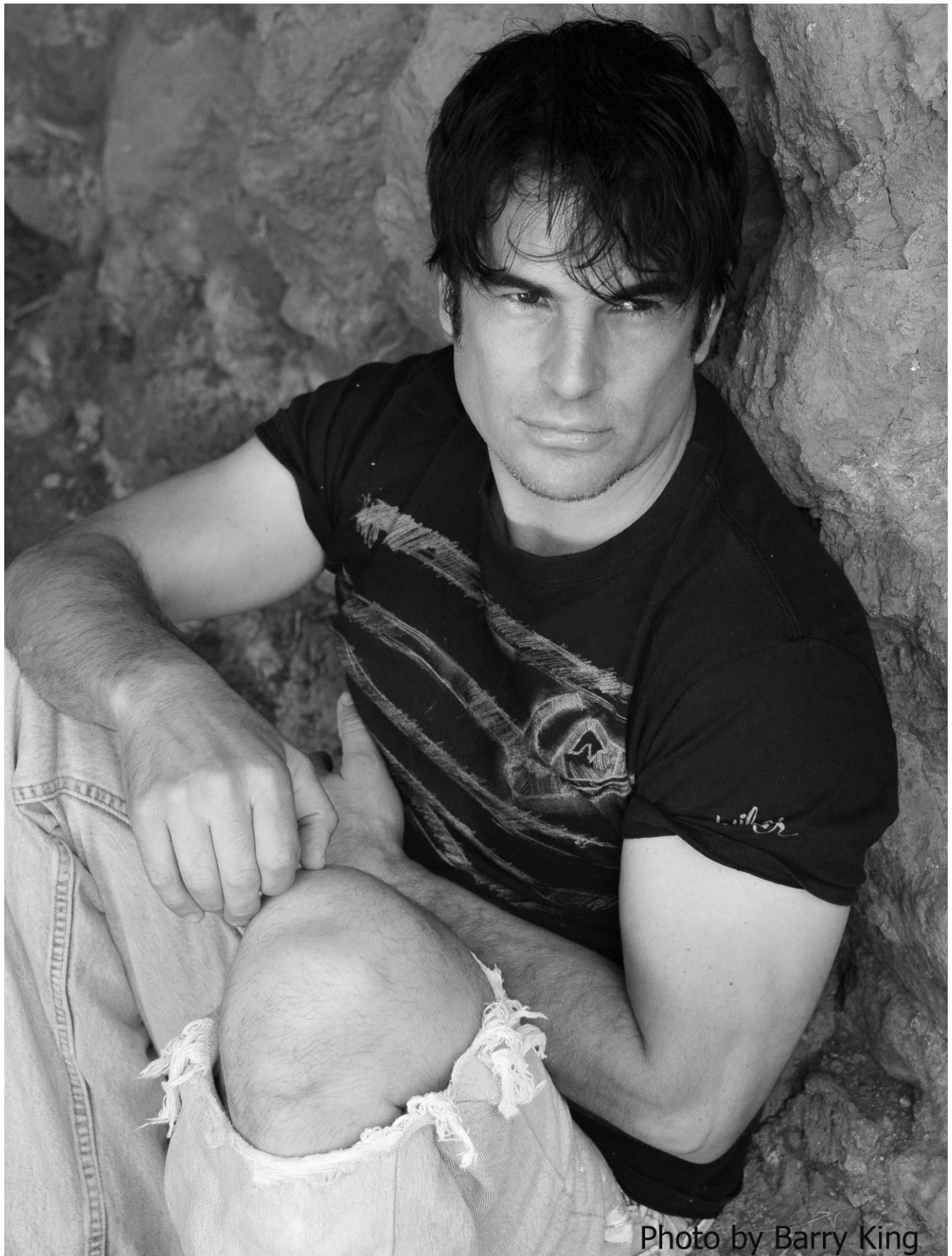
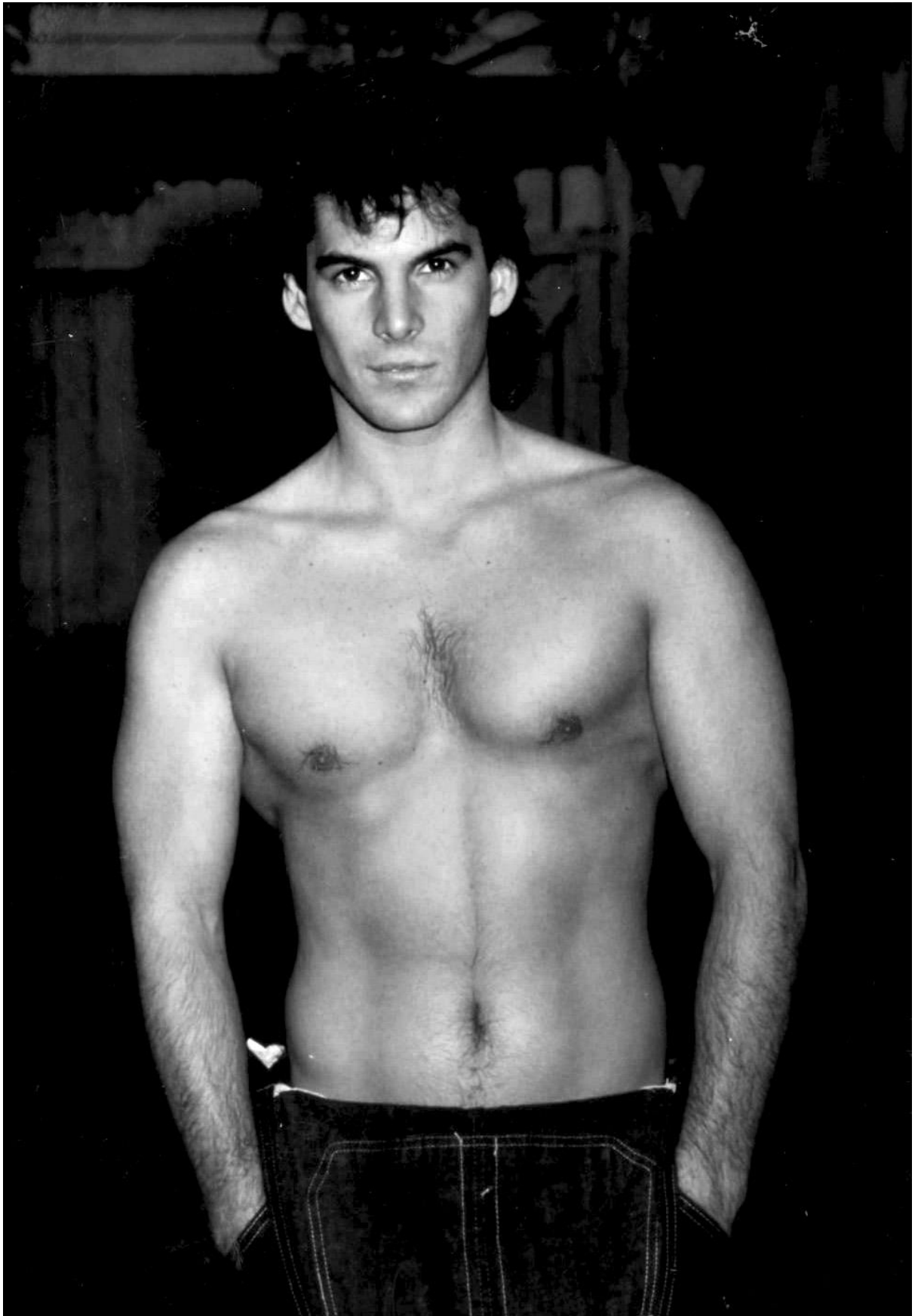


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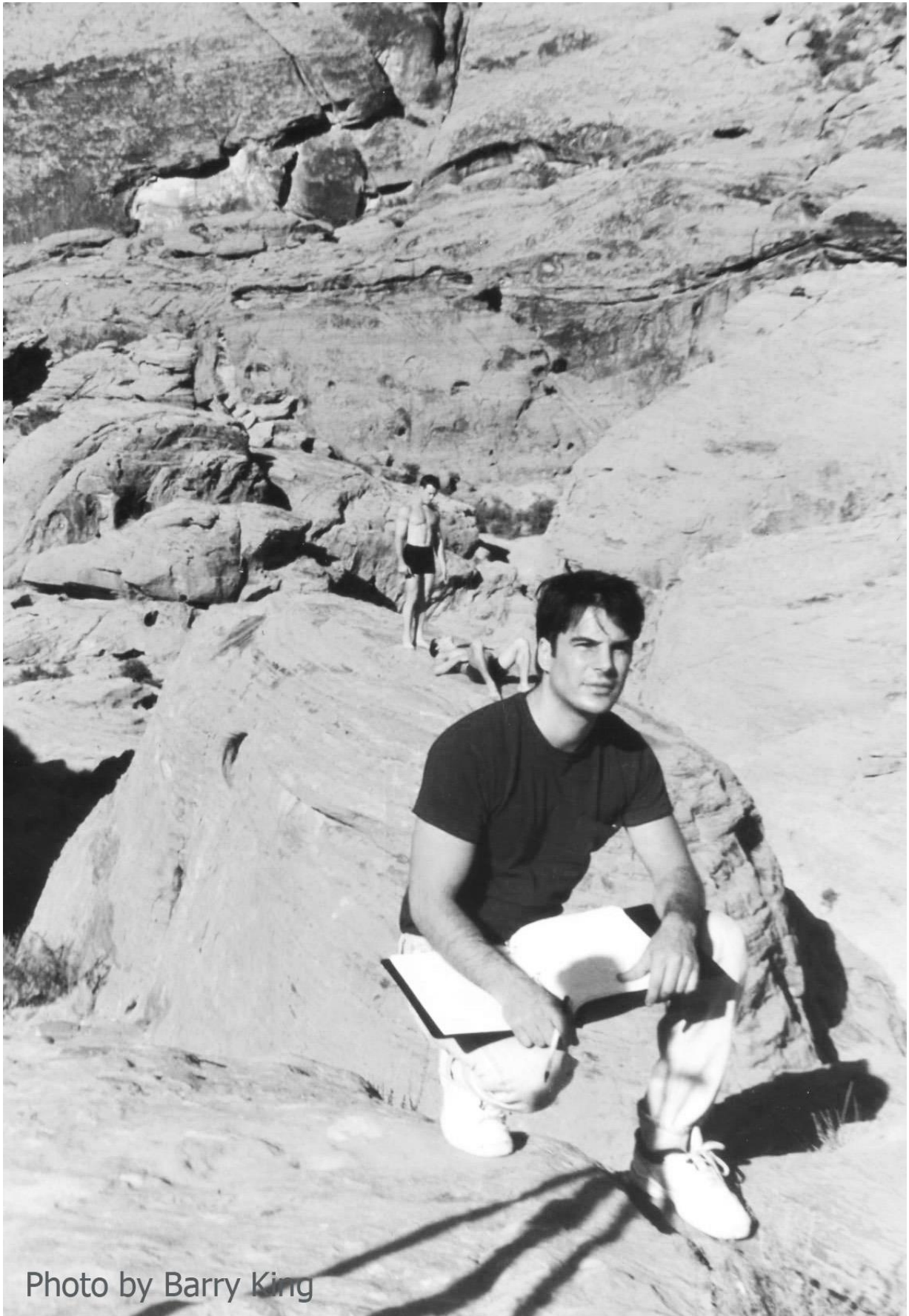
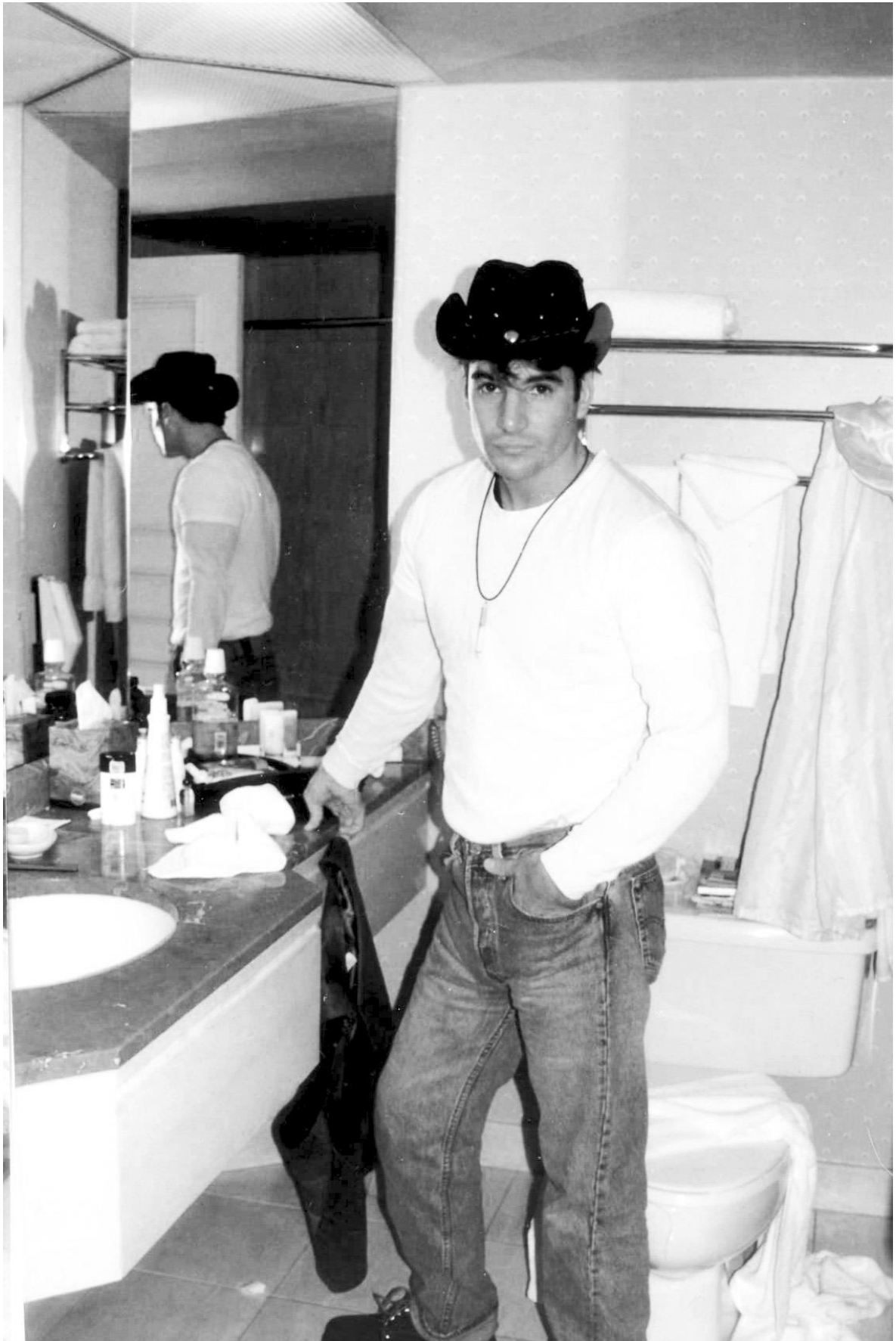


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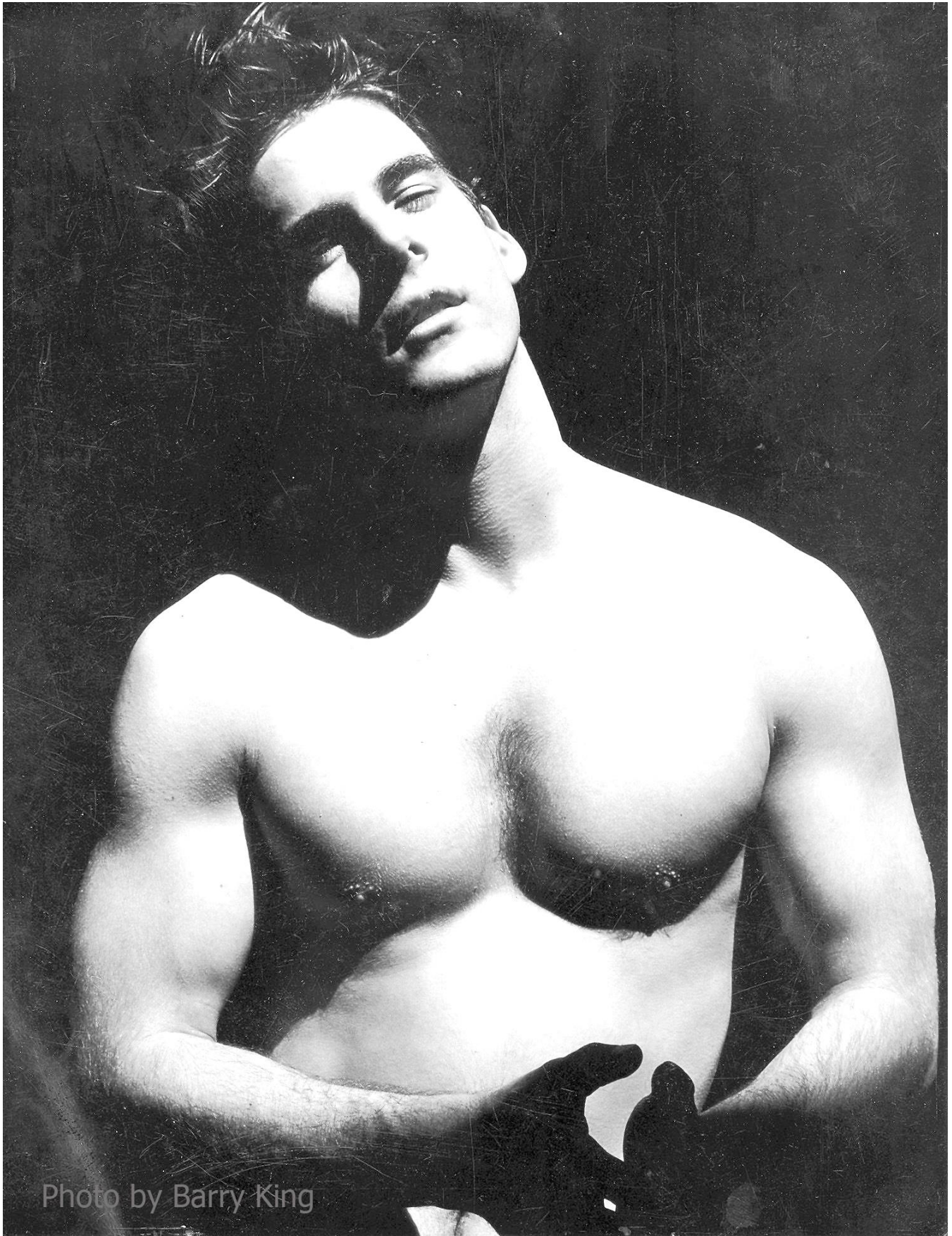
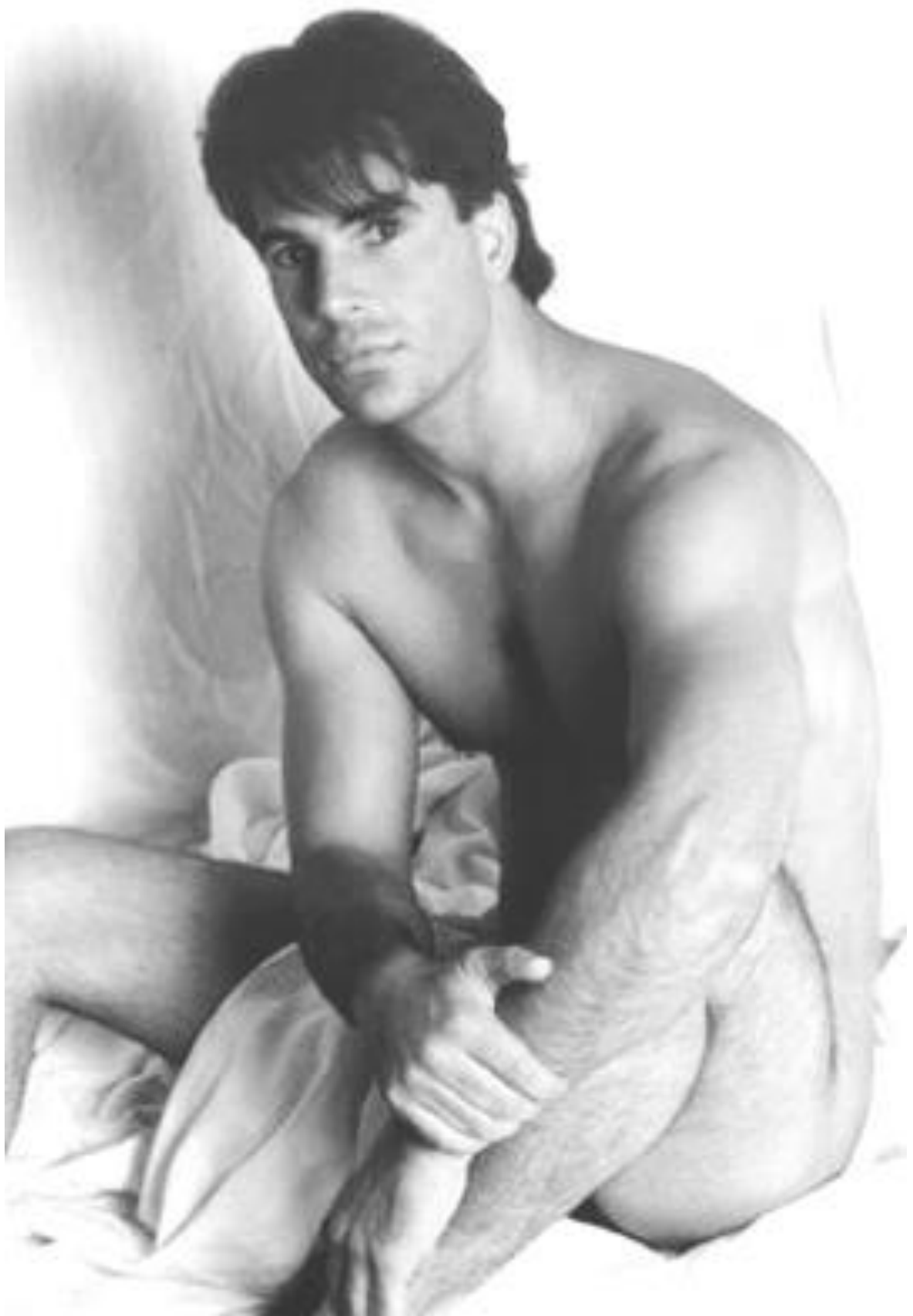
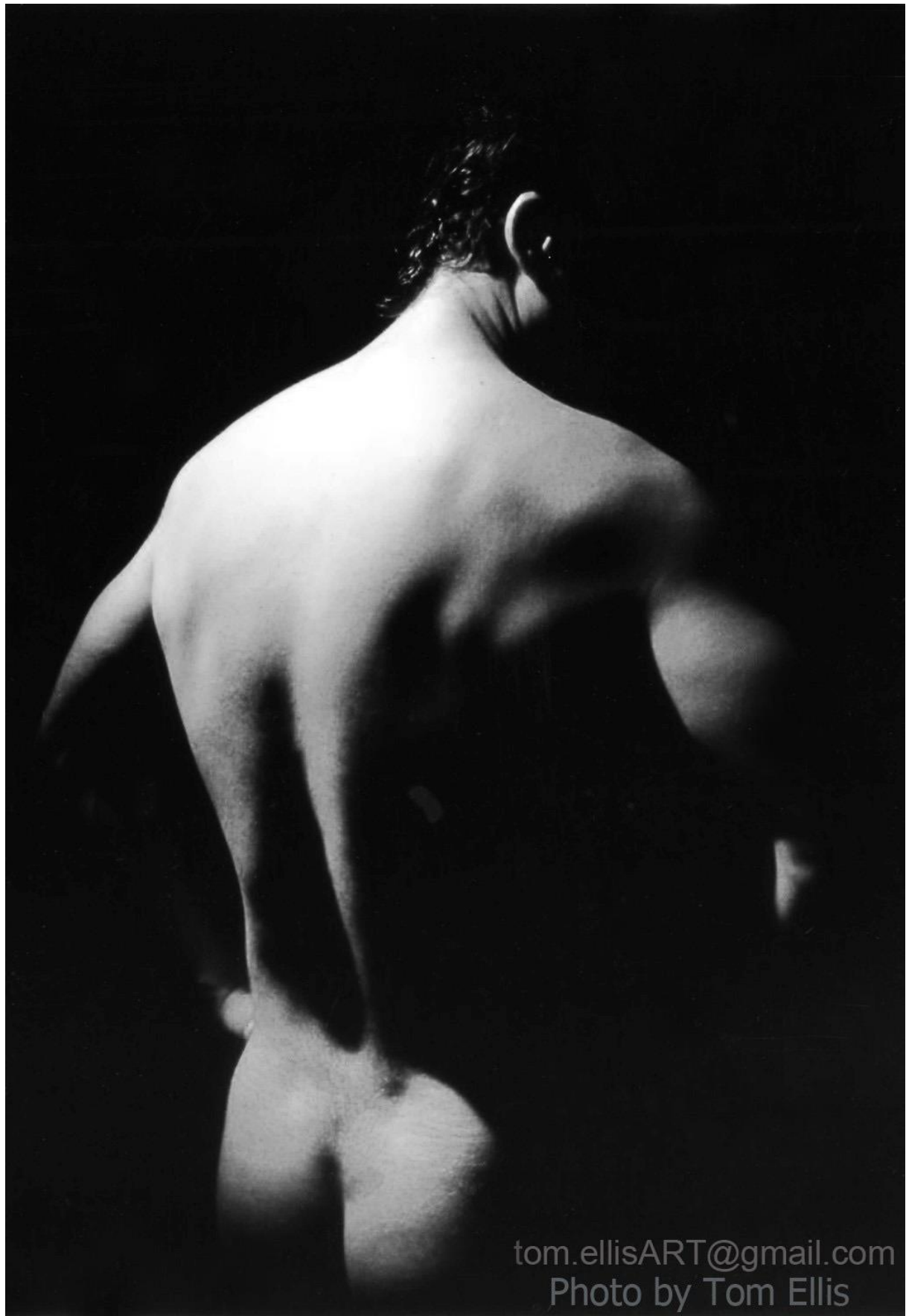


