

Book by Aurora Molina



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Thread Upon Thread

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Miami, FL – Miami International Fine Arts (MIFA), in conjunction with FAMA, is proud to present – *Thread Upon Thread*, a juried group exhibition that explores the expressive and narrative power of soft textile books. On view from May 3 to 27, 2025, this immersive and intimate showcase invites audiences to experience how cloth, thread, and memory converge to tell deeply personal and universal stories.

Drawing inspiration from the imaginative world of childhood fabric books, *Thread Upon Thread* reimagines the format for adult creators—transforming soft pages into vessels for autobiography, emotion, and cultural heritage. Artists were invited to create textile books of 10 to 20 pages, each hand-stitched narrative representing the complexities and beauty of lived experience.

This exhibition honors the deeply human need to preserve and share memory through touch and image. These soft books—crafted with techniques such as embroidery, applique, and fabric collage—unfold like patchwork diaries, linking generations through stories told in thread. From introspection and healing to legacy and resistance, each work becomes a tactile archive of the soul.

Featured artists include Martin Casuso, Rosario Crespo, Liliana Faieta, Marine Fonteyne, Mila Hajjar, Andrea F. Huffman, Mary Larsen, Lina Linkimer, Aurora Molina, Paola Mondolfi, Sandra Onetti, Vered Pasternak, Maria Patino, Julieta Pinedo Posada, Jennifer Printz, Mark Runge, Susanne Shirato, Silvia Yapur, Aida Tejada, Juliana Torres, Marilyn Valiente, Tom Virgin, Mirelle Volkart, Silvana Soriano—a group whose practices reflect diverse backgrounds and creative approaches to storytelling through textiles.

Textile Books – Thread Upon Thread bridges the ancient origins of weaving ("texere" in Latin) with the literary function of narrative, evoking the book as both object and symbol of connection, preservation, and transformation.

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ABOUT MIFA

Miami International Fine Arts (MIFA) is a hub for artistic innovation and cultural dialogue in Miami, dedicated to fostering creativity, inclusivity, and the transformative power of the arts.

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For more information about *Thread Upon Thread* and other exhibitions, visit www.mifamiami.com.

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