

HERO WATER

How does an artist photograph efemeral moments and truly capture the subject of "passing time" without mangling it by theatrics or presumptions? The photographs of Arja Hyytiäinen provide one answer to this question, her images are that blink of an eye, that moment caught which strung together, shot after shot, depicts a life spent crossing numerous borders and time zones. Travelers are, by definition, visiting outsiders. Arja has spent the last decade of her life existing far from her home in Finland, traveling and living in urban and rural parts of Eastern Europe and France,

her camera has captured the sounds and textures of the unimaginable in foreign places.
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