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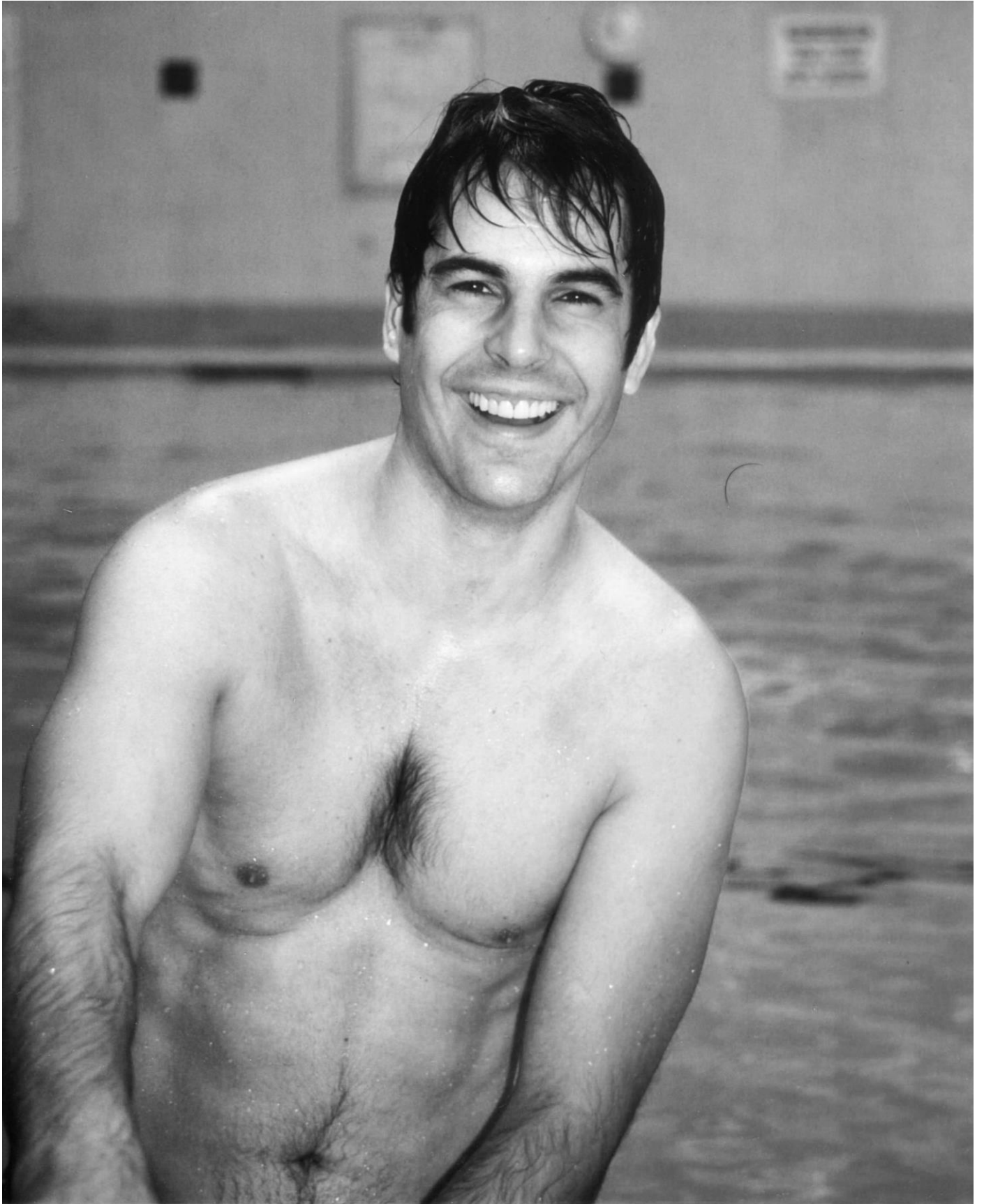


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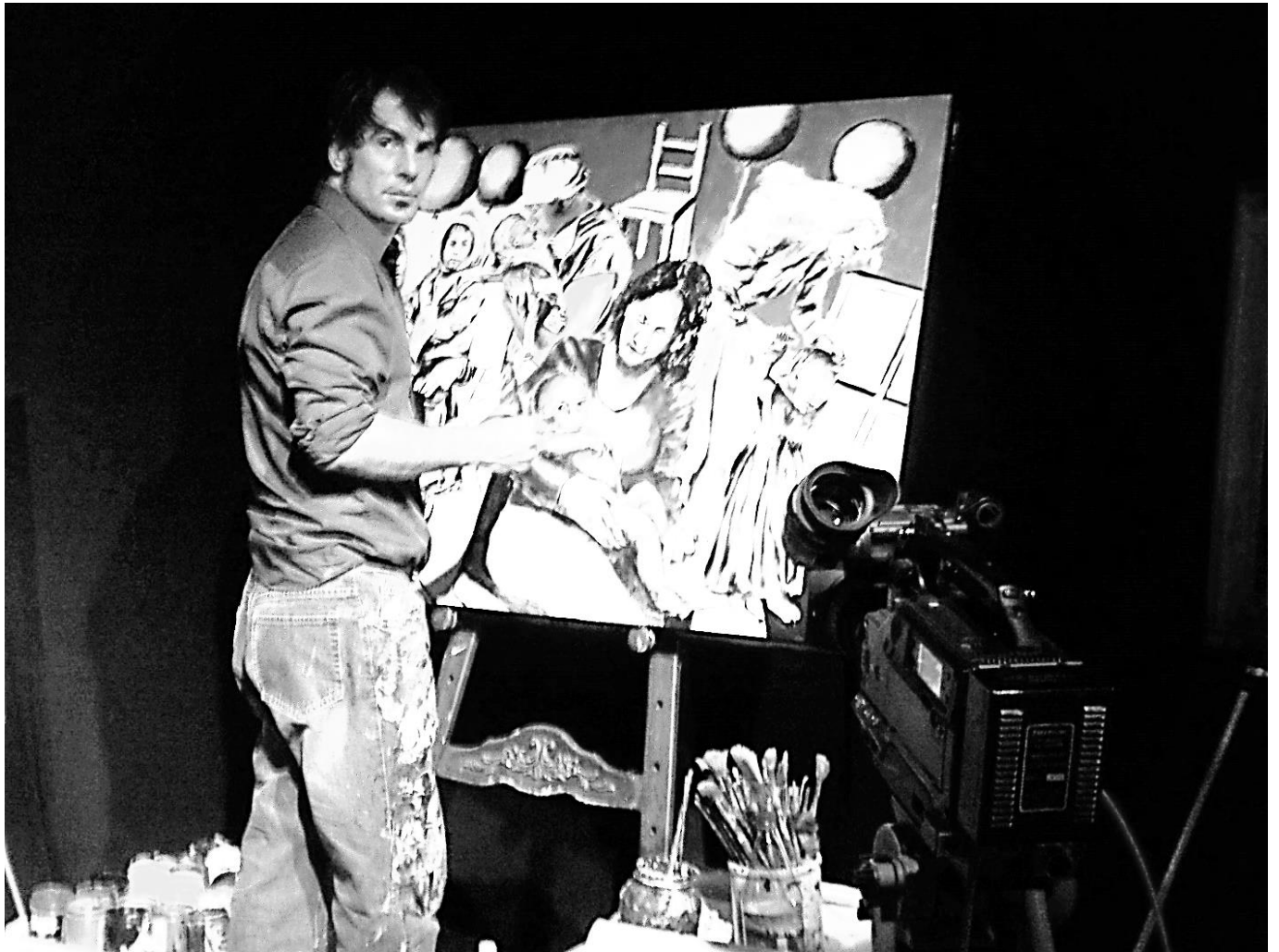




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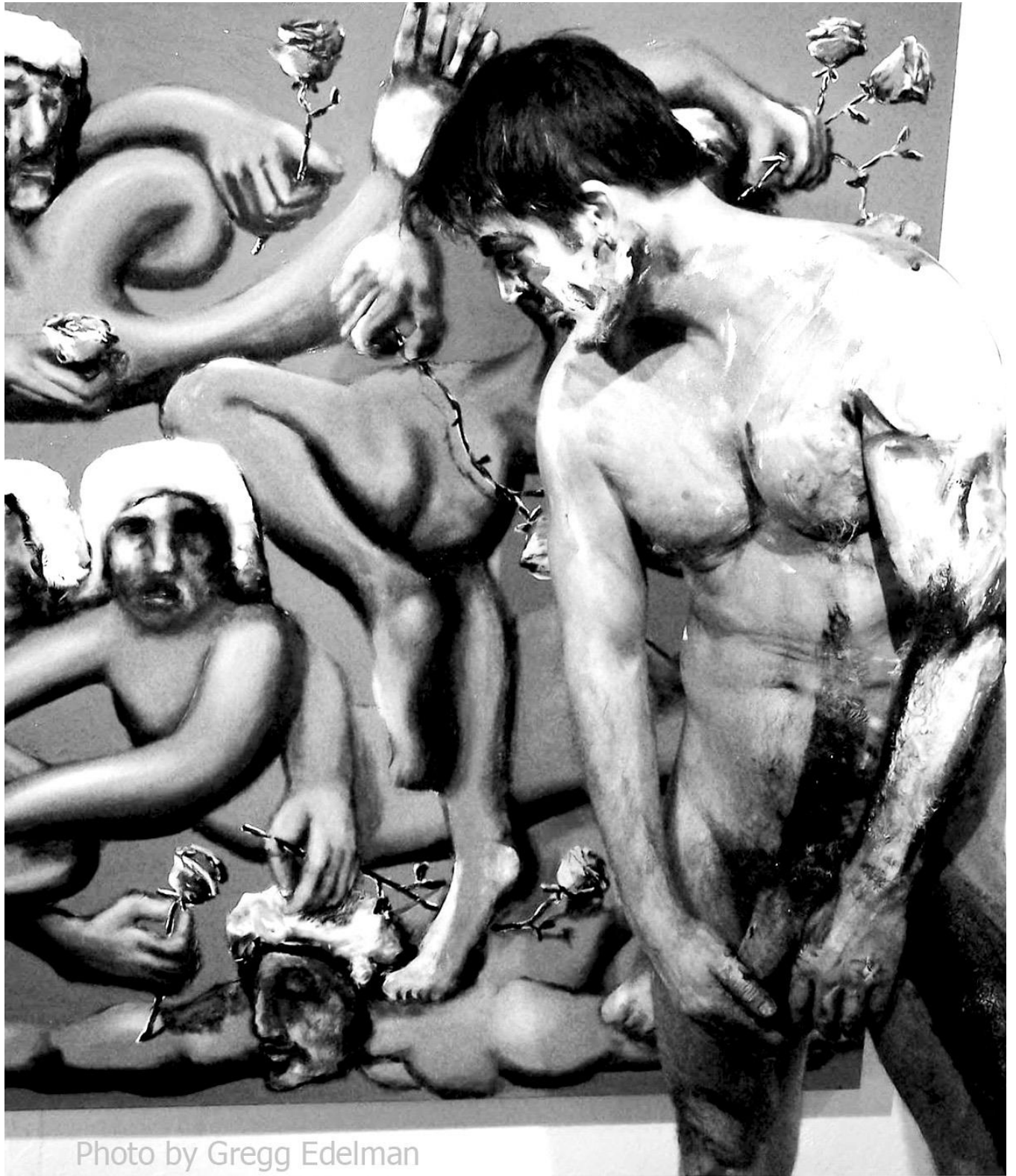
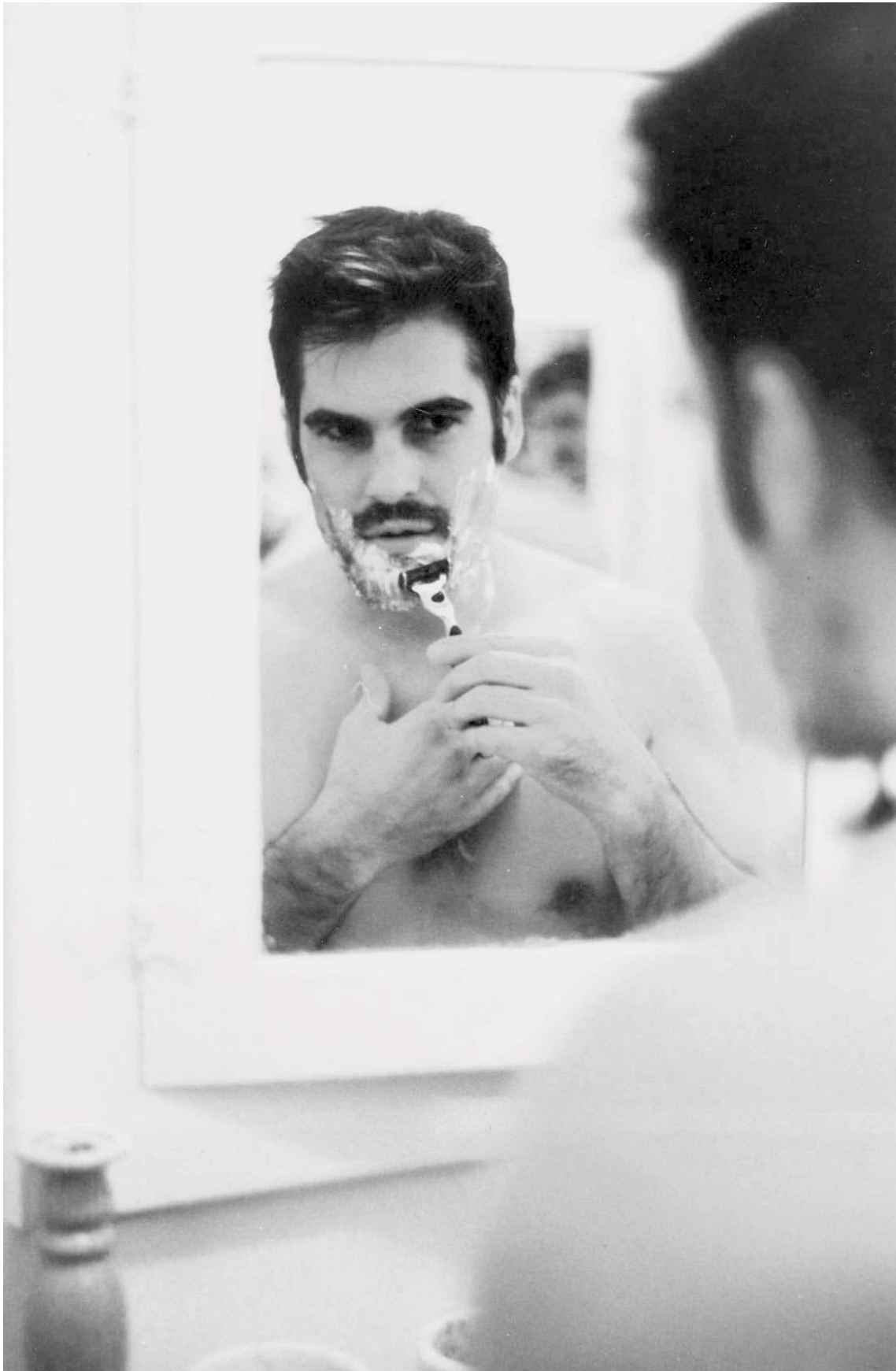
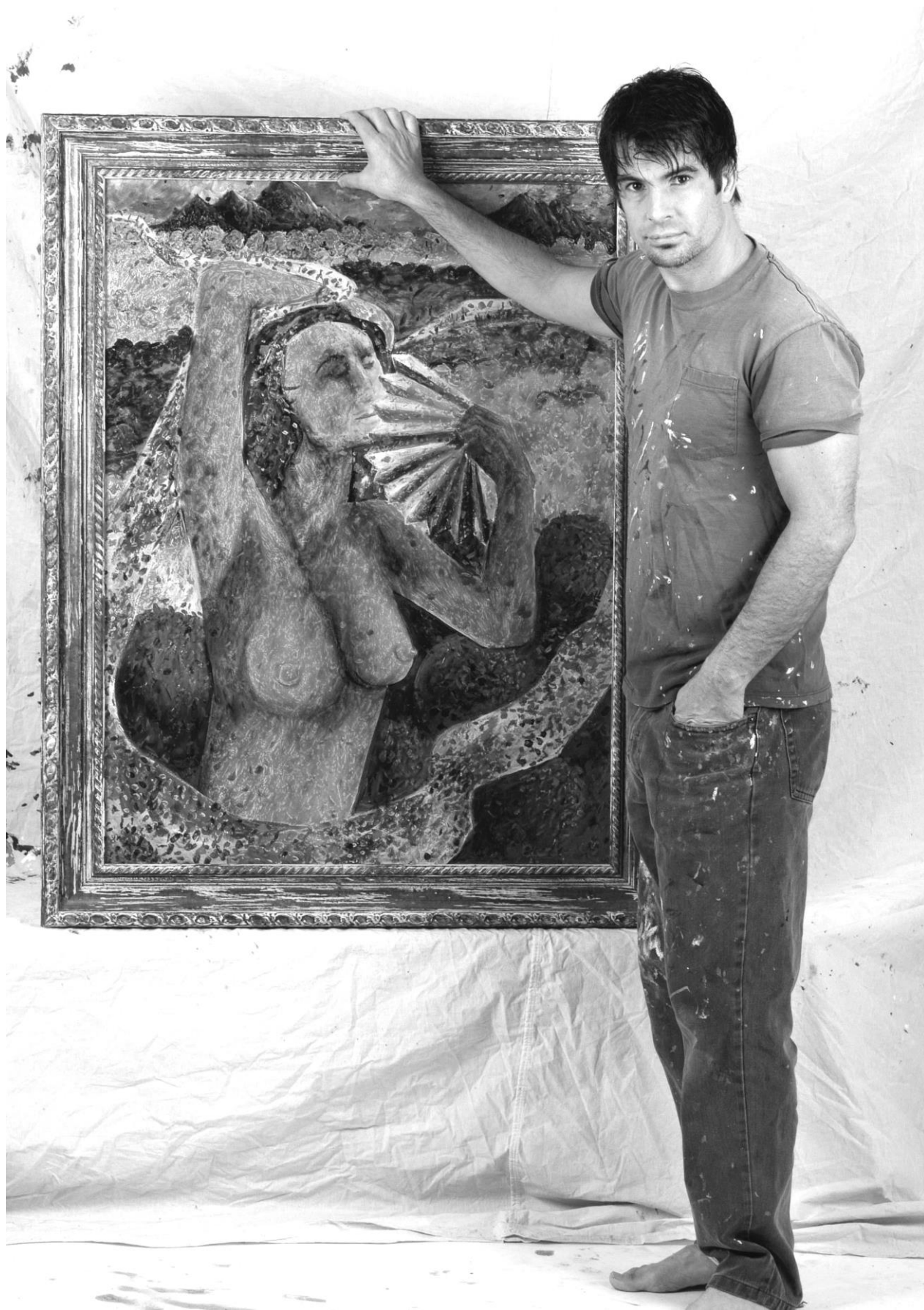


