Water Closet: An Exploration of the Public and Private

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Abstract:

This photography-based project is an exploration of identity and how (or if) it reveals itself in the way that various people present their bathrooms. Produced and printed in digital format, Water Closet offers a glimpse into the restrooms of several very different people. Each bathroom is presented in two images - one revealing the entire bathroom and another focusing on the details. The most basic characteristics of the bathroom owners (such as gender, age, race, socioeconomic status) remain undisclosed to the viewer, allowing him or her to interpret their identities using only the visual cues offered in the series and their accompanying titles.



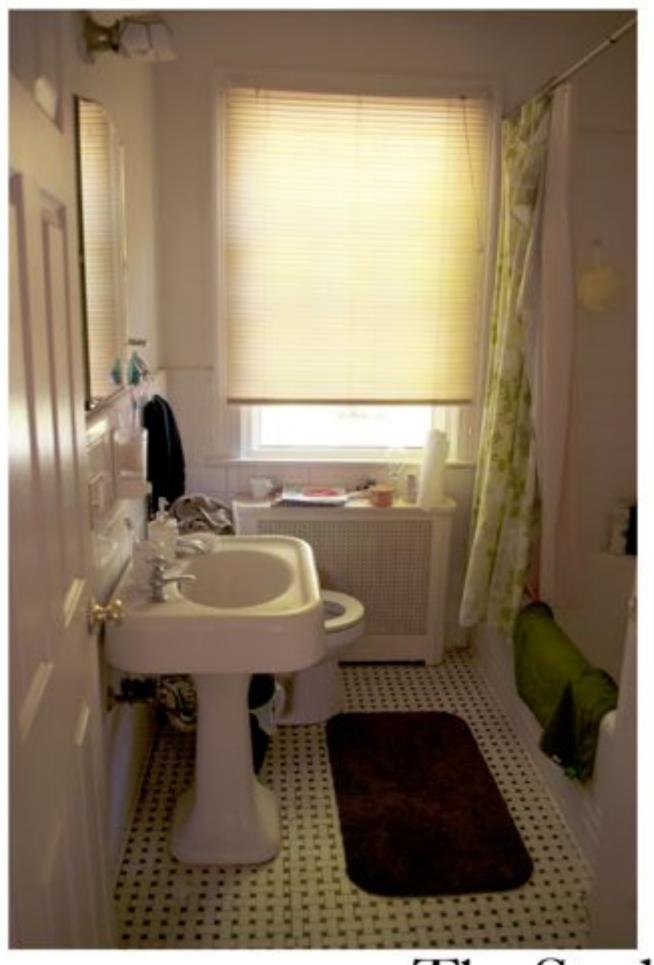
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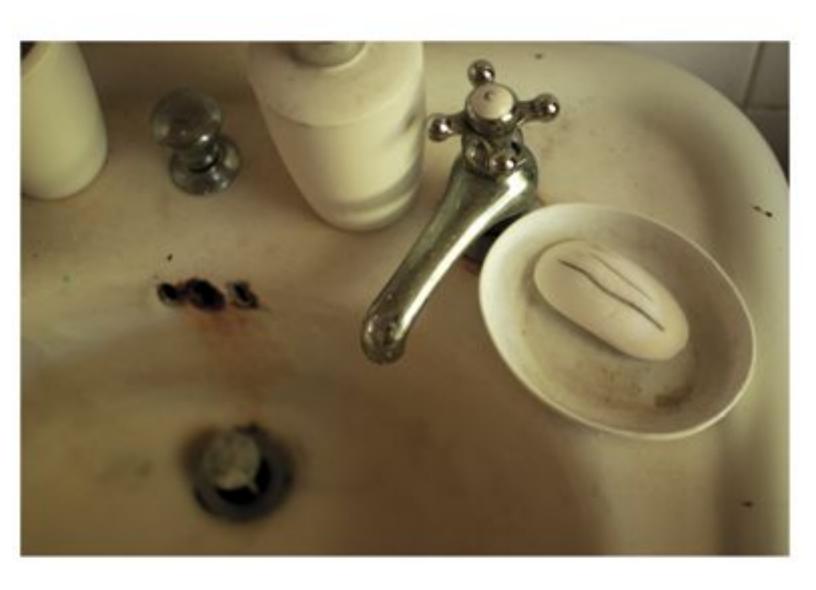


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The Students





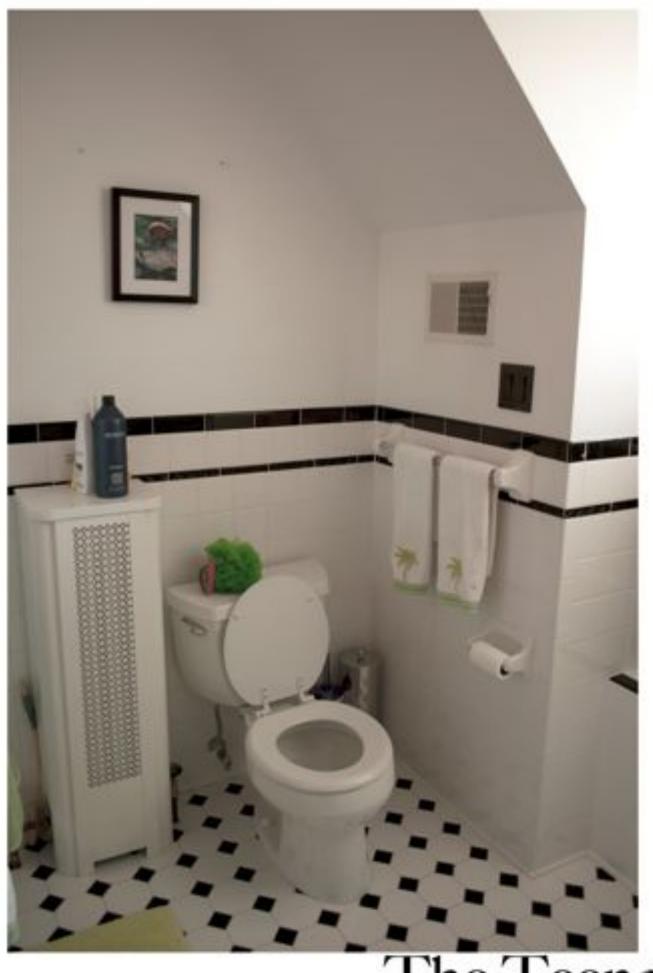
The Nightclub Owner





The Reverend





The Teenagers