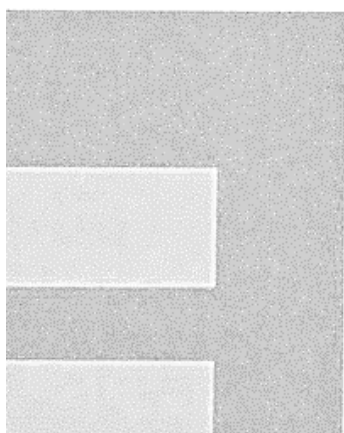
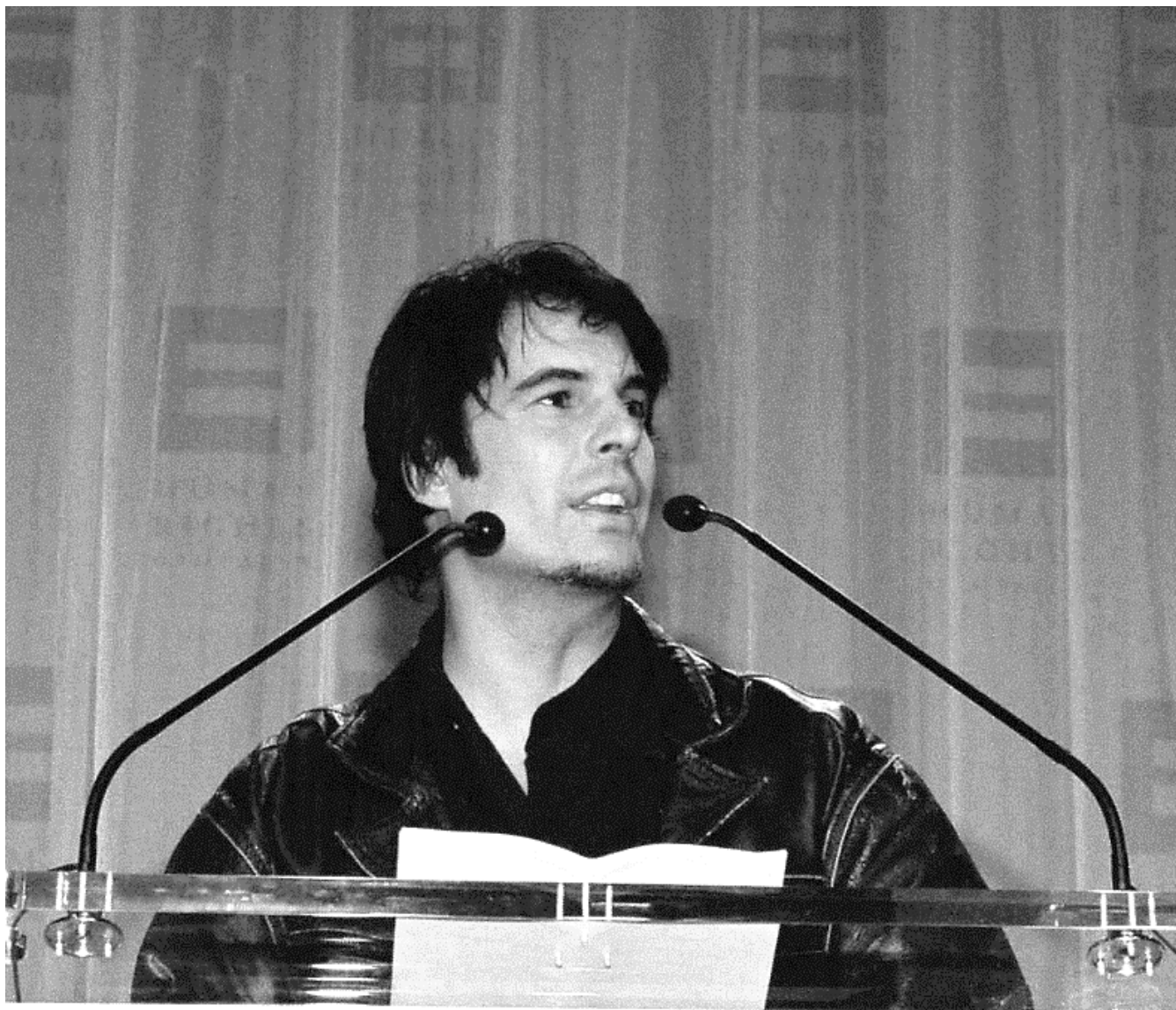
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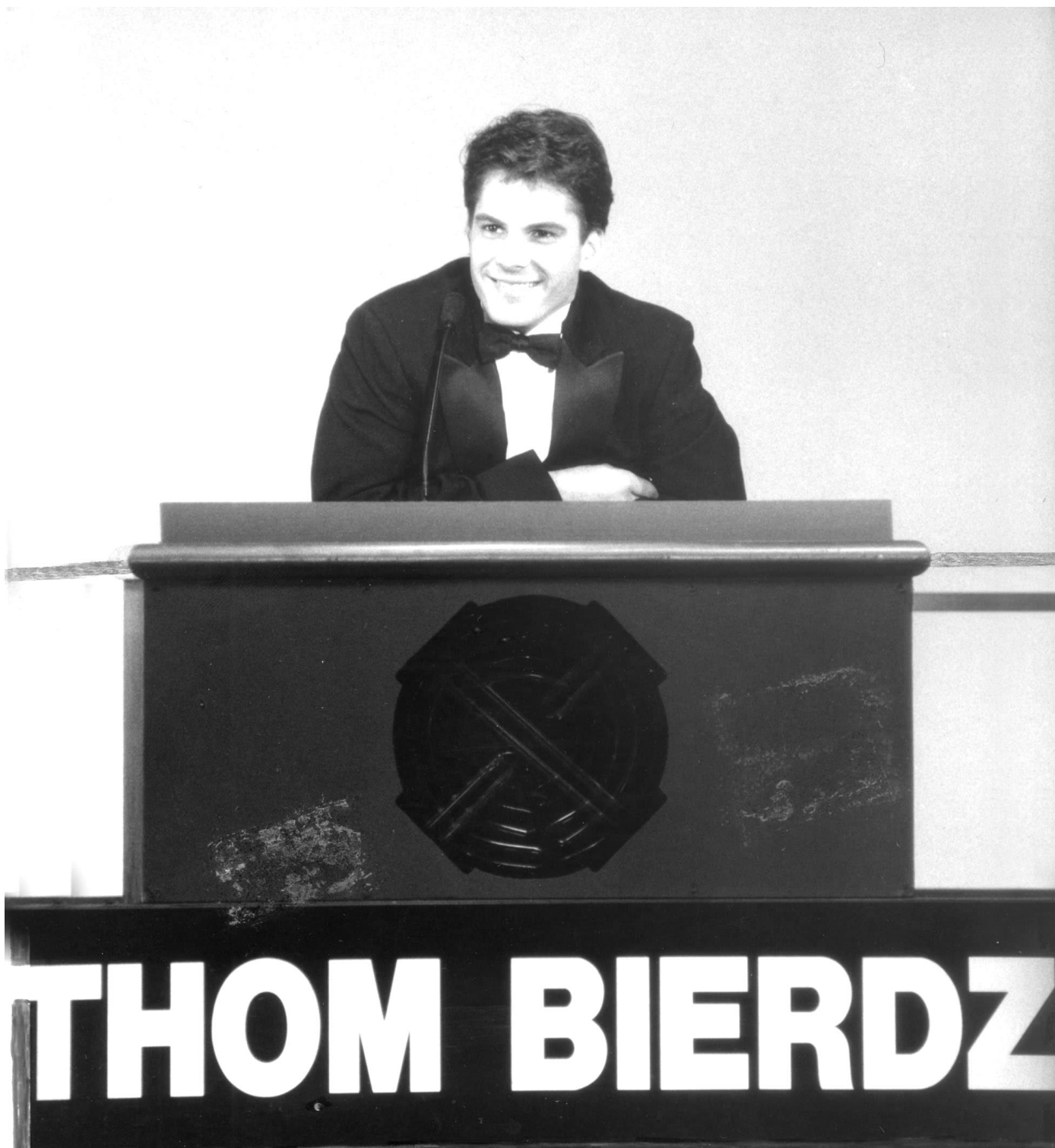


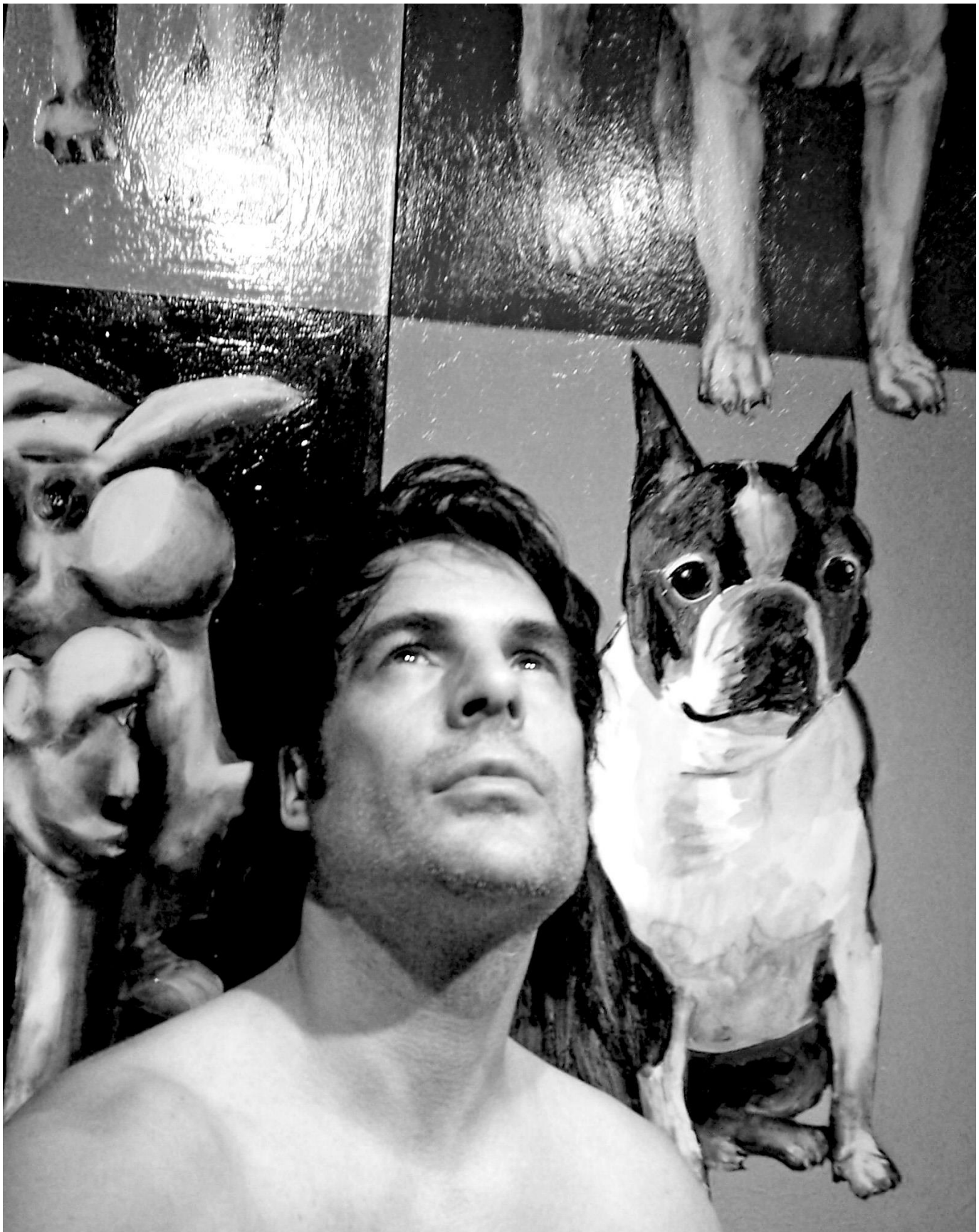


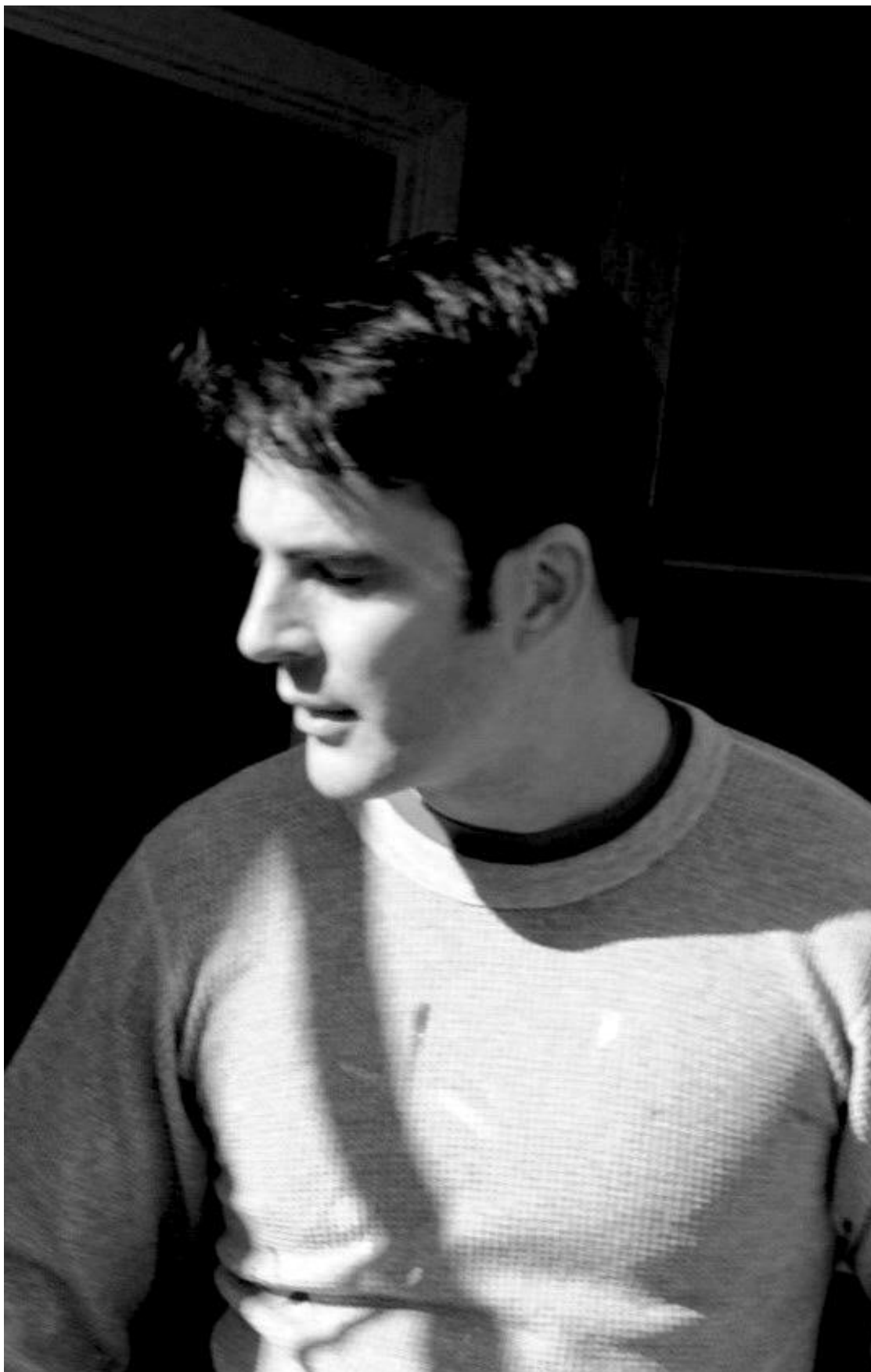




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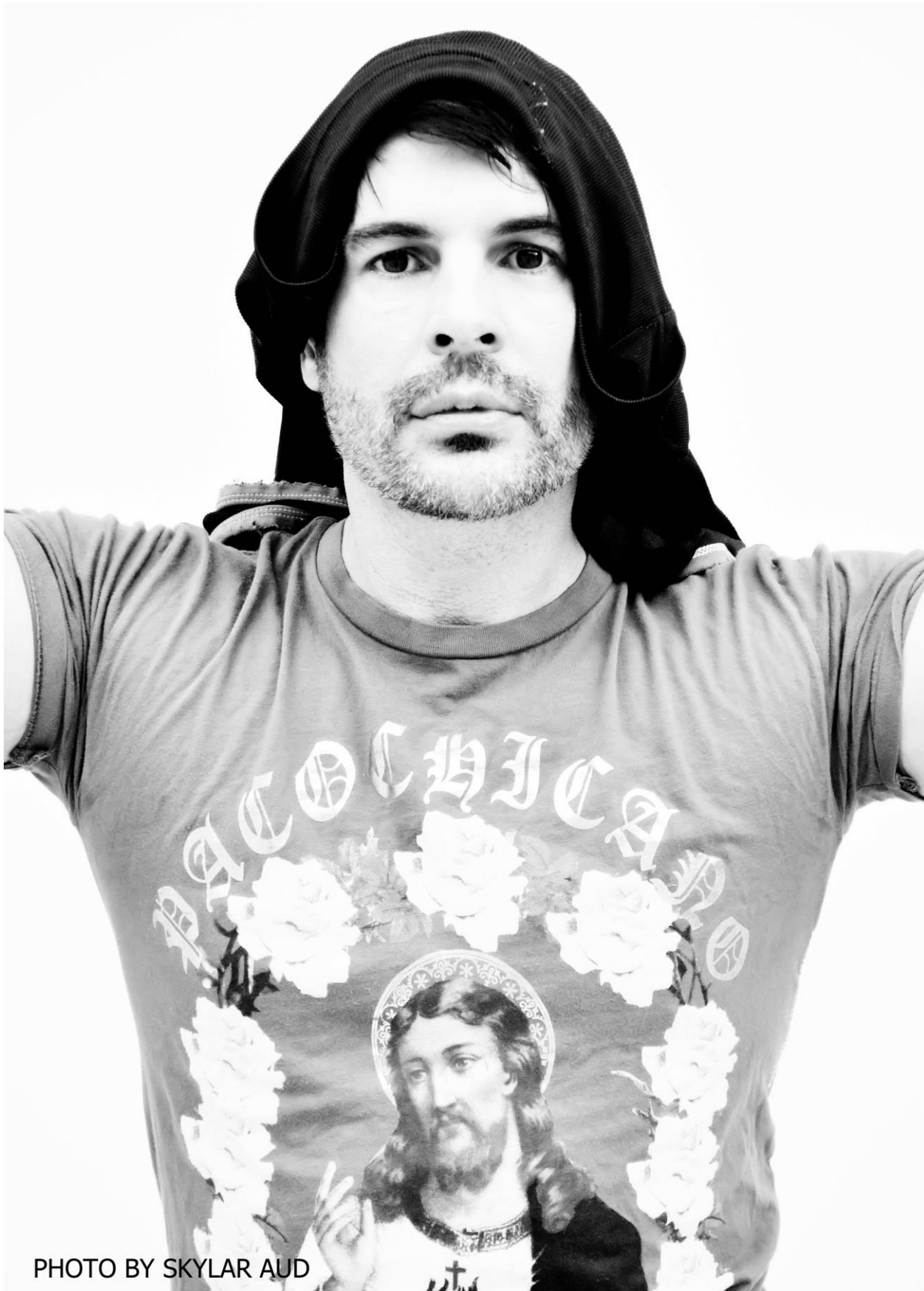


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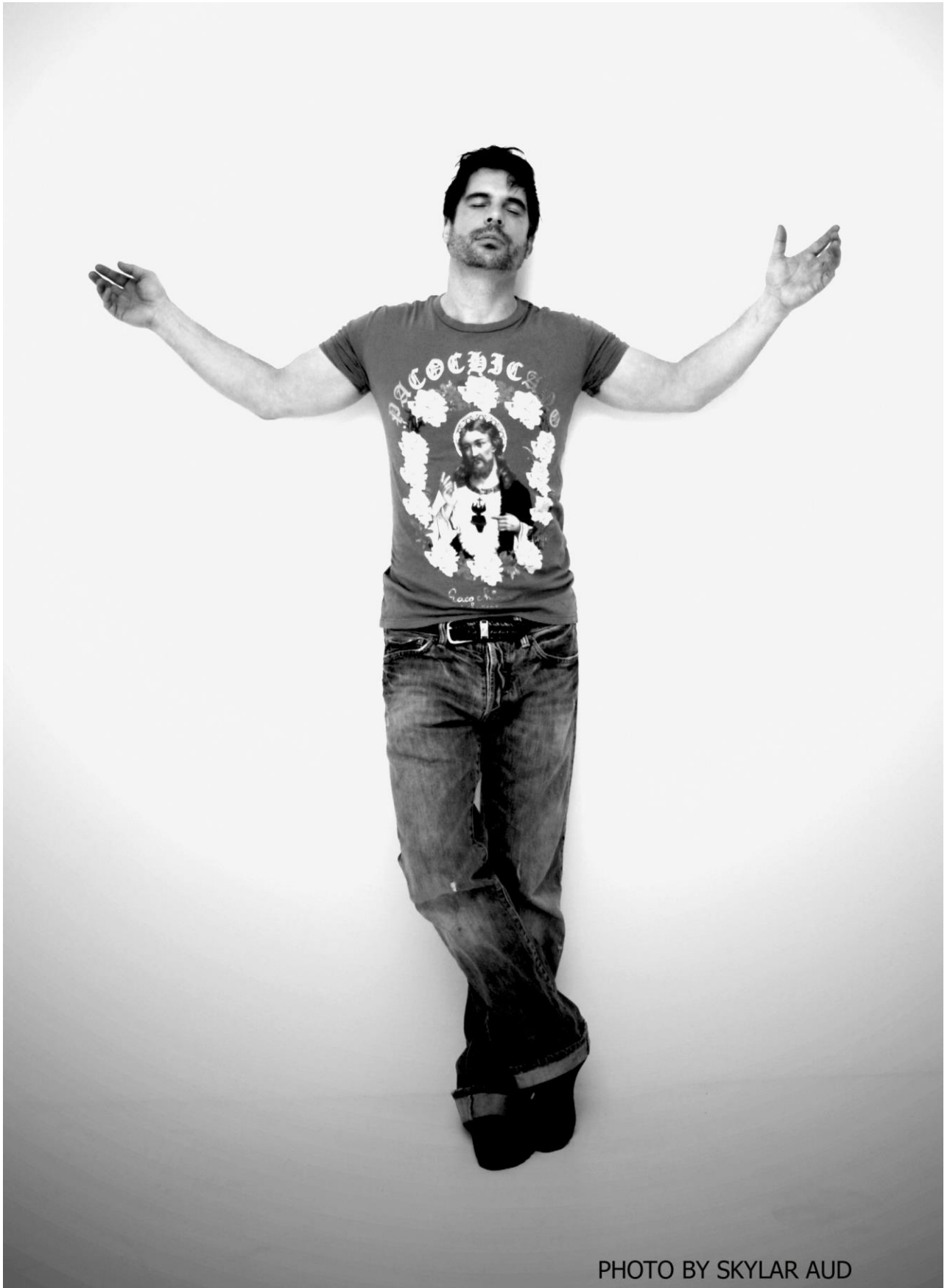
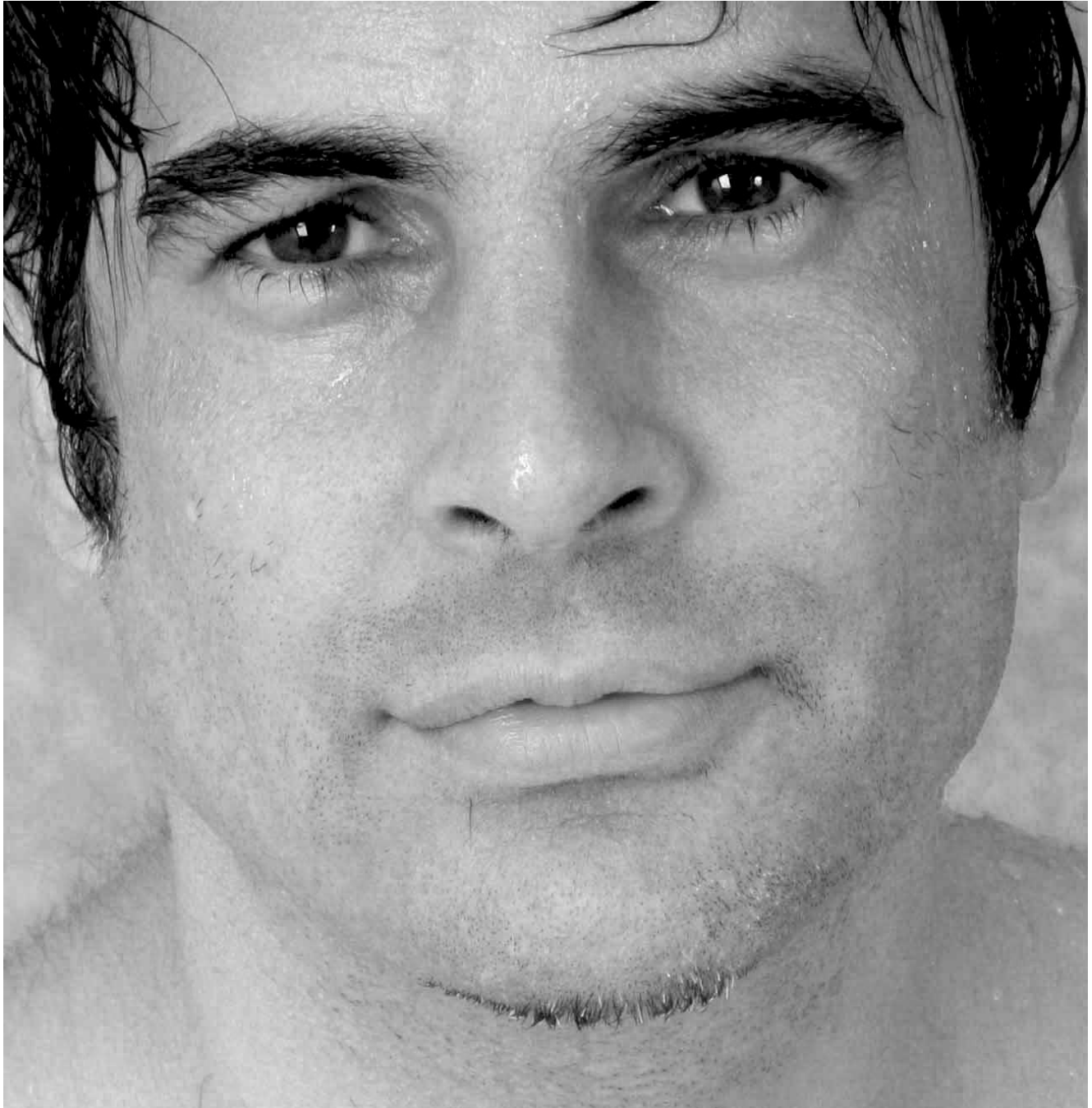
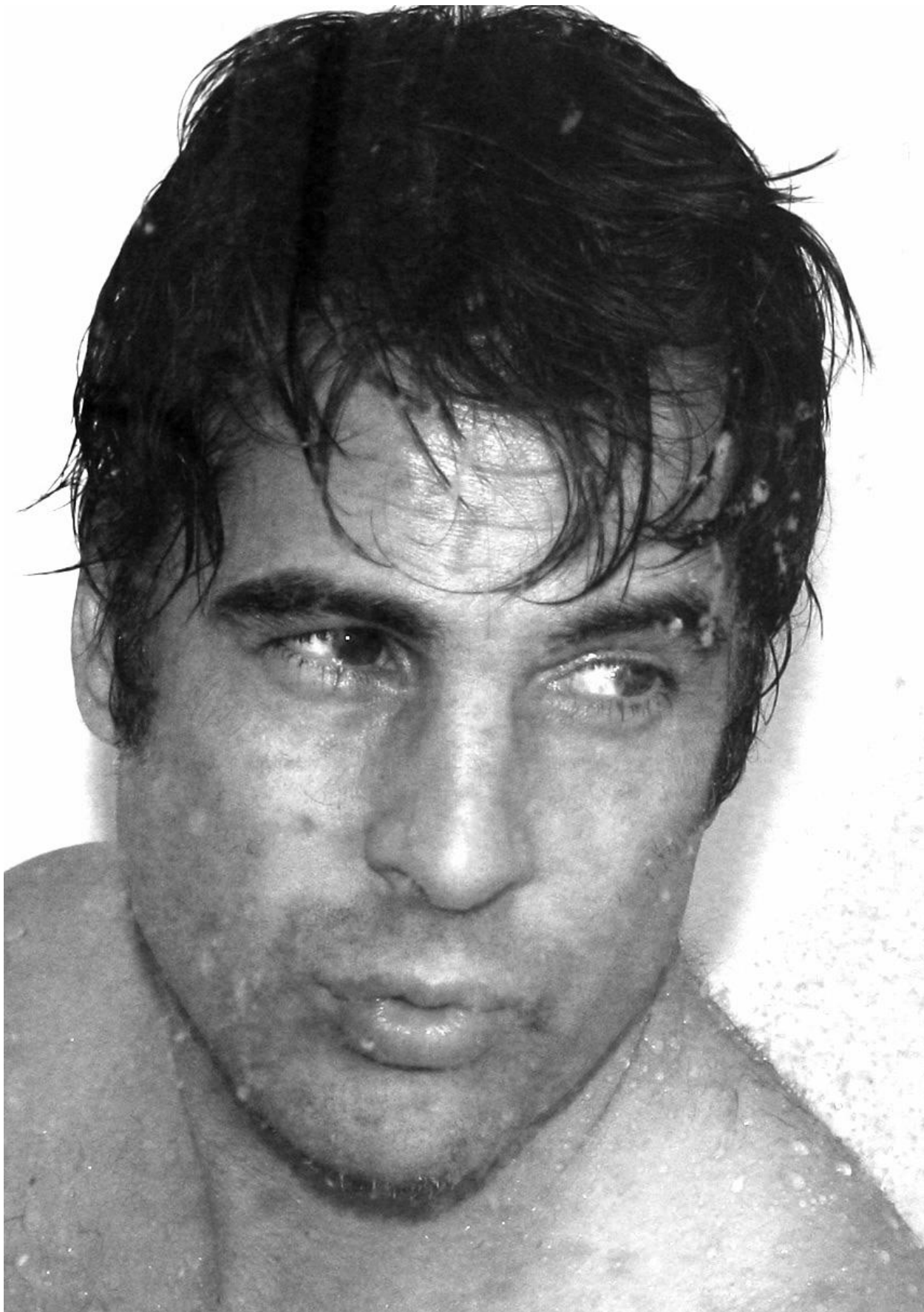


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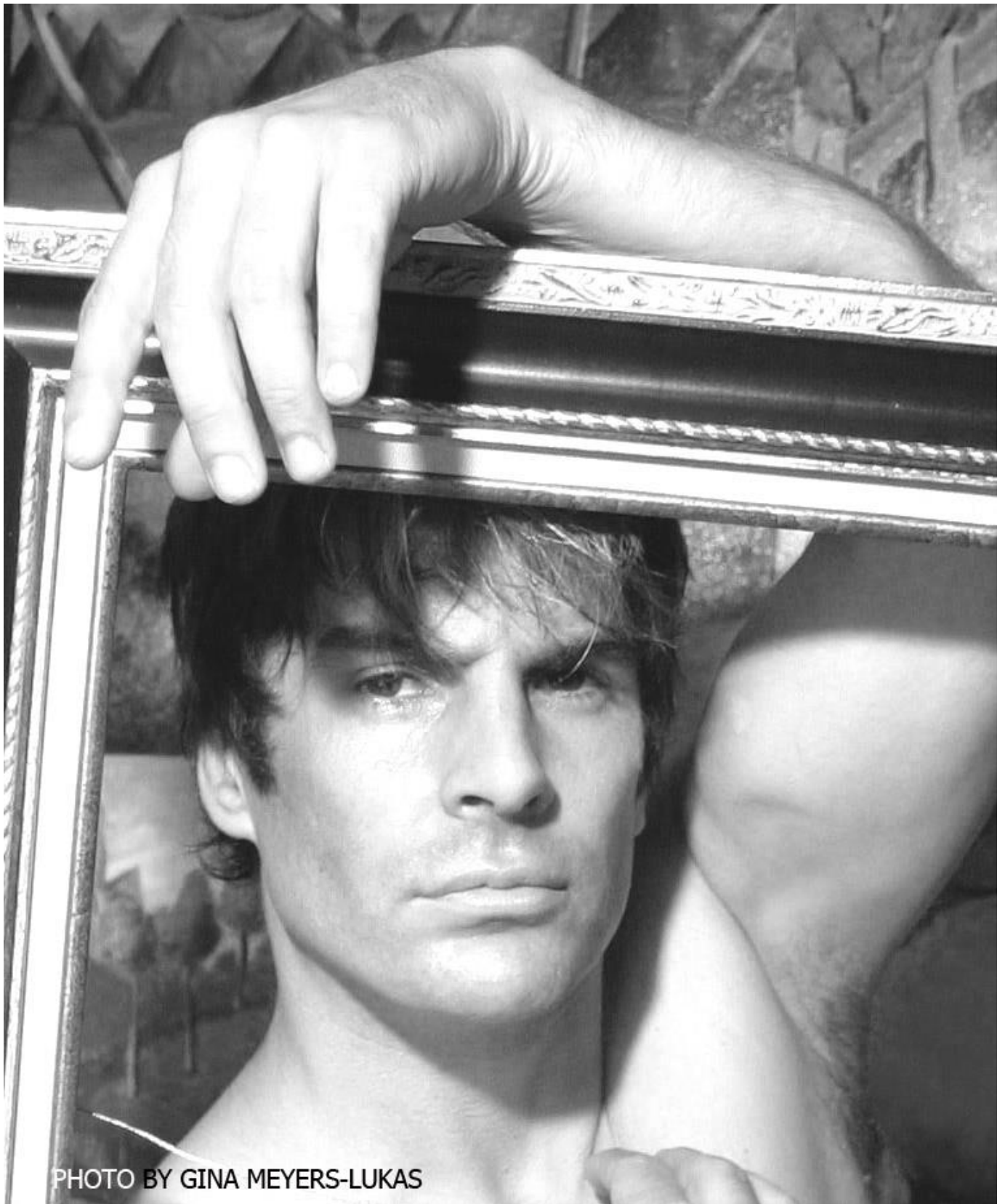


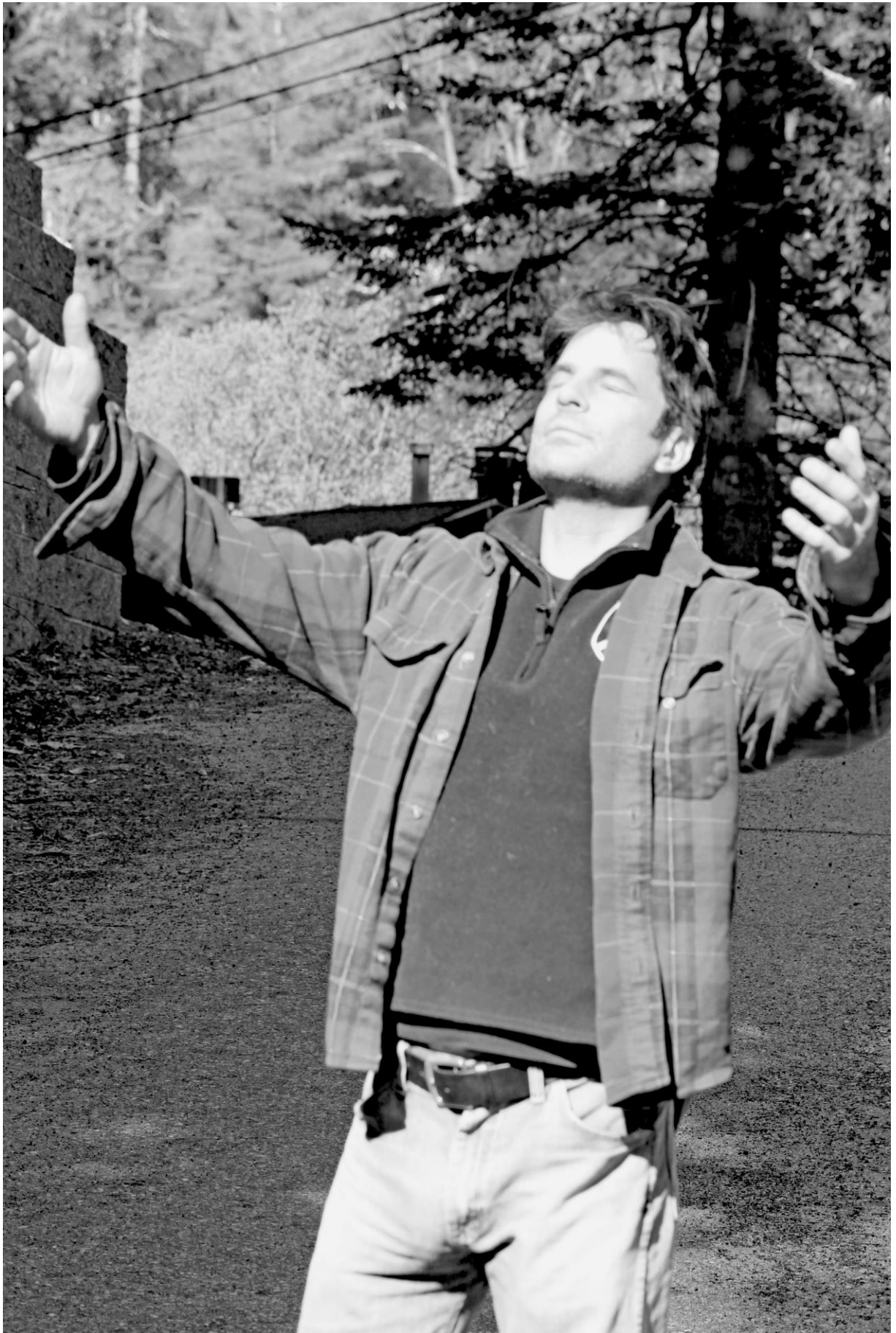
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Lake Arrowhead, California
2012 - 2018

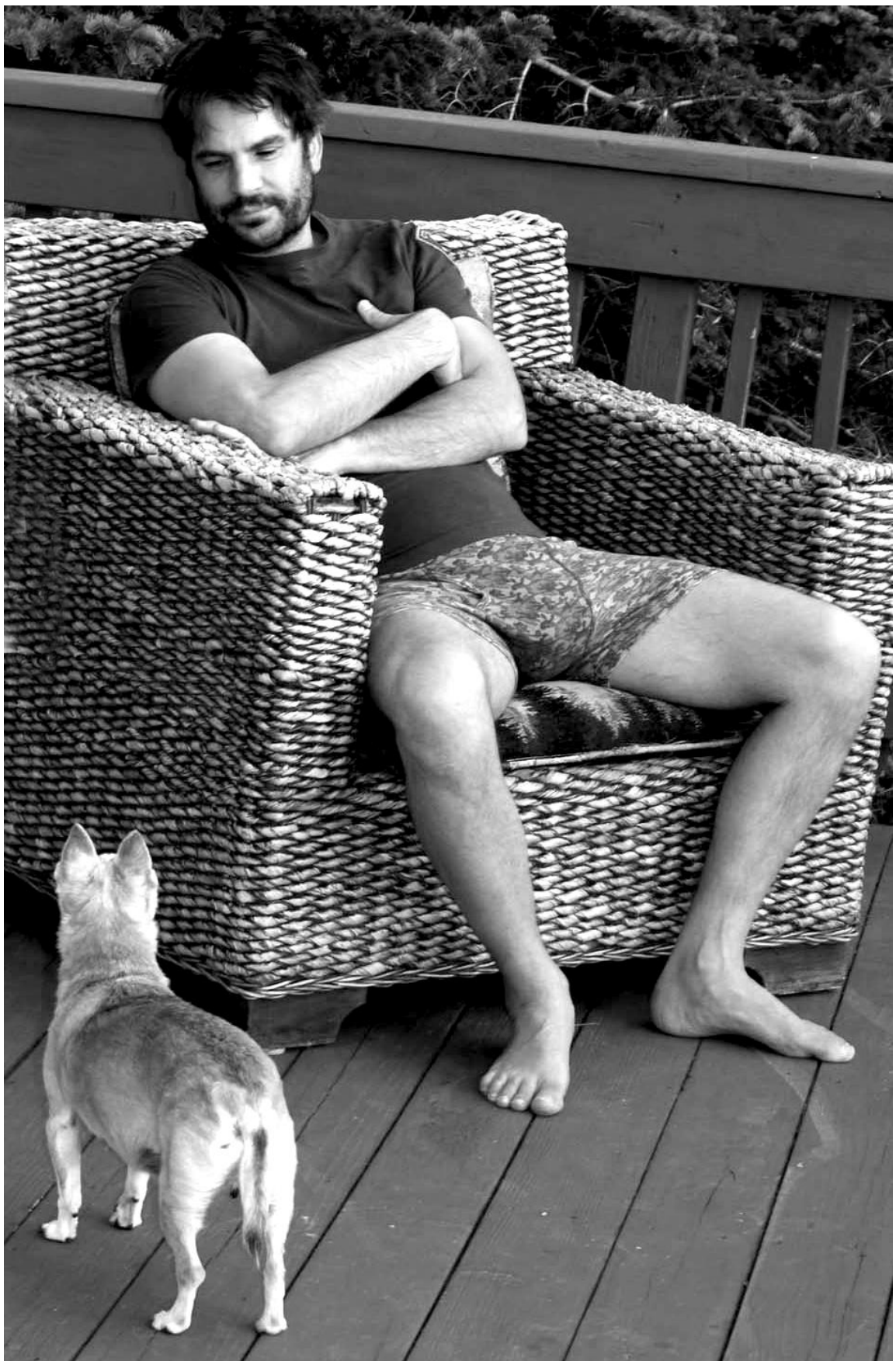
My initial plan had been to become a movie star like Tom Cruise, then buy a great lodge home in the forest. Turns out, I skipped the movie-star part, and found complete bliss in Lake Arrowhead, where I had vacationed over the years with different boyfriends.

This was the opposite of complicated, jumpy Hollywood; perfect wilderness, green in summer, orange in October, white in February, glorious four seasons, silent -- except for birds, feeding squirrels, walking my dogs by streams. I became vegan, no longer had allergies or asthma, and turned away from mainstream media to alternative YouTube documentaries on consciousness and nutrition. Played on Facebook, painted commissioned portraits full time; at my leisure. Romanced an Air Force Sergeant for a few years, shaved my head, mourned the loss of my beloved aged Chihuahua and got two more rescue dogs as my new kids, experimented with psychic readings, psycho-analyzed my life to churn out *Young, Gay & Restless: My SCANDALOUS On-Screen & Off-Screen Sexual Liberations*.

After seven years, I still gasp at this rental home and surrounding postcard views and chuckle each day: "Oh my god I can't believe I live here!"







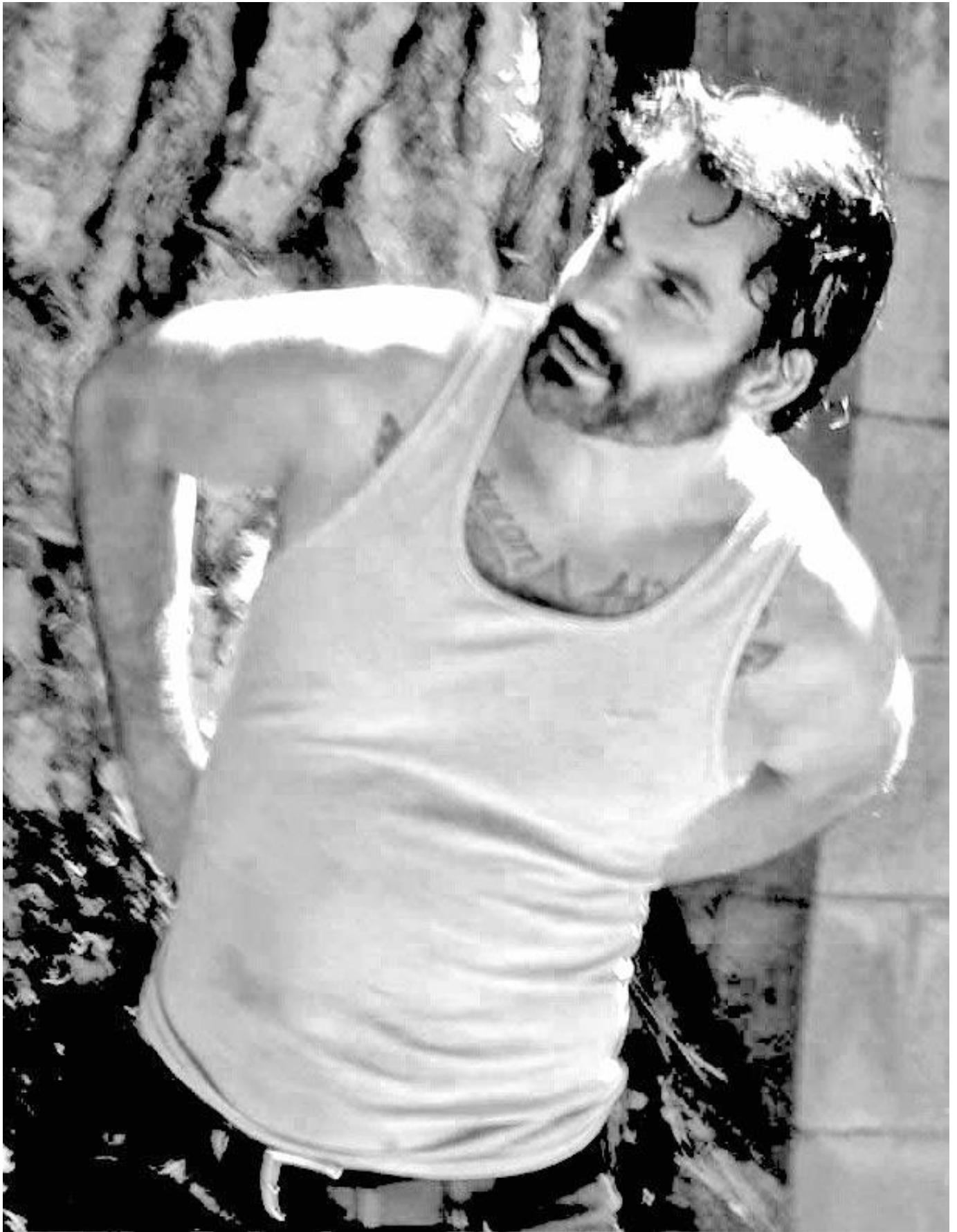






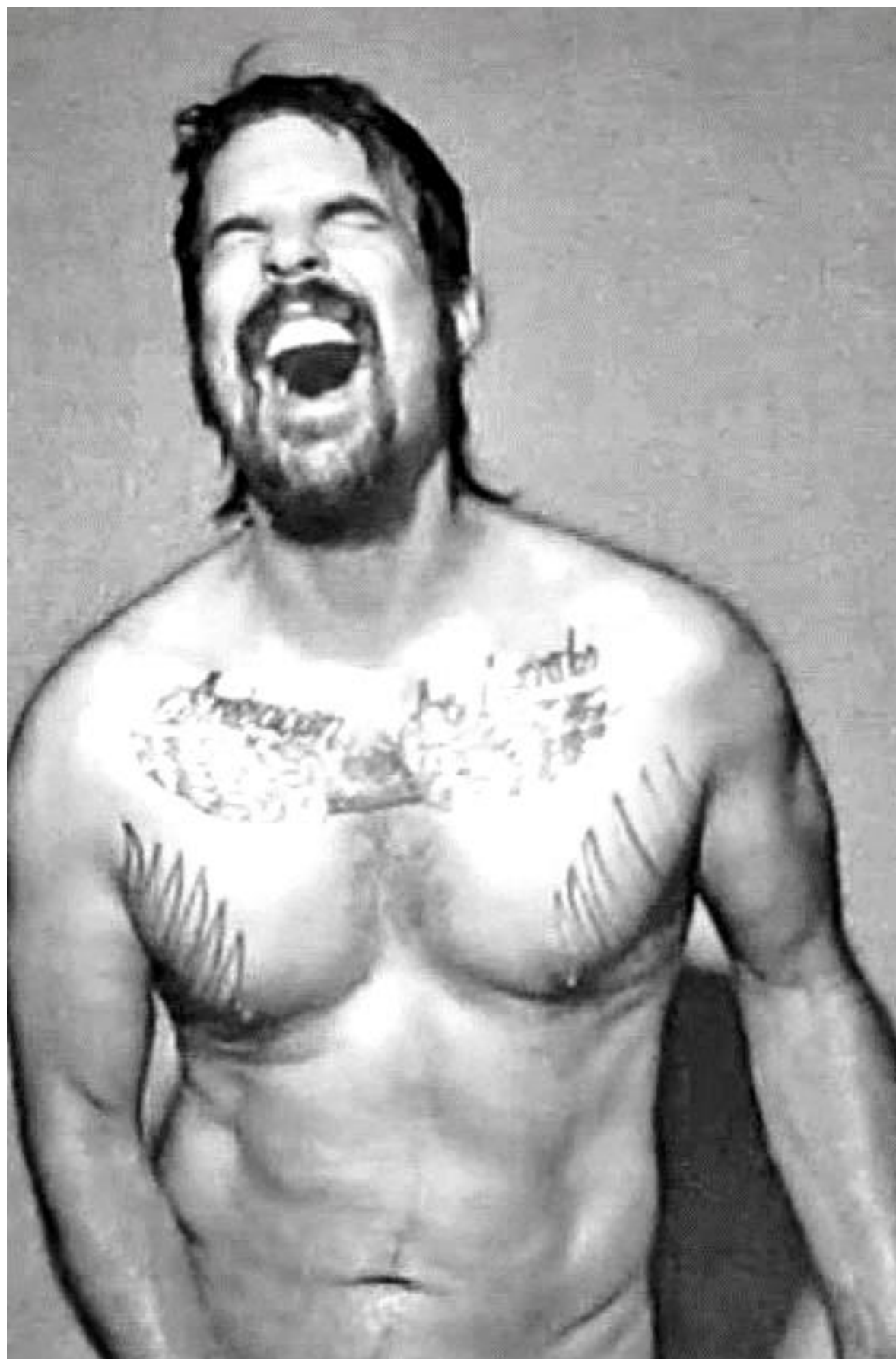


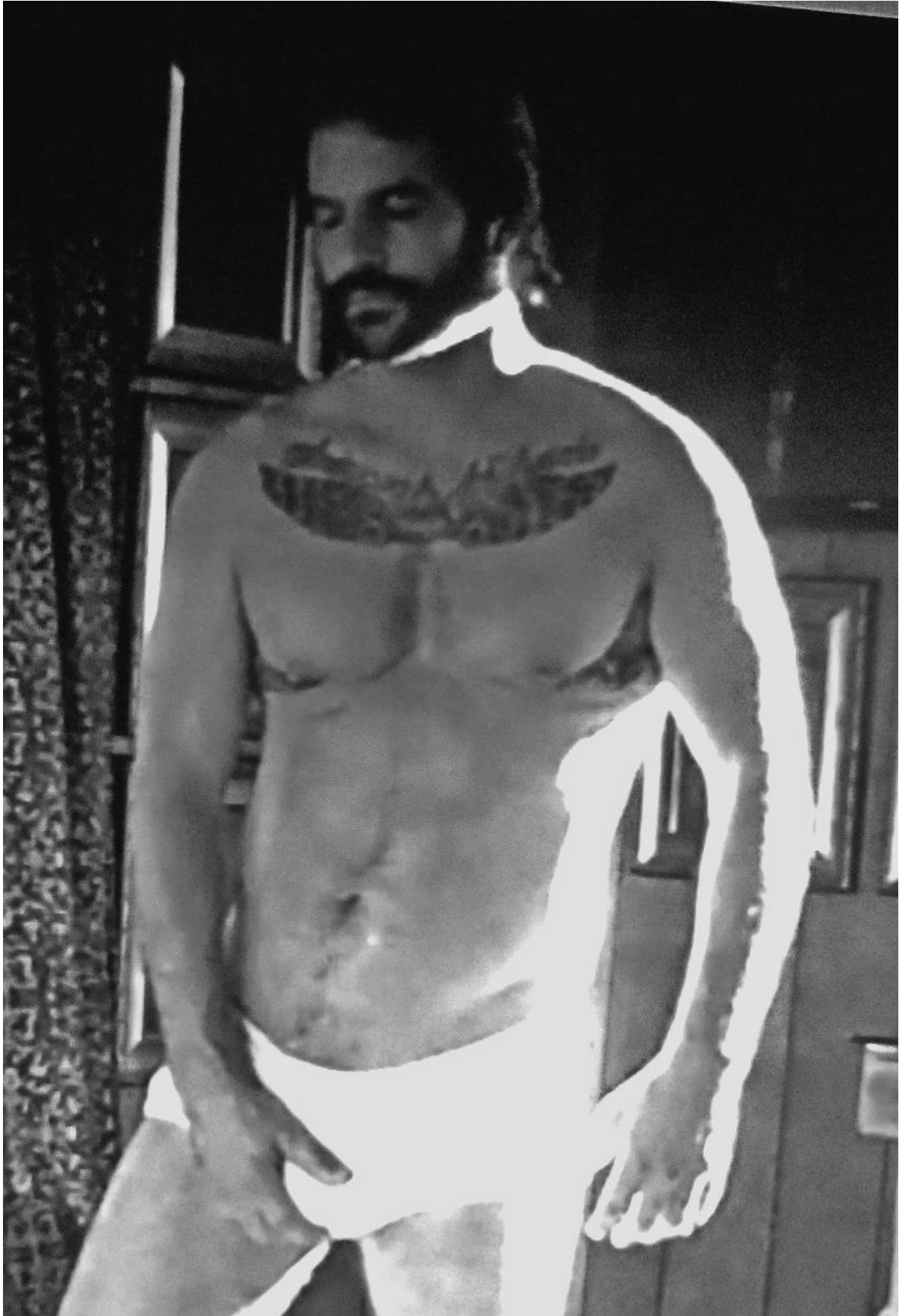




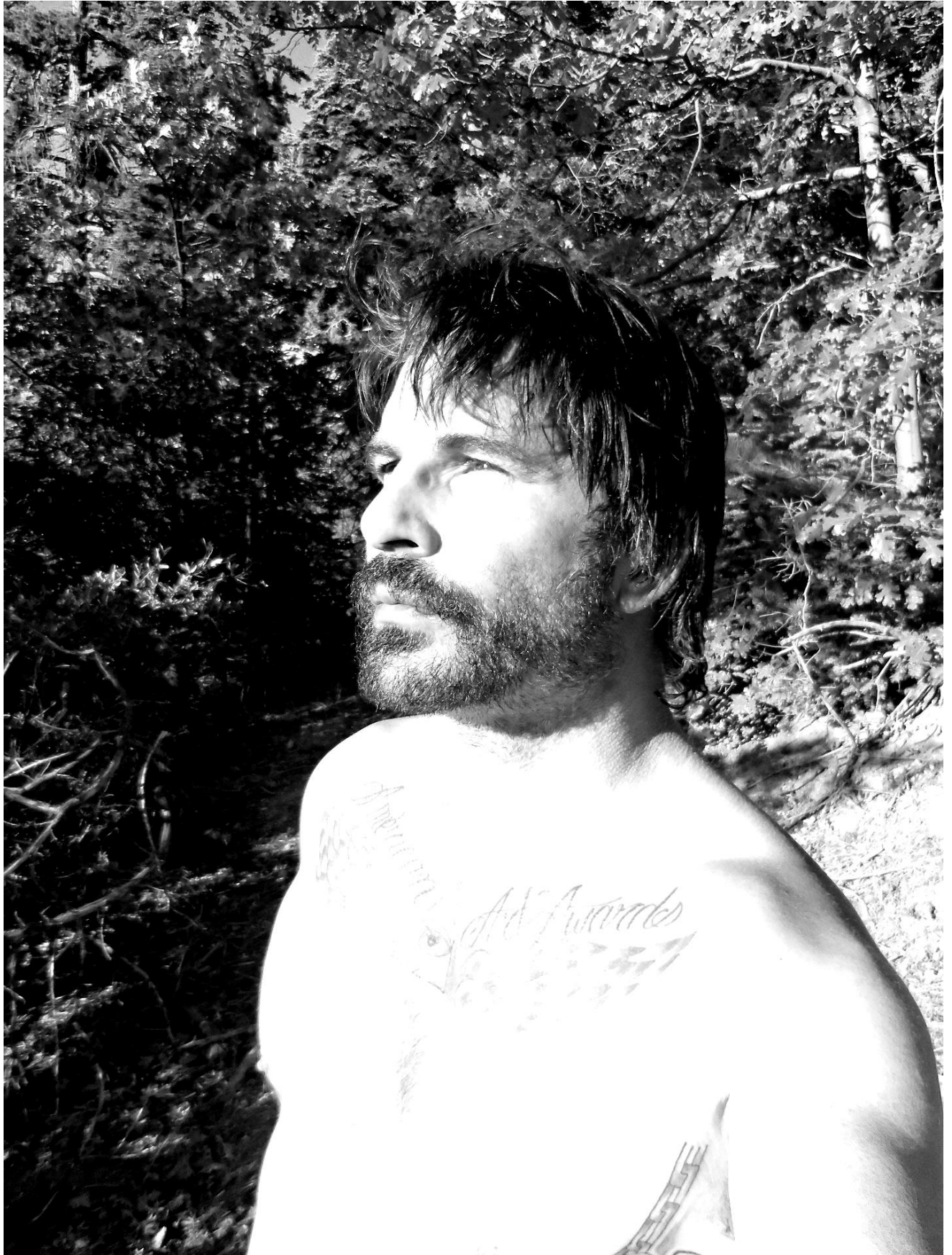


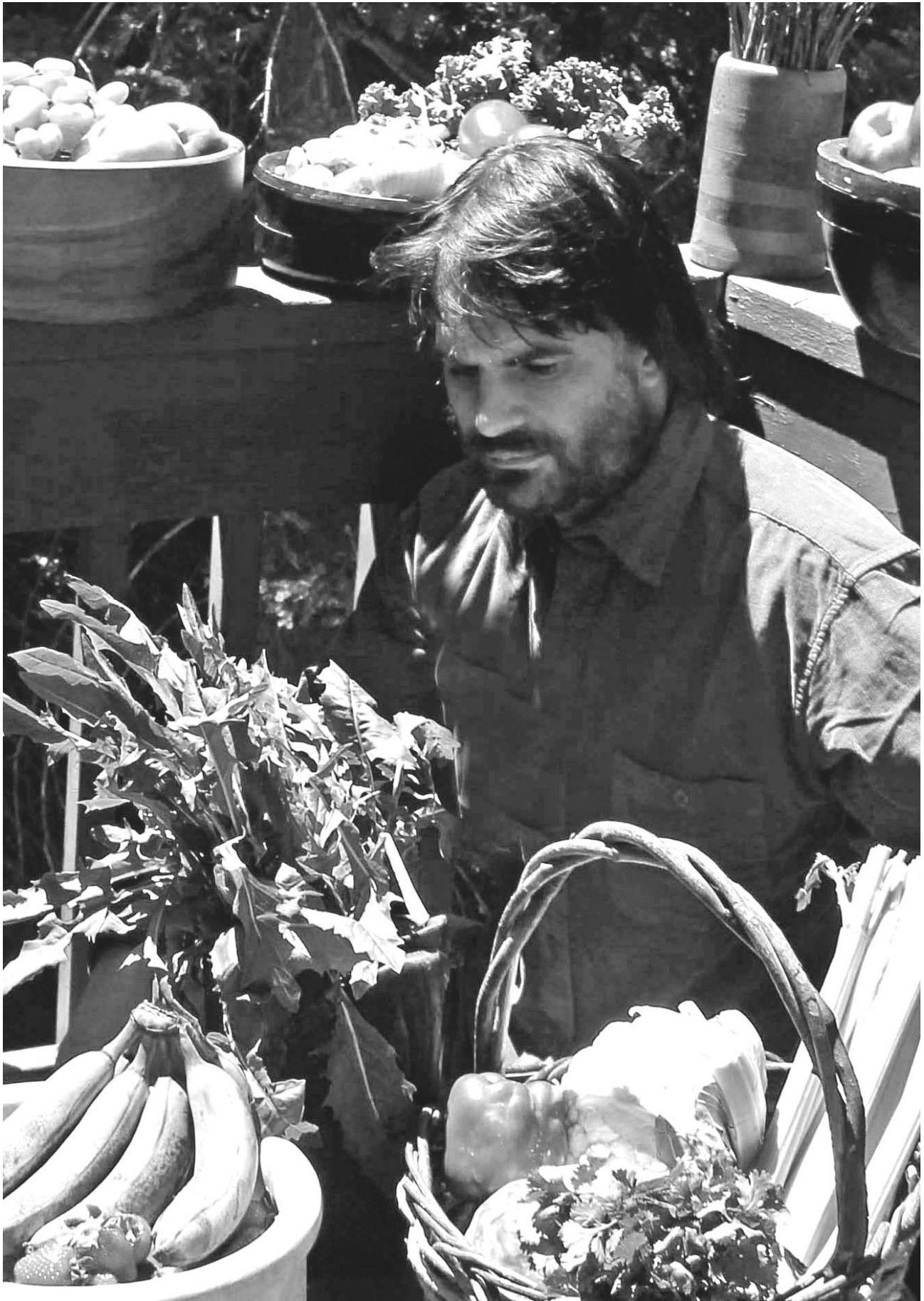






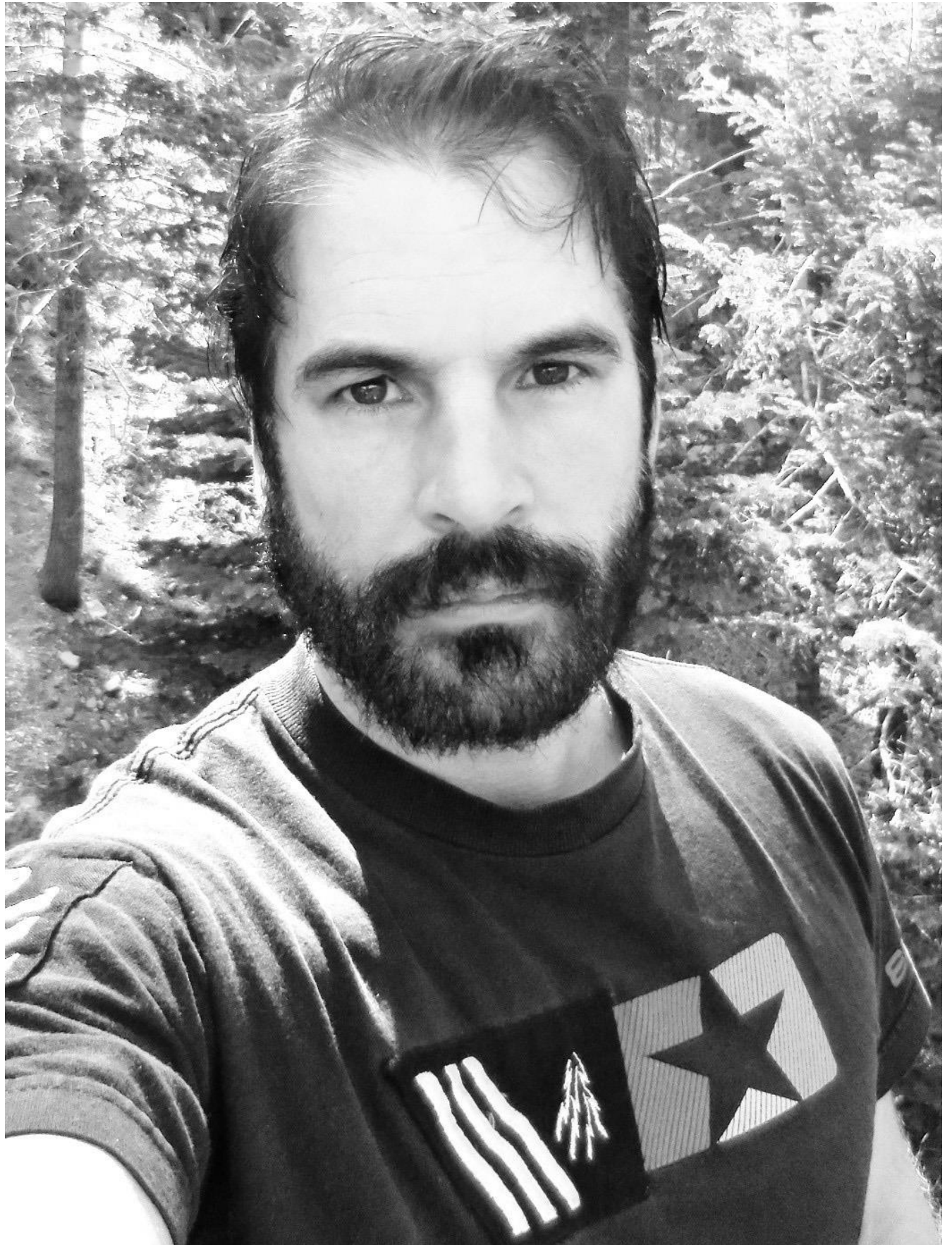










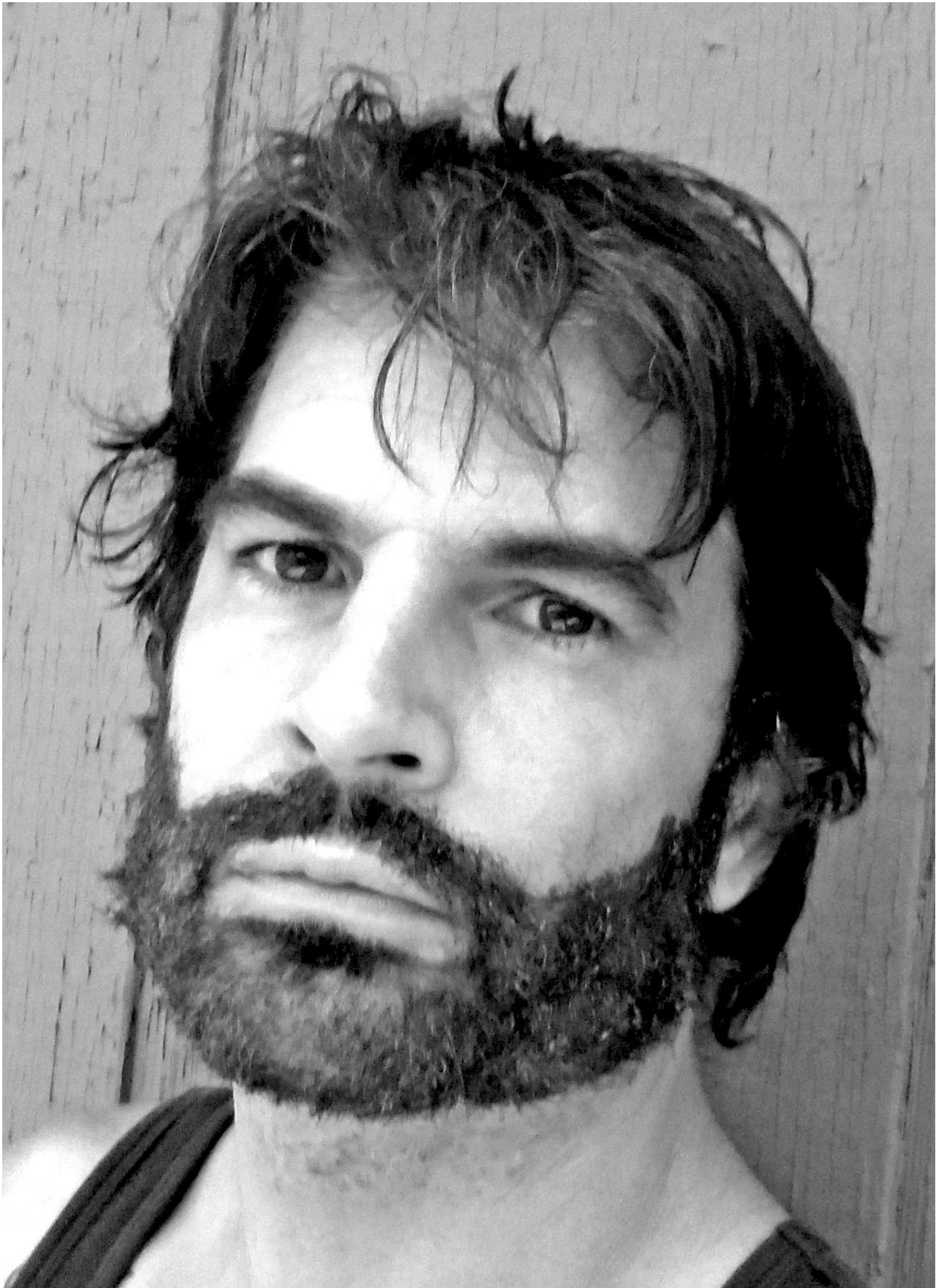






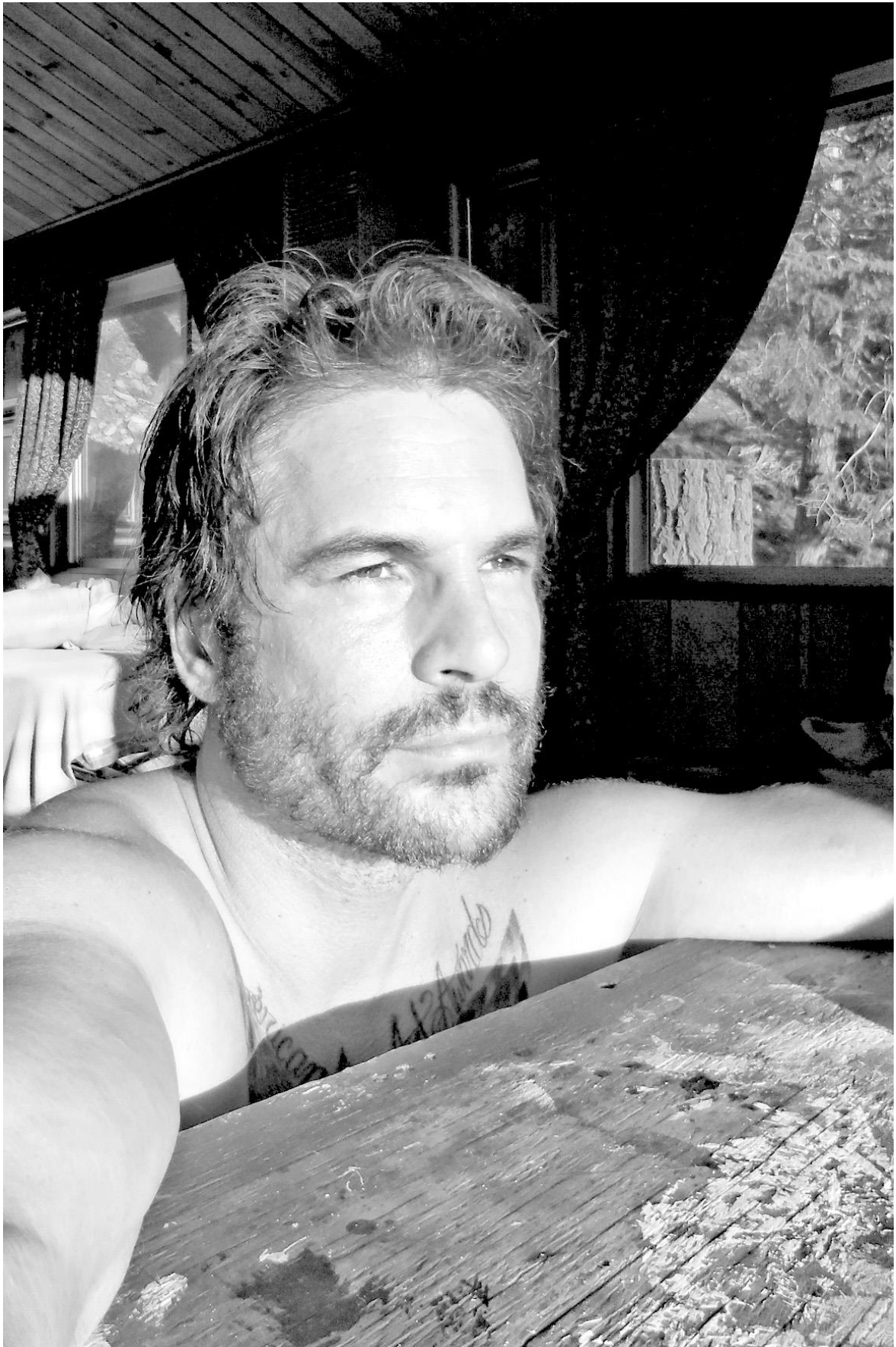


















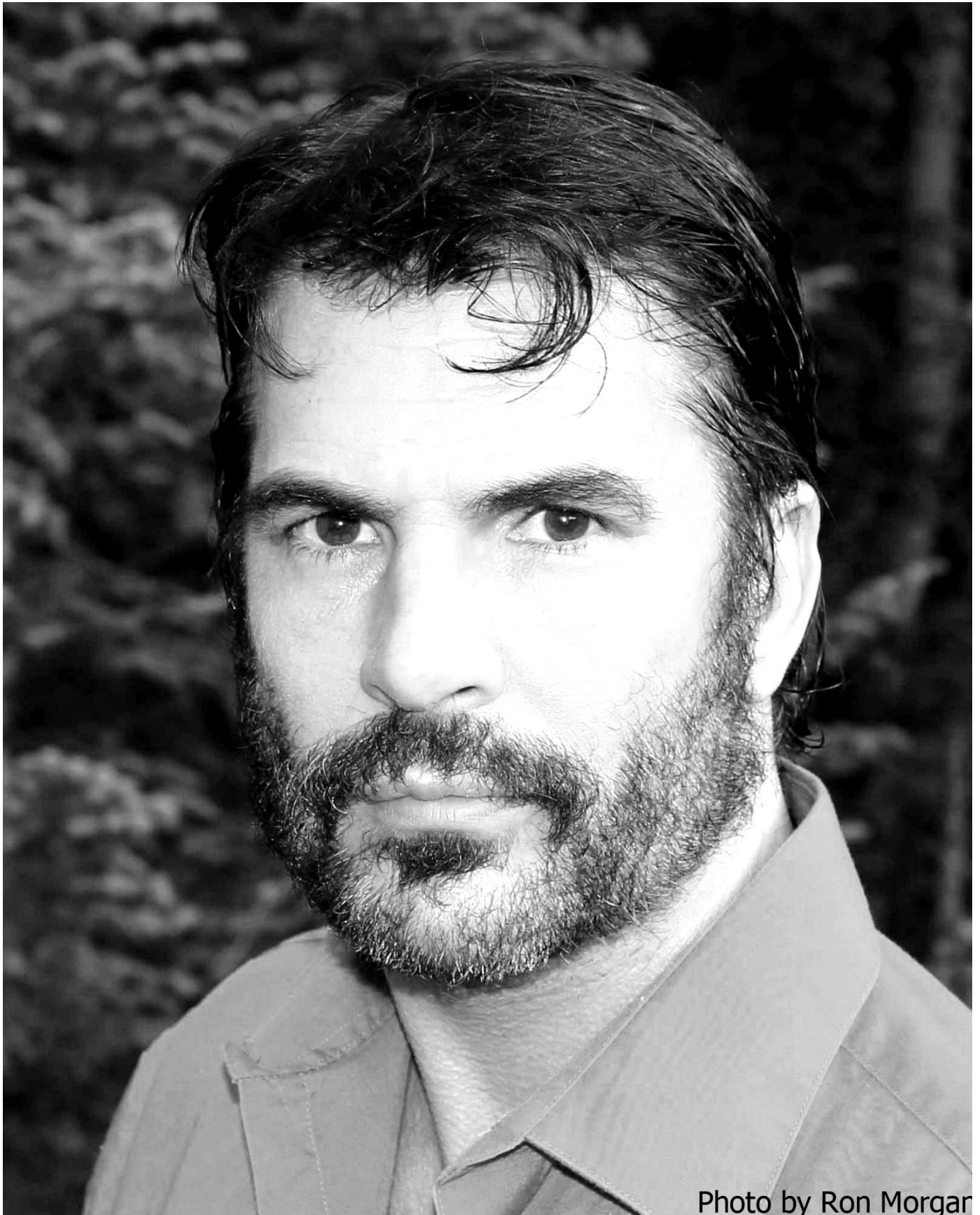
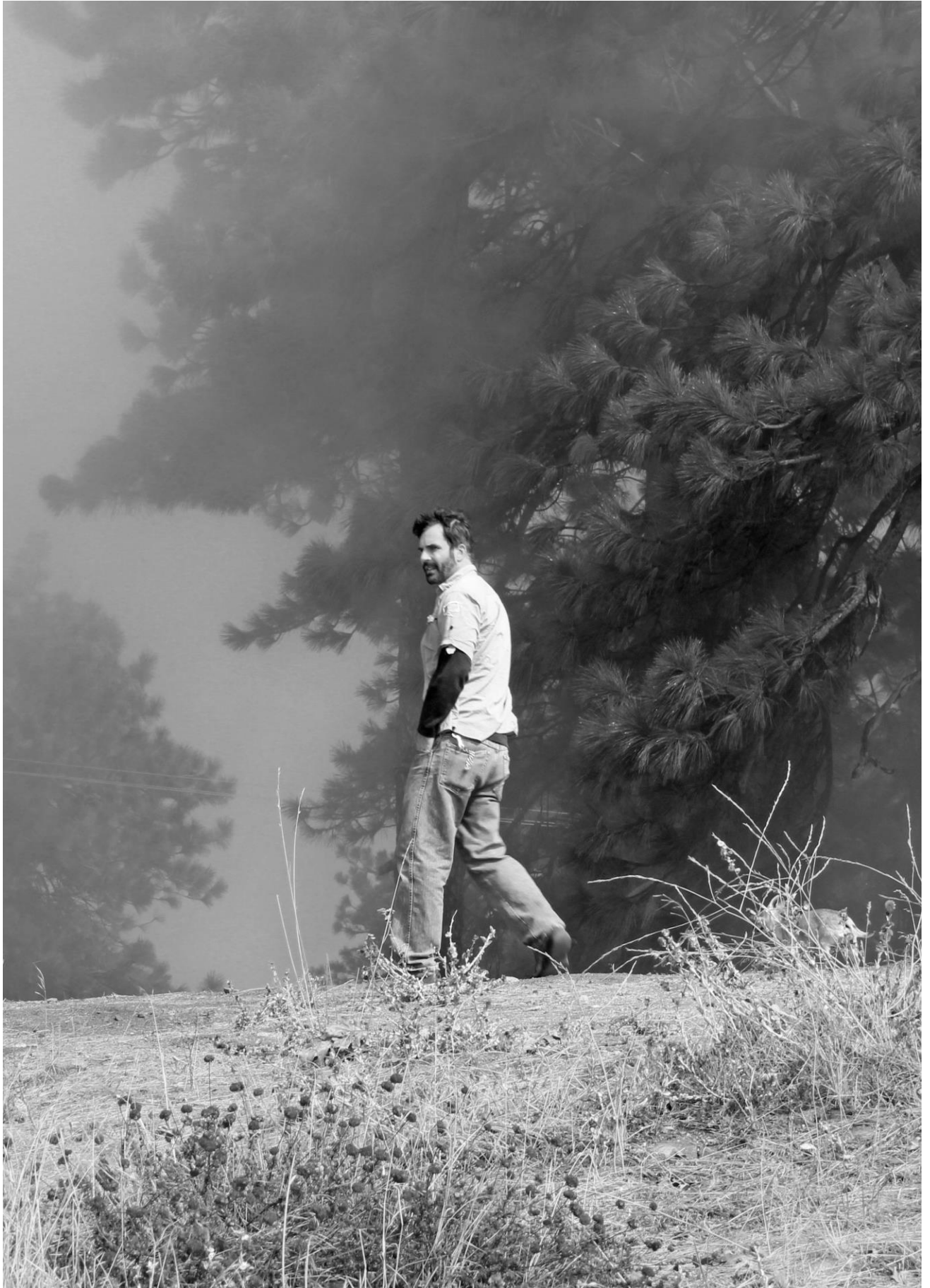


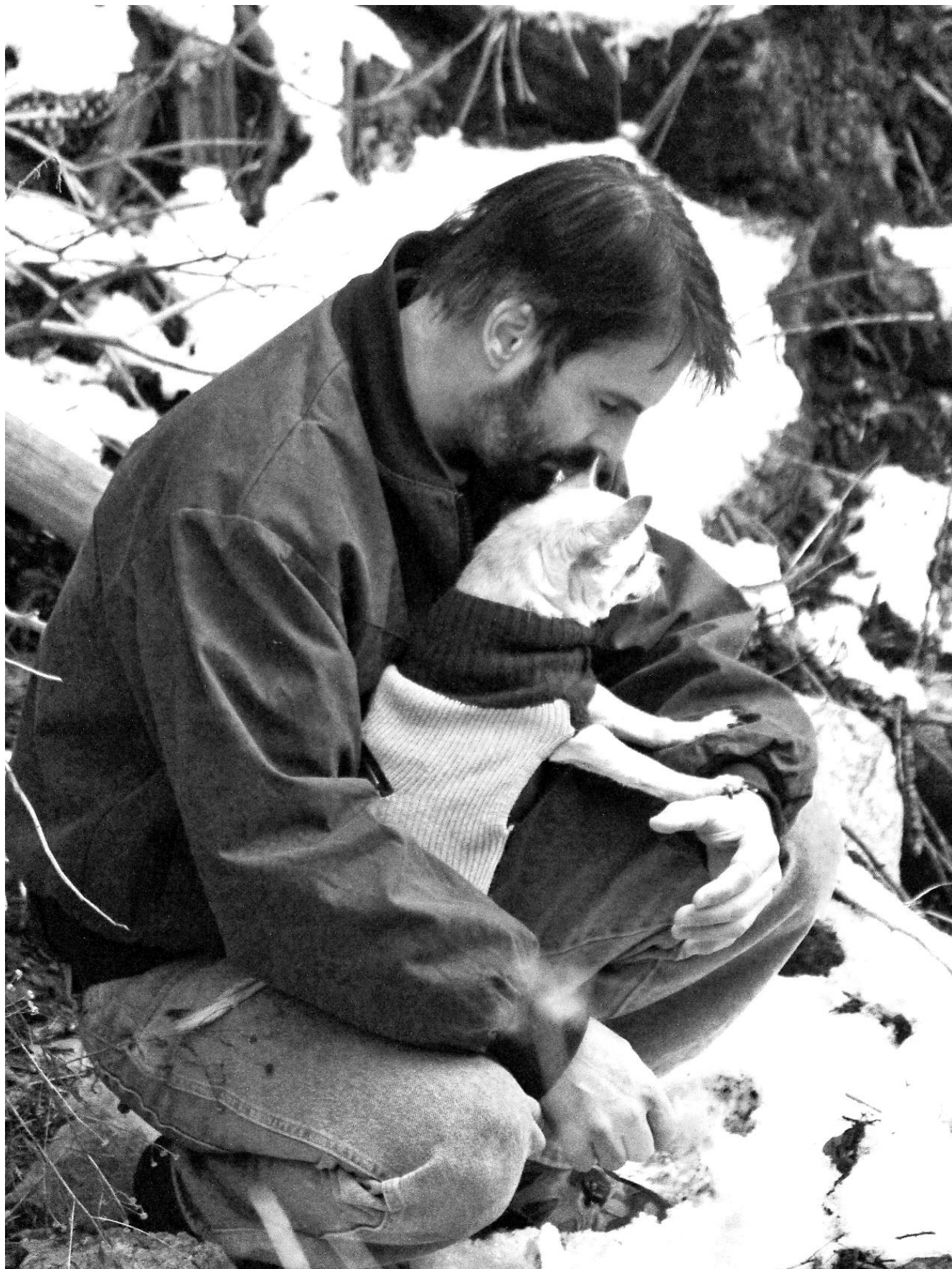
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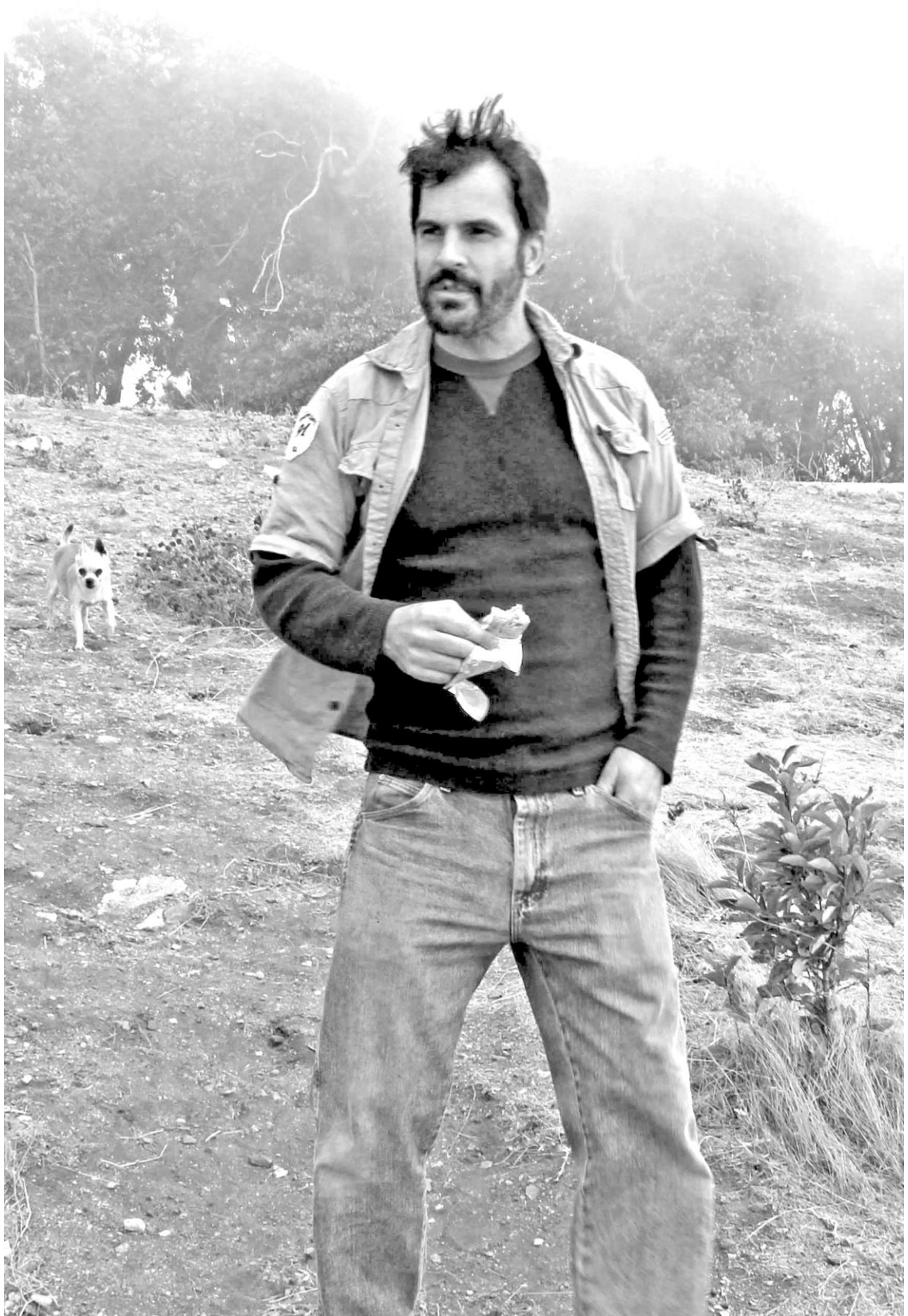






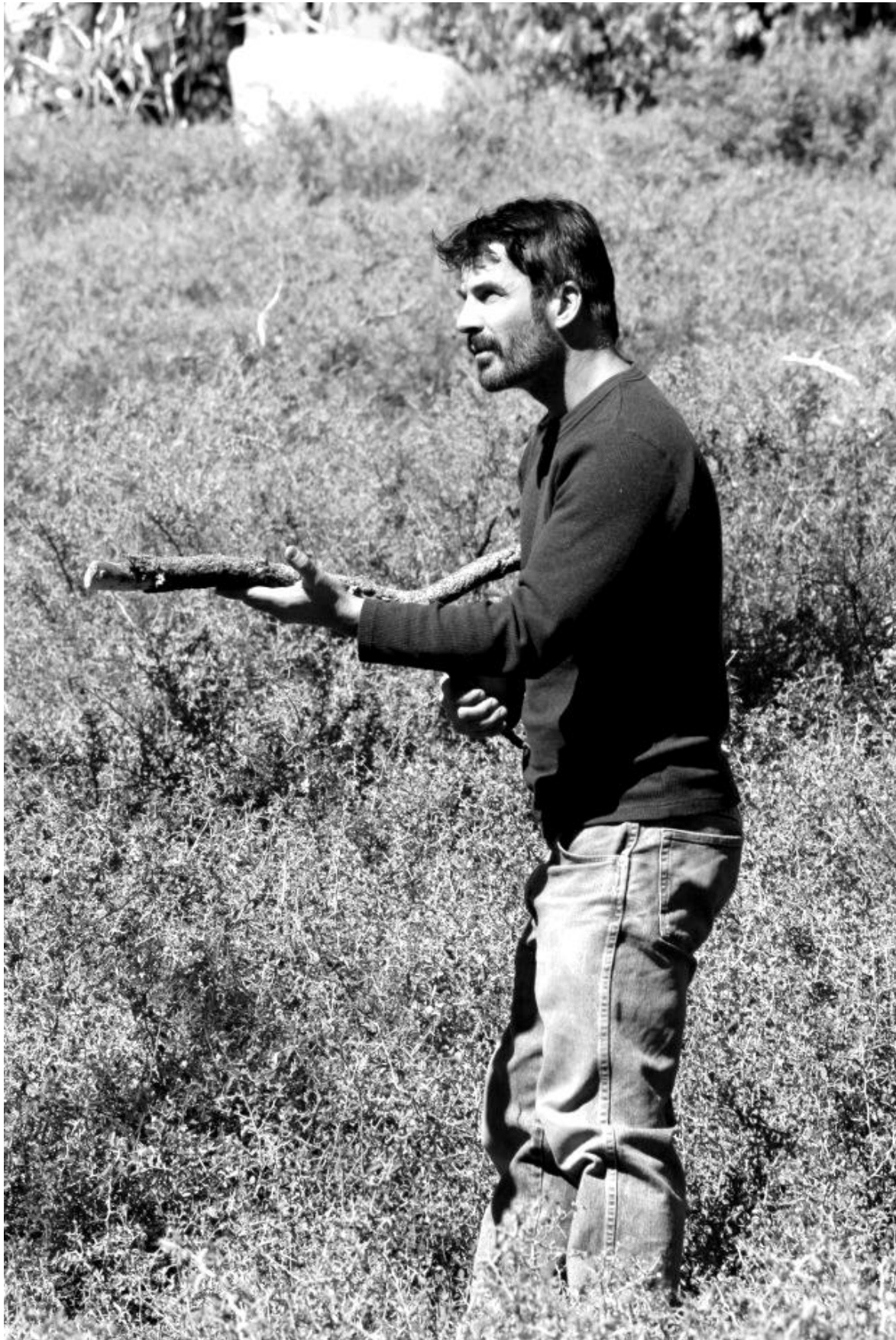


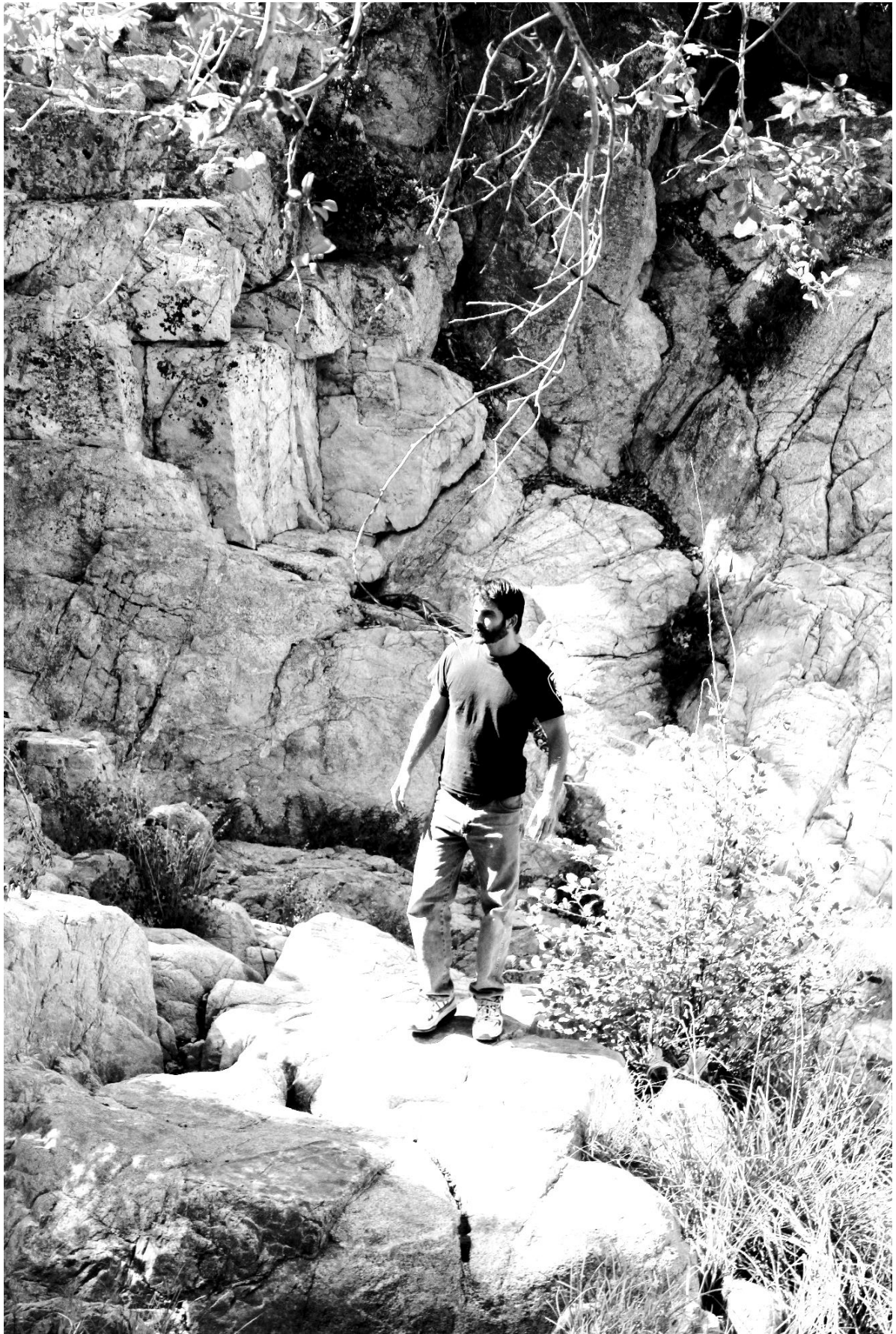












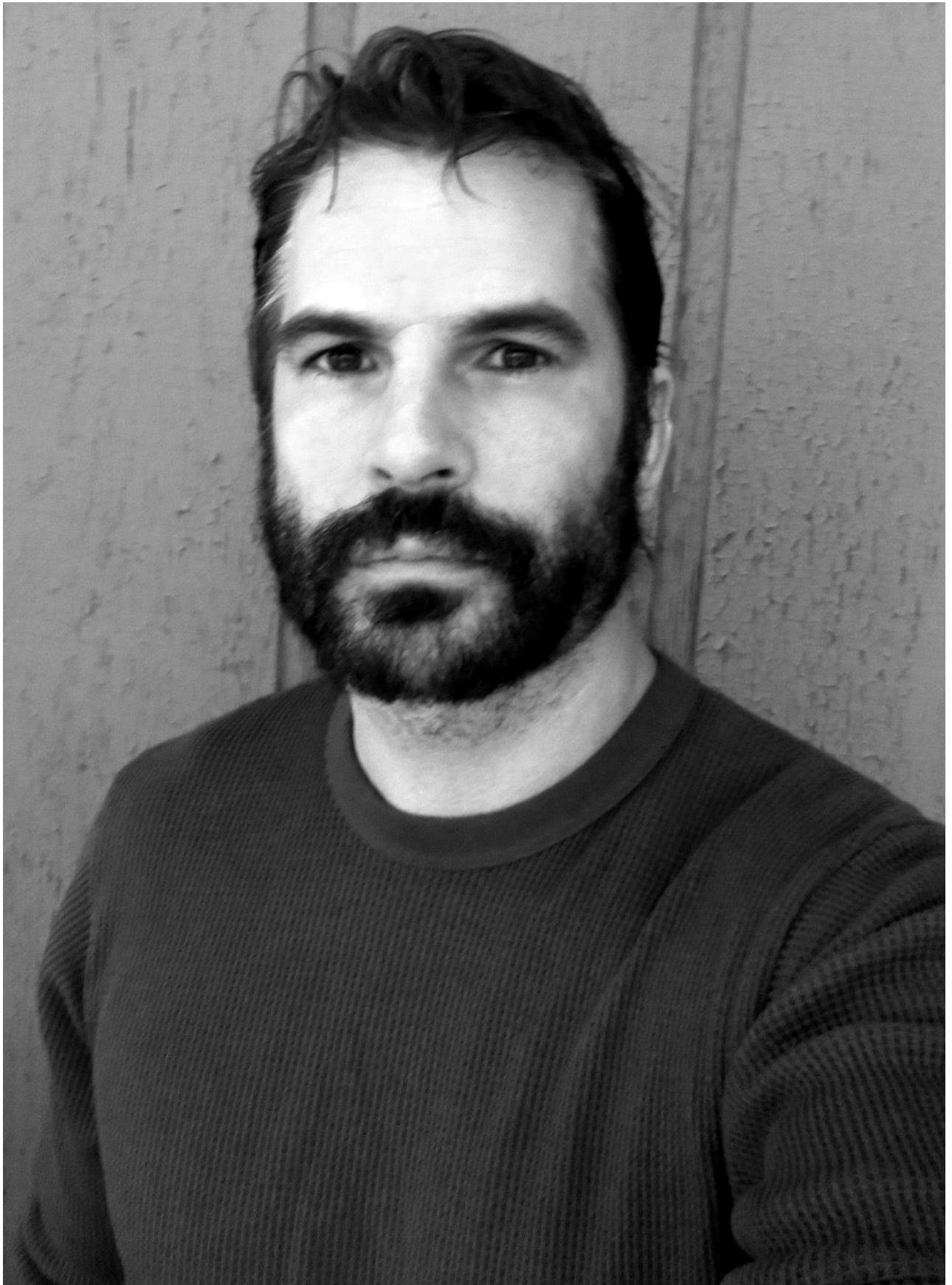








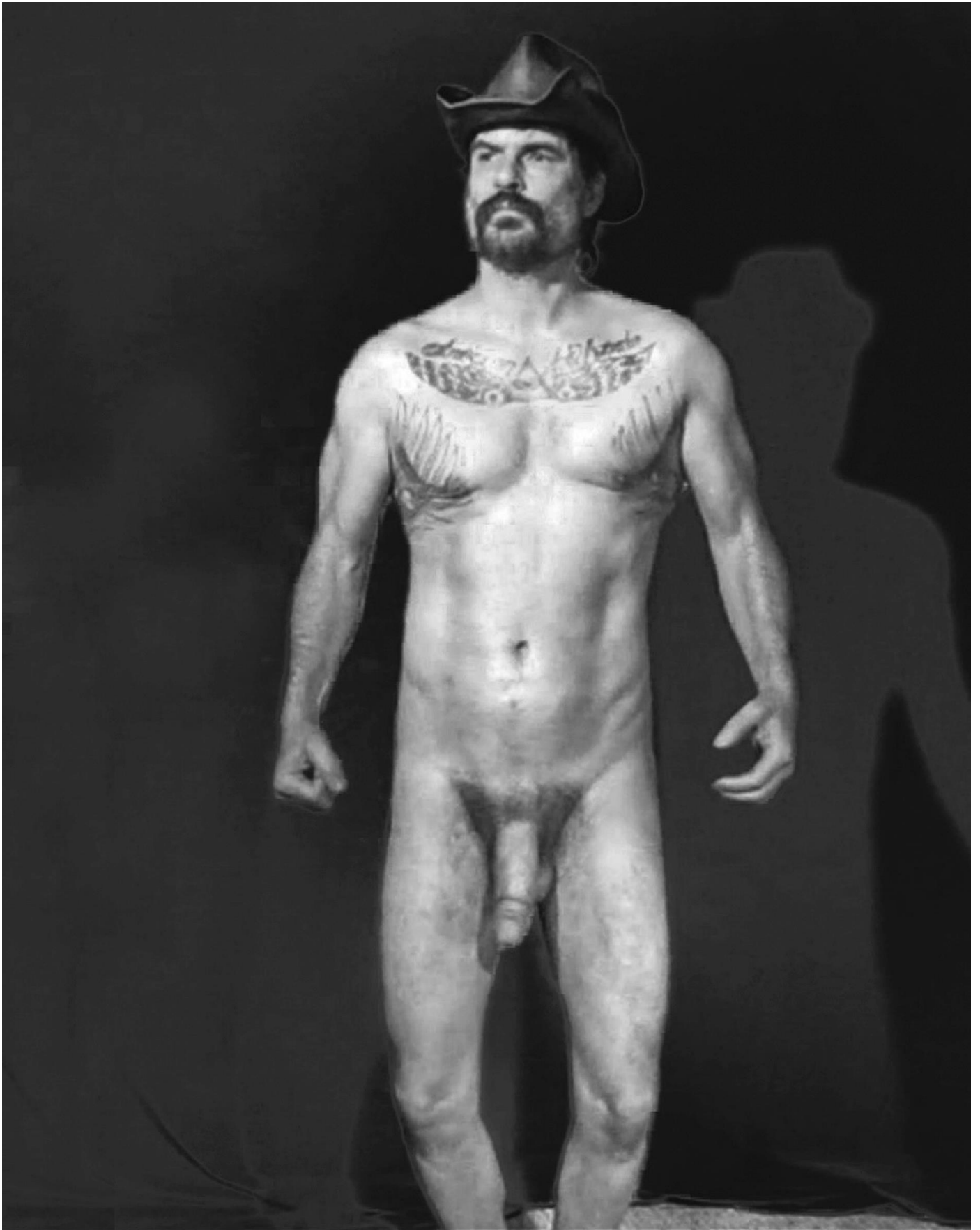


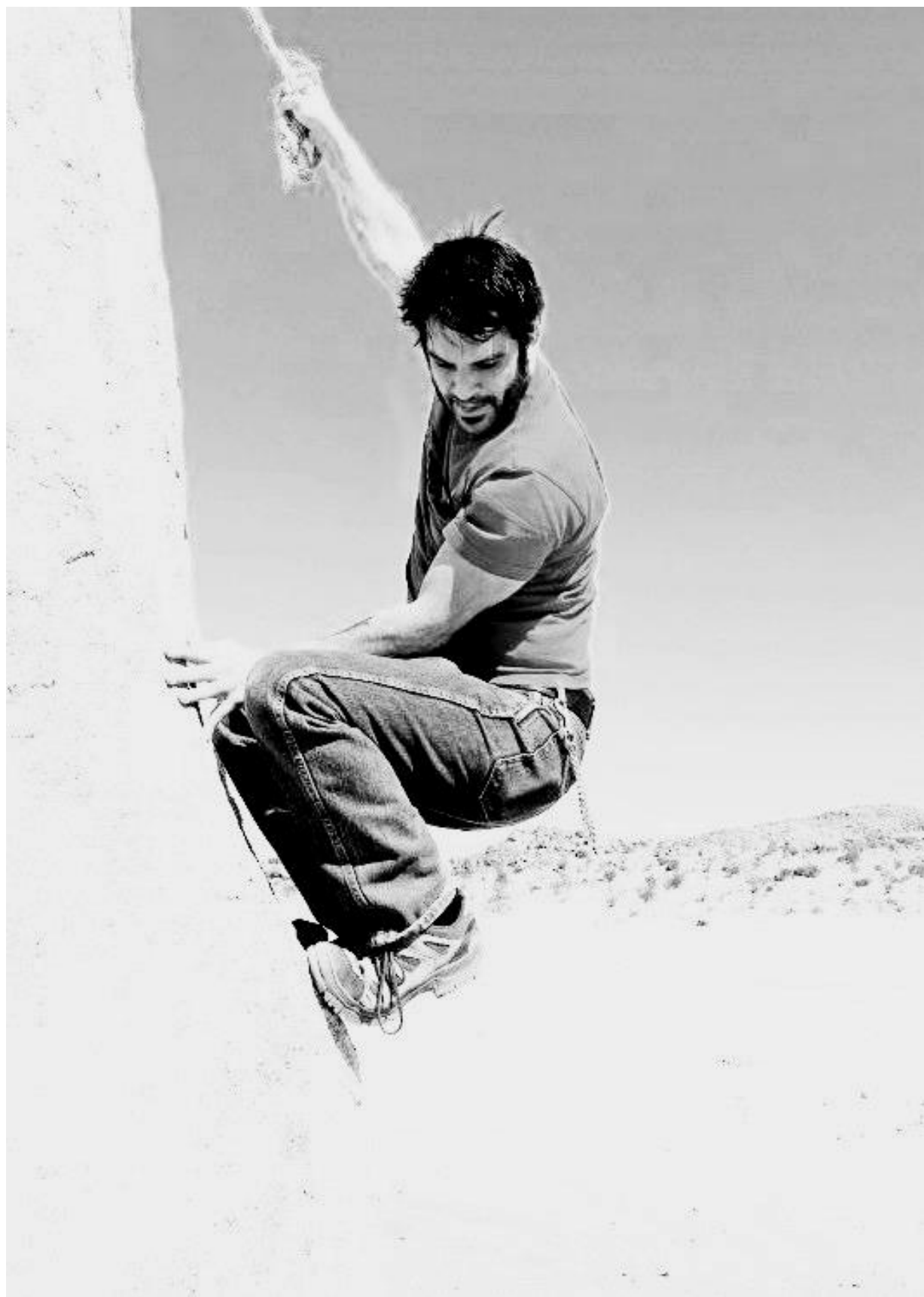


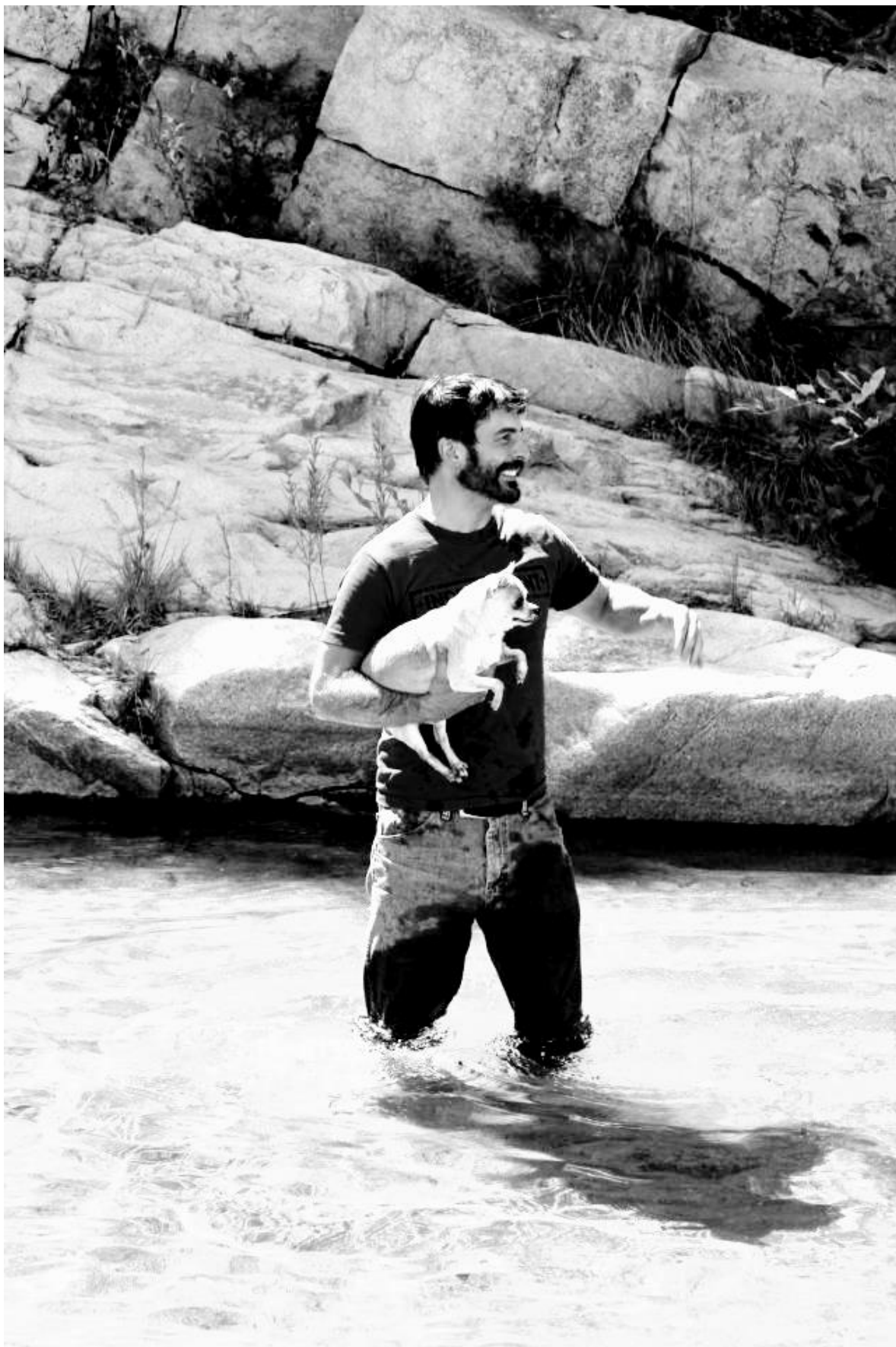


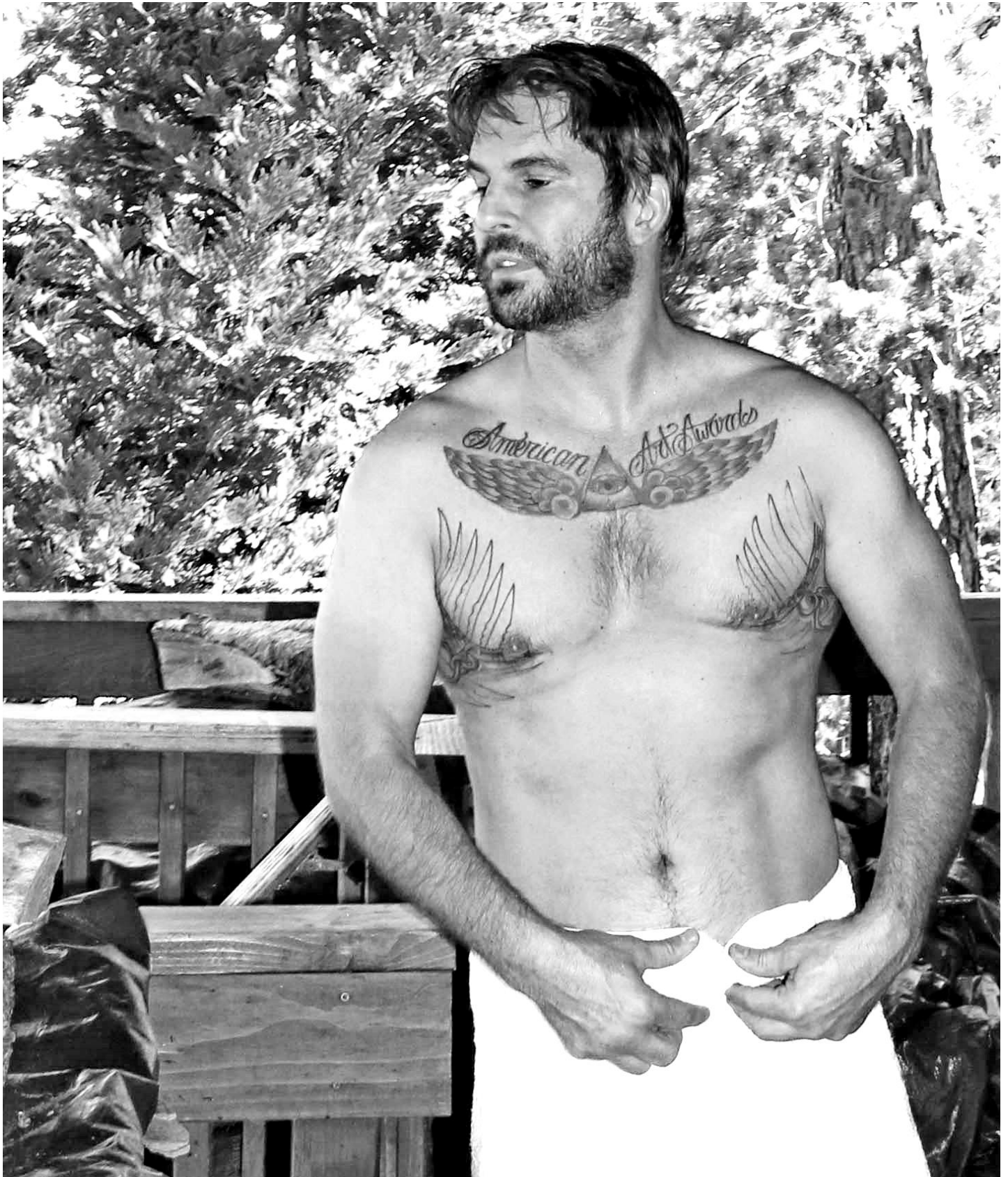










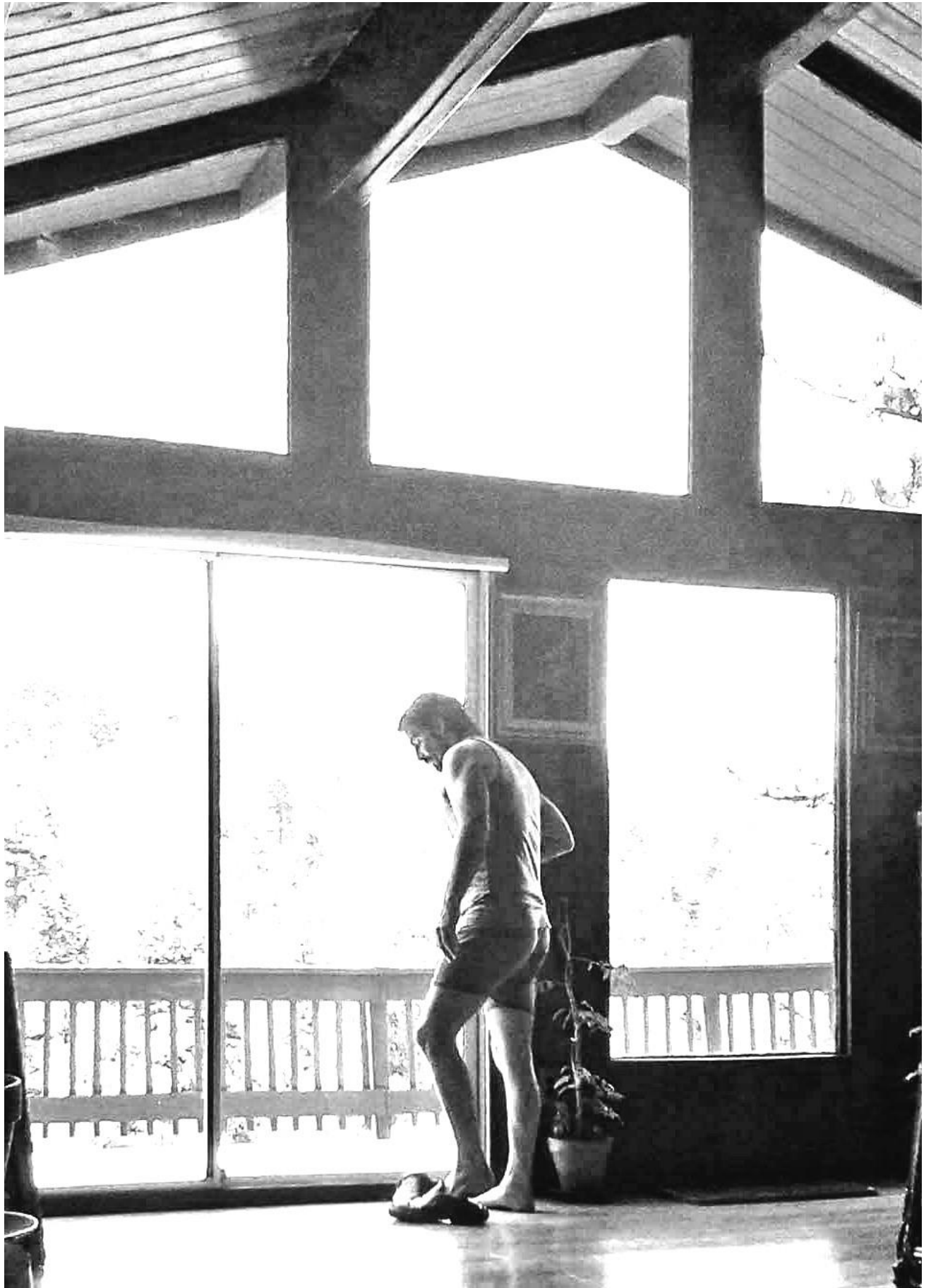


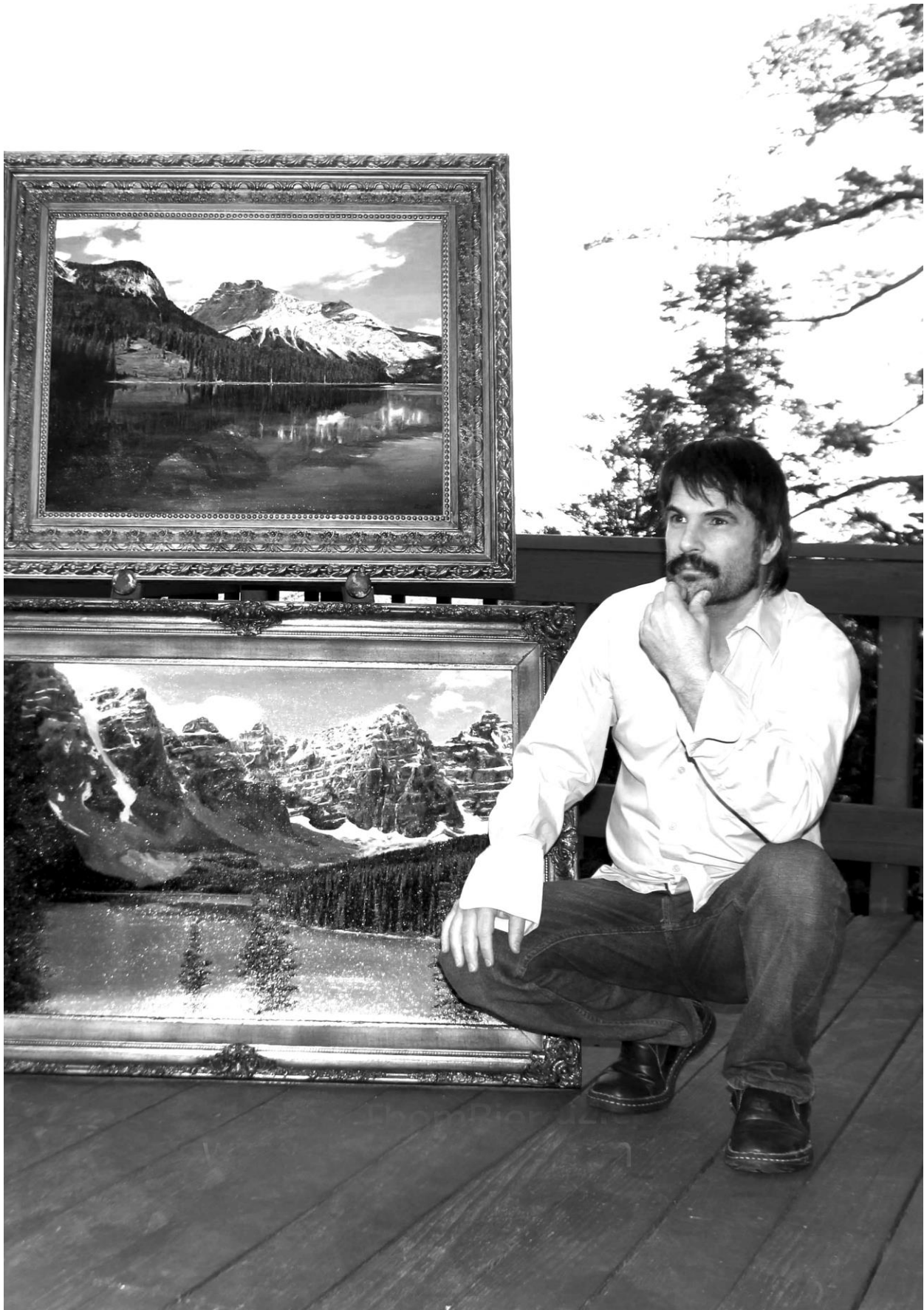















ThomBierdz.com has info on my other books and 1,000 available prints. The “nudes in trees” images are shown there (many females, too) in B&W as well as all gold and all red and all green and all blue. Those stunning high-resolution, signed, 8x10” limited-edition prints in 11x14” white mats are only \$35 each (2018 price), minimum 3, no shipping charge in USA.

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Thom Bierdz loved his schizophrenic brother. Despite Troy's erratically cruel behavior, his years of creative threats weren't taken seriously. Then the unthinkable happened. Now Thom must delve into hospital records, police reports, court transcripts, newspaper stories, his mother's papers and his own painful memories in a search for understanding. Nothing was omitted from this honest and soul-reaching account, which leaves the reader stunned and amazed at his insights.



Troy and Thom, 1988

"I was sure that our mother's soul lived on without a body – and that Troy's body lived on without a soul."

"...the soap sensation who played Phillip Chancellor III on The Young and the Restless has written a terrific, gut-punching memoir that chronicles his triumph over an unspeakable family tragedy... Chilling, hopeful, spiritual – you'll never read anything like it."


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— David Mixner, author of *A Stranger Among Friends*

"A true-life tale of love and loss, terror and triumph that will take your breath away – and play on every single emotion you own"

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FORGIVING TROY


"In 1989, my brother beat our mother to death..."

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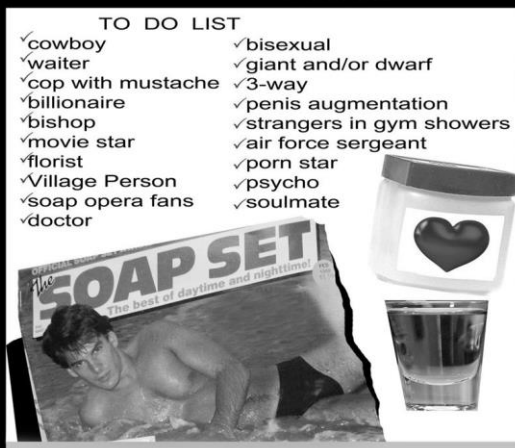
A True Story of Murder, Mental Illness, and Recovery



THOM BIERDZ
Actor / Artist / Author



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● Since 1986, a hundred million people have watched Thom Bierdz in *The Young & The Restless* (Phillip Chancellor III), *Melrose Place*, *Old Dogs New Tricks*...

While president of *AmericanArtAwards.com* and winning 12 awards (actor, painter, filmmaker and author for his previous memoir, *Forgiving Troy*) Thom's roller coaster crashes as often as it soars.

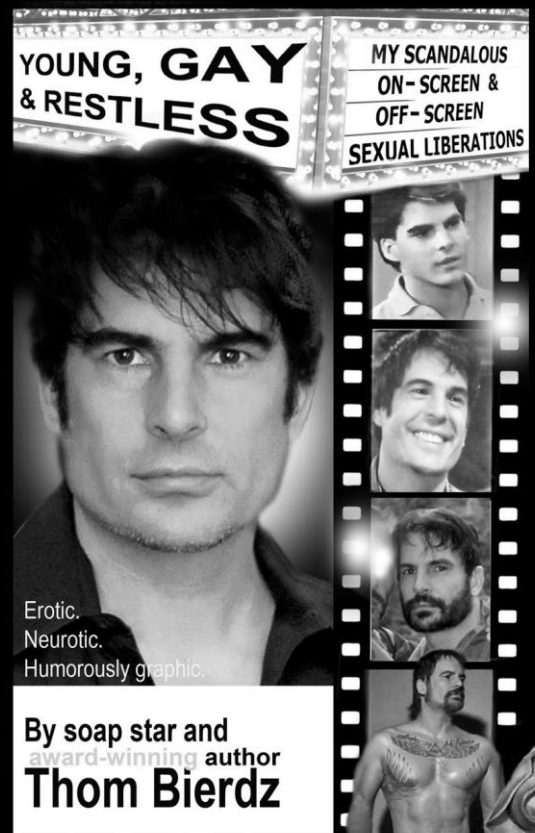
Sexual assaults, romantic break-ups, unpredictable finances and social anxiety do not cripple the innate optimist, who is further put to the test with his mother's murder and a family suicide.

Leaving Hollywood for a cabin in the woods, the seeker finds peace and humorously examines 40 years of scandalous sex adventures in the most explicit memoir a celebrity has ever penned.

Nude pics.

Sexually explicit.

Young, Gay & Restless Thom Bierdz



Award-winning author, actor, artist and activist, Thom Bierdz, continues to stun readers with bold disclosures in this new book querying 60 male sexual assault survivors.

The content is RAW, graphic in text, unedited: misspelling and typos intended to authenticate these victim's gripping, incredulous and more often than not, horrifying histories. Still, a few do not regret the assaults, and give their reasons why.

The surprising take-away is that only one thing can be more damaging than boys being raped, and that is boys being shamed for 70 years. Incest, kidnaps, gang-rapes, pastors with guns and gay men taking brides to hide their "naughty" homosexuality, your heart will break at the obstacles such young souls had to endure.

Millions knew Bierdz from *The Young & The Restless* (Phillip Chancellor III), *Melrose Place*, *Old Dogs New Tricks*, but were unaware of his sexual assaults which he just revealed in *Young, Gay & Restless*, *My SCANDALOUS On-Screen & Off-Screen Sexual Liberations*.



